Assassination Records Review Board

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Dear Ms. Bacon:

The Assassination Records Review Board is an independent federal agency appointed by President Clinton to oversee the review and release of records related to the assassination of President John F. Kennedy. The Review Board recently began the release of records that federal agencies such as the CIA and the FBI want to keep classified. The mandate of this Board of five private citizens, to review the classified assassination records of federal agencies and tell them what records to make publicly available, is unprecedented.

I have enclosed for your background information a three-page fact sheet on the Review Board and some recent news clips. If you are interested in having members of the Review Board as guests on your show, please contact me at (202) 724–0088, ext. 227. Mr. John R. Tunheim, Chair of the Review Board, and Dr. Anna K. Nelson, an adjunct professor of history at The American University and a past guest on your show, could both be made available.

Thank you for your time and attention to this matter. I look forward to hearing from you in the near future.

Sincerely,

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