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Ms. Tina Houston Supervisory Archivist Lyndon Baines Johnson Library 2313 Red River Street Austin, Texas 78705

Re: ARRB Visit to Johnson Library

Dear Tina:

I am glad that I was able to reach you this afternoon.

As I mentioned, Irene Marr and I will arrive at the Library at 9:00 on Monday morning. Steve Tilley will be arriving later on Monday, or perhaps Tuesday morning. On Monday morning, Irene and I would like to begin review of the *closed* National Security Files that we previously identified. Once Steve arrives, Irene and I can suspend our review and speak to you, Claudia, and Regina about the final steps of processing the records and making them available for Board review. I think it will be quite valuable for you, Steve, and I all to be together to discuss all of the outstanding issues, including procedures for Board review of classified records as well as other miscellaneous issues including audio recordings, the Marty Underwood oral history, and Jacqueline Kennedy documents.

As I mentioned, there are a few additional records that, if time permits, we would like to review before leaving on Thursday. As always, *our focus will be exclusively on records that are not otherwise available to the public.* I presume that will begin by examining the appropriate finding aids, but we will follow your recommendation.

Manuscripts and Archives-Presidential Papers

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Manuscripts and Archives-Personal Papers

George Ball McGeorge Bundy Ramsey Clark James U. Cross Alain C. Enthoven Robert S. McNamara Walt W. Rostow Richard B. Russell Paul C. Warnke William C. Westmoreland

Oral History Collection

Hale Boggs Ramsey Clark Ray Cline Jesse Curry John Davis Courtney Evans Ronald Goldfarb

We based this selection on the finding aid "Historical Materials in the Lyndon Baines Johnson Library." If you have any other updated finding aids or indexes, it would be helpful to see them. We look forward to seeing you next week.

Sincerely,

T. Jeremy Gunn General Counsel and Associate Director for Research and Analysis