February 8, 1996 (HAND DELIVERED)

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Re: DOD Review of HSCA Documents (3)

Dear Mr. Aly:

Thank you for your January 30 response and your continuing assistance.

Enclosed for your review are 38 unclassified documents from the files of the House Select Committee on Assassinations (HSCA). Most of these documents have never been made public; a few others have been previously released only in redacted form. For the latter we ask that you review the previously-withheld portions to assess whether they can now be released without redactions.

As before, should you recommend that a document not be released, either in part or in its entirety, please explain your reasons in full for the Board's consideration. We expect to include these documents on the Board's agenda for its meeting on March 18-19, and so would appreciate a response not later than March 8, 1996. Again, I am attaching a form to facilitate your response. Please direct any questions or concerns to Colonel (ret.) Timothy A. Wray, our Chief Analyst for Military Records.

Sincerely yours,

David G. Marwell Executive Director

[Enclosures listed on attached endorsement.]

February 8, 1996

To: David Marwell, ARRB

From: Stewart F. Aly

DOD Deputy General Counsel

Subject DOD Review of HSCA Documents (3)

FIRST ENDORSEMENT

The Department of Defense has reviewed the documents shown below and makes the following recommendation regarding their release:

DOCUMENT TITLE	RELEASE IN FULL	POSTPONEMENT REQUESTED*
1. HSCA 180-10107-10235. Loran Hall military records.		
2. HSCA 180-10109-10397. J.D. Tippitt military records.		
3. HSCA 180-10111-10181. Letter of 12/01/77, James S. Miller to Robert Blakey, re: J.D. Tippitt.		
4. HSCA 180-10111-10182. Report of 11/20/77, James Miller to Robert Blakey, re: J.D. Tippitt.		
5. HSCA 180-10111-10183. Report of 11/17/77, James Miller to Robert Blakey, re: J.D. Tippitt.		
6. HSCA 180-10117-10262. Memorandum of 12/12/77, Gaeton Fonzi to Robert Blakey, re: Antonio Veciana.		
7. HSCA 180-10114-10196. ONI file on Lee Harvey Oswald, already open except for ONI referrals to USAF, pp. 36-46, p. 308 and pp. 342-352 and DIA redaction, pp. 256-257. Redacted or postponed pages attached.		
8. HSCA 180-10080-10208. Memo, re: Jack Martin;		

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reference to DIA and ONI.	
9. HSCA 180-10081-10343. Letter of 3/3/78, John Martin to Robert Blakey, re: Aerospace Corporation.	
10. HSCA 180-10084-10468. Excerpt from Vol. I, Marine Corps Manual, re: discharges.	
11. HSCA 180-10084-10469. Excerpt from Marine Corps Manual, re: discharges.	
12. HSCA 180-10087-10311. Congressional Research Service memo of 3/31/78 to Dick Billings, re: Project Star.	
13. HSCA 180-10070-10430. Outside Contact Report (OCR) with Robert Jones, 4/6/78.	
14. HSCA 180-20070-10432. Interview of 4/4/78 with Robert Jones.	
15. HSCA 180-10085-10134. Document request letter of 4/28/78 from Robert Blakey to Harold Brown.	
16. HSCA 180-10102-10299. Report (1958) on the death of Martin Schrand.	
17. HSCA 180-10096-10370. Letter from Louis Stokes to Harold Brown, 6/26/78, re: Cuban intelligence network.	
18. HSCA 180-10097-10101. Ayers memo on Oswald discharge. The text of this memo appears in the HSCA Report copy attached.	
19. HSCA 180-10076-10006. Letter from Robert Blakey to John Kester of DOD, 6/28/78.	
20. HSCA 180-10104-10354. Report from Judith Miller (DOD) to Robert Blakey, 6/22/78. Document already open except for SSNs and MSNs. Also contains HSCA-era redactions in ONI Information Report. Redactions highlighted in attached copy.	

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21. HSCA 180-10067-10417. HSCA staffer notes on 4/17/68 investigation of DOD personnel associations with David Ferrie. Document already open with redactions (names). Redactions highlighted in attached copy.	
22. HSCA 180-10072-10179. Gaeton Fonzi memo to Robert Blakey, 7/24/78, re: Col. Samuel Kail.	
23. HSCA 180-10075-10098. HSCA staffer notes on DOD files, 6/20/78. Document already open with redactions. Redactions highlighted in attached copy.	
24. HSCA 180-10097-10376. HSCA staffer notes on DOD files, 10/11/78. Document already open with redactions. Redactions highlighted in attached copy.	
25. HSCA 180-10111-10066. HSCA staffer notes of DOD files. Document already open with redactions. Redactions highlighted in attached copy.	
26. HSCA 180-10104-10394. HSCA staffer notes on DOD files, re: Antonio Veciana.	
27. HSCA 180-10103-10423. USMC unit diary, 9/30/57.	
28. HSCA 180-10112-10283. OCR with Robert Jones, 11/28/78.	
29. HSCA 180-10105-10060. Summary of files, re: George de Mohrenschildt.	
30. HSCA 180-10106-10016. HSCA staffer summary of DOD files. Document already open with redactions. Redactions highlighted in attached copy.	
31. HSCA 180-10106-10017. HSCA staffer summary of DOD files. Document already open with redactions. Redactions highlighted in attached copy.	
32. HSCA 180-10106-10018. HSCA staffer summary of DOD files. Document already open with	

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redactions. Redactions highlighted in attached copy.	
33. HSCA 180-10101-10353. HSCA staffer summary of DOD files. Document already open with redactions. Redactions highlighted in attached copy.	
34. HSCA 180-10108-10001. OCR with Harold Flower, 11/06/78.	
35. HSCA 180-10103-10473. Gaeton Fonzi memo to Robert Blakey, 12/12/77, re: Antonio Veciana.	
36. HSCA 180-10111-10432. USMC files, re: Richard A. Cyr.	
37. HSCA 180-10120-10150. HSCA interview, 2/24/78, re: unknown. Document already open with redactions. Redactions highlighted in attached copy.	
38. HSCA 180-10104-10433. OCR of 5/31/78. Document already open with redactions. Redactions highlighted in attached copy.	

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