

MEMORANDUM

May 19, 1997
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To: David Marwell

From: Joan Zimmerman

Subject: US Secret Service Documents at the June 9-10, 1997 Review Board Meeting

- I. On April 30, 1997, John Machado delivered the Gilberto Lopez file [127-CO2-0073684] (67 pages), which we had requested on May 29, 1996. The Secret Service requests the Review Board's advice regarding its status as an "assassination record." I recommend that the entire file be designated an "assassination record."
- II. On May 19, 1997, John Machado delivered the Service's response to our SS-11 request dated January 6, 1997. We had requested specific documents pertaining to Robert Bouck's correspondence. The Service's response included the following:
- Memos from Robert Bouck (March 5, 1964), SAIC Weisheit (January 23, 1964), and John E. Champion (January 29, 1964) regarding PRS information to be given to OSI. (3 pages)
 - Memo by John E. Champion (January 21, 1964) regarding conference on report to Secretary Dillon. (2 pages)
 - Memo by Chief [Rowley] (February 25, 1964) pertaining to protective measures taken since November 22, 1963. (1 page)
 - Correspondence between USSS and Devenco Incorporated (May 4, 1964), (April 1, 1964), "General Provisions," (September 9, 1963), "Technical Approach Monitoring Autoscan System" (September 9, 1963) and "Addendum to Our Proposal" (September 9, 1963). (26 pages)
 - Internal USSS memos and routing slips on autoscan system (May 18, 1964), (May 7, 1964), and (June 1, 1964). (6 pages)
 - Memo by Robert Bouck on Library Project (June 2, 1964). (1 page)
 - Memo by Robert Bouck on Tamper Alarm System on Telephones (September 24, 1964). (1 page)

- "Background for Assassination" in Washington Report (March 16, 1964). (12 pages)
- Memo by ATSAIC Stout on Route Surveys (December 14, 1964). (3 pages)
- Memo by Jackson Krill on Protective Aids Project (no date). (1 page)
- Memo by Clint Hill (September 12, 1964), letter by Jacqueline Kennedy to Douglas Dillon (September 11, 1964), and typed copy of Mrs. Kennedy's letter (September 11, 1964). (7 pages)
- UPI news release (December 2, 1963). (1 page)
- A six-page memo ("Outer Perimeter" OPO-85-0001 #22) on post-assassination operations security for presidential protection [with duplicates and handwritten notes] (no date). (12 pages)
- Correspondence between Douglas Dillon and Office of Science and Technology (August 31, 1964), (August 28, 1964), (August 31, 1964), and (August 26, 1964). (4 pages)
- Memo by Robert Bouck on PRS Presidential Protection Obligation (January 30, 1964). (7 pages)
- Memorandum for Dr. Sproull on Project Star (January 8, 1964). (6 pages)
- Memo by John E. Campion on Protective Research Projects (January 14, 1964). (2 pages)
- Memo by Inspector Kelley on PRS (January 8, 1964). (1 page)
- Memo by Inspector Kelley on PRS (January 6, 1964). (4 pages)
- Memo by SAIC Behn on Study of Procedures for Protecting the President (December 12, 1963). (3 pages)
- Memo by SAIC Behn on Suggestions for Improving Presidential Protection (December 9, 1963). (2 pages)

--Memo by SAIC Behn on Policy on Special Agents Covering the Presidential Vehicle (December 9, 1963). (2 pages)

I recommend that all of the items on the above list be designated "assassination records."

I reviewed additional memos provided by the Secret Service on topics including security for Mrs. Kennedy's residence in Georgetown as well as fire protection in the White House (May 1964-July 1965), and recommend that these materials not be designated "assassination records."

- III. On June 3, 1997, John Machado brought 2 files (a total of 183 pages) pertaining to President Kennedy's funeral that contained White House Military Office records. The Service is not asking for any postponements, and we will bring these files directly to Steve Tilley for inclusion in the JFK Collection. [RIF nos. 154-10003-10046 and 154-10003-10047]
- IV. The Secret Service has requested postponements on 9 protective surveys designated "assassination records" by the Review Board at its October 15-16, 1996 meeting. The Service has asked for 6(3) postponements for names and addresses of individuals perceived as threatening to President Kennedy. The records are as follows:

154-10003-10001 [Sheraton Park Hotel]
 154-10003-10016 [Boston College]
 154-10003-10017 [Nashville]
 154-10003-10018 [Muscle Shoals, Alabama]
 154-10003-10019 [New York City]
 154-10003-10020 [Colorado Springs]
 154-10003-10024 [Los Angeles]
 154-10003-10043 [New York City]
 154-10003-10044 [11- State Conservation Trip]

I recommend that all of these records should be open in full.

The Secret Service has not requested postponements on the remaining 36 protective surveys dated March-December, 1963 (a total of 1,653 pages) that are now in the JFK Collection and open to the public.

Total no. of pages of Board-reviewed records: **681**.

The Secret Service has added approximately 8,000 pages to its collection at the National Archives

since January, 1996.
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