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Kevin O'Brien
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Re: Assassination Records Review Board Requests for Evidence

Dear Mr. O'Brien:

The Assassination Records Review Board staff has identified a number of FBI documents that we intend to present to the Review Board for review of your proposed postponements. These documents are identified in the enclosed forms. As stated in the forms, we request that you provide us with any document-specific evidence or arguments you may wish the Review Board to consider regarding these postponements by May 17, 1996. Although the enclosed forms suggest that you submit such evidence or arguments in writing, we will be happy to discuss with you other means of presentation that may be more convenient or practicable (e.g., formal presentations to, or informal meetings with, ARRB staff members).

There may be documents in this set that contain information that the FBI has designated as "not assassination related." If these designations still apply, we request that you provide us with document-specific evidence or arguments in support of these designations. If the "not assassination related" designations no longer apply to these documents, we ask that you advise us of any currently claimed postponements previously in the "not assassination related" redactions, and provide any evidence or arguments in support of those postponements.

We have attempted to identify separately the duplicates of each of the identified documents, wherever they may occur in the FBI's core and related files. However, if in some case we have failed to do so, please understand that the Review Board's decision with regard to one document will apply to claimed postponements regarding the same material in duplicate documents.

Thank you for your continuing cooperation.

Sincerely yours,

David G. Marwell
Executive Director

cc: Carol Keeley (with enclosures)