May 31, 1996

Ms. Marina Porter 1850 FM 550 Rockwall, Texas 75087

Re: Consent to Disclosure of Tax Information of Lee Harvey Oswald

Dear Ms. Porter:

The Assassination Records Review Board is interested in obtaining information covered by the confidentiality provisions of the Internal Revenue Code concerning Lee Harvey Oswald. I believe that John Newman called you to give you advance notice that we would be contacting you to request your help.

In order to obtain such information on Mr. Oswald, the Review Board must provide the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) with written consent from you, Mr. Oswald's next of kin. Mr. Newman said that you expressed no objection to signing such a consent, so I have taken the liberty of attaching a letter to the IRS for your signature, along with a form entitled "Consent to Disclosure of Tax Information" for you to complete. I have place red flags on the parts of the letter and the form that you will need to complete.

Once you have signed the letter and completed the form, please return them to us in the self-addressed, stamped envelope enclosed with this letter.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Laura Denk of my staff at (202) 724-0088. Thank you for your continued help in the work of the Review Board.

Sincerely,

David G. Marwell Executive Director Enclosures