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## BY FACSIMILE AND FIRST-CLASS MAIL

Lieutenant General Patrick M. Hughes, U.S. Army Director Defense Intelligence Agency 7400 Defense Pentagon Washington, D.C. 20301-7400

Re: Defense Intelligence Agency Compliance With the JFK Assassination Records Collection Act, 44 U.S.C. § 2107

Dear Lieutenant General Hughes:

At the request of Jeri Buchholz of the Executive Secretariat for the Defense Intelligence Agency ("DIA"), we are directing to your attention this correspondence regarding DIA's work under the President John F. Kennedy Assassination Records Collection Act ("JFK Act").

We are writing specifically to request that DIA submit to the Review Board, by December 15, 1997, its Final Declaration of Compliance regarding its work under the JFK Act. This Final Declaration should be executed under oath in the form prescribed by 28 U.S.C. § 1746.

We appreciate DIA's cooperation, and please let us know if you have any questions regarding DIA's responsibilities under the JFK Act. Questions regarding the transmission of DIA assassination records to the JFK Collection at the National Archives can be directed to Doug Horne, who is responsible for military agencies, while questions regarding the DIA compliance statement can be directed to me.

Sincerely,

Ronald G. Haron Associate General Counsel