Certification of the General Counsel Regarding the August 5, 1997 Closed Meeting of the Assassination Records Review Board

Pursuant to 5 U.S.C. § 552b(f)(1), we hereby certify, as General Counsel and Staff Counsel to the Assassination Records Review Board, that we attended the July 9, 1997 closed meeting of the Review Board. It is my opinion that the meeting was properly closed to the public based upon the following Sunshine Act exemptions:

- -- classified national security information (§ 552b(c)(1));
- -- personal matters, the disclosure of which may lead to an unwarranted invasion of privacy (§ 552b(c)(6));

T. Jeremy Gunn

Date: August 5, 1997

General Counsel