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Dear Professor Theoharis:

Thank you for your letter of October 10, 1995. Members of the Board will have an opportunity to see it at the next meeting. I am enclosing the ARRB's most recent news release along with copies of the FBI documents at issue last summer.

The actual copies of the documents may respond to your questions about postponements of informant symbol numbers. The Board decided that the numerical portion of the symbol number would not provide much useful information related to the assassination. The information in brackets was previously redacted, and in some documents entire pages of text, i.e. information provided by the informant has been released by the Board's action.

I am happy to be able to provide you with these documents and to keep you informed of further developments with FBI records as they arise.

Sincerely yours,

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