

Draft Talking Points for Week of June 17 Review
JFK Library and ARRB

I. General Policy Issues for Week of June 17 Review

- A. Cuba declassification review week of June 17
 - a. CIA definite; State probable; DOD pending
 - b. ARRB will send 6 reviewers (2 Monday; 6 Tuesday)
 - c. NSC delegation of declass authority to Archivist (is JFKL prepared to declass?)
 - d. CIA/State will start with NSF; ARRB will identify additional Cuba
- B. ARRB staff searching for additional ARs and EHUs¹
 - a. Rule of thumb: ARRB staff will review only records not open to public
 - b. ARRB is assuming that JFKL has identified ARs in open collections
 - c. Could JFKL send index to Presidential Recordings
- C. ARRB Review Procedures
 - a. Tracking sheet created for each box reviewed
 - b. Tracking sheet records only those files/documents identified for further processing
- D. Handling ARs (previously designated by JFKL)

II. Review of Cuba-Related Files [see Appendix A]

¹AR = assassination record
EHU = enhances historical understanding (record that enhances historical understanding of the assassination)

- A. NSF records for immediate CIA/State declass review
 - B. Other records identified with particularity by ARRB and then given to CIA/State
 - a. Presidential (including NSF, POF, etc.)
 - b. RFK
- III. Non Cuba-related records in Presidential and RFK [see Appendix B]**
- A. JFK Presidential (NSF; POF; WHCF; WHSF; audio recordings)
 - B. RFK (Q: anything on assassination in other RFK papers?)
- IV. Other Collections [see Appendix C]**
- A. Identify universe of possibilities (our original 38)
 - B. Either (whichever is easier on case-by-case basis)
 - a. identify whether collection is closed,² or
 - b. identify whether relevant documents by using finding aids
 - C. For ARs that are national security classified, give to CIA/State
- V. Records designated by JFKL as AR and containing postponements**
- A. National security postponements
 - a. CIA/State equities [on-site review if possible]
 - b. Other security equities

²If collection is open in full, there is no need to conduct an AR search.

- B. Other postponements
 - a. privacy
 - b. Any other?
- C. Establish plan of action for review

VI. Other Issues

- A. Oral histories (both RFK and JFK)
 - a. interview of persons other than RFK
 - b. RFK
- B. Decisions needed by Board
 - a. condolence mail
 - b. EMK mail
 - c. Other
- C. Dave Powers Tapes
- D. Presidential Recordings
 - JFKL please send copy of index

Appendix A
Tentative Identification of Cuba-Related Files in JFK and RFK Collections

To be reviewed initially by CIA/State
NSF Boxes 35-64, 184

To be reviewed initially by ARRB

POF 41
POF 98
POF 114a-115
WHCF 46-52
WHCF 79
WHCF 90
WHCF 92
WHCF 228
WHCF 234
WHCF 237
WHCF 240
WHCF 451
WHCF 452
WHCF 569
WHCF 637
WHCF 638
WHCF 662A
WHCF 667
WHCF 815
WHCF 918
WHCF 924

RFK/AG Cuba 14 (and any other RFK Cuba)

Appendix B
Tentative Identification of Other (non-Cuba) Records in JFK and RFK Collections

NSF 198-202, 204 (Vietnam)
NSF 27-35 (Congo) [1961 and assassination of Lumumba]
NSF 130-138 (Laos)
NSF 236-37 (President's Trip to Mexico)
NSF 242 (Vice President's Trip to South Asia)
NSF 269
NSF 270 (Army--General 1/10/63 - 11/22/63)
NSF 271-272 (CIA)
NSF 274 (DOD General: 7/63-11/63; Gilpatrick speech; McNamara speech)
NSF 276 (DOD JCS vol. 2)
NSF 273-283
NSF 314-317 (NSC and Vietnam) (esp. 315 Cuba)
NSF 319
NSF 320 (Staff Memoranda)
NSF 327 (Staff)
NSF (328-342)
NSF 345 (JCS)
NSF 382 (Brubeck, Congo)
NSF 395 (Dungan, Mexico)
NSF 402-405 (Bundy)
NSF Komer/Saunders 3, 7, 9, 11
NSF PFIAB

POF 33 A (Special Correspondence)
POF 67 A-C (Staff Memoranda) [including Janet Travell]
POF 94 A-D (Departments & Agencies) [including Air Force, Army, CIA, Defense, JCS, Justice, Navy, and State]
POF 110 A (Subjects) [including Civil Rights, and Counterinsurgency]
POF 128 C-D (Countries) [including Congo, Harriman Report, 1960; Congo, Analytical Chronology; Congo, Security, 1961]
POF 128 M (Countries) [including Latin America, and Mexico, Security, 1961-1963]
POF 128 R (Countries) [including USSR, Security, 6/63-11/63]
POF 128 U (Countries) [including Vietnam, Security, 1963]
POF 139 A (White House Signal Agency (microfilm)) [including Mexico City; November, 1963 Receive Logs (Through 221900Z); Roll 27, and Roll 28]

Presidential Recordings (examine index)

Appendix C
Tentative Identification of Other Collections Possibly Containing ARs and EHRs ³

Collection	O/C	P?	C?	ARRB Finding Aid Review	R
Amory					
Ball					
Bruno					
Bundy					
Burke					
Chase					
Chayes					
Cleveland					
Clifford					
Clifton					
Gilpatrick					
Goodwin					
Gordon, L.					
Gordon, K.					
Hilsman					
Huntley					
Kaysen					
Lincoln					
McShane					

³Collection = name of collection

O/C = Collection **O**pen in full/or partially **C**losed

C? = check if contains any Cuba-related material

P = ARRB has permission to review

R = ARRB staff has completed review

Collection	O/C	P?	C?	ARRB Finding Aid Review	R
Manchester					
Markham					
Marshall					
Navasky					
Oberdorfer					
O'Brien					
O'Donnell					
Powers					
Roberts					
Rostow					
Rusk					
Salinger					
Schlesinger					
Schwartz					
Shriver					
Sorenson					
Szulc					
White					
Yarmolinsky					

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Cuba related: Partial list:

Ball (1, 3)

Cleveland (17, 26-27)

Hilsman (1)

Schlesinger WH 5-6, 31-33

Sorenson Papers box 48-49

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