

The term “record of an official investigation” is intended to define the universe of material subject to this joint resolution. It includes records created, obtained, or generated by each of the governmental reviews of the assassination as well as records of agencies supporting those reviews. The term recognizes the discretion that the Review Board must have in determining whether a record is relevant to the assassination, and thus specifically includes the records of any other governmental activity which the Review Board finds relevant to the assassination, such as the investigations of the Dallas Police Department and the District Attorney of Orleans Parish, Louisiana.

Therefore, while the Review Board must include the records of those official investigations that are specifically identified in the Joint Resolution, it may also determine that records not specifically delineated may nevertheless be relevant. It is the Committee’s intent that the Review Board consider any other records brought to its attention by members of the public in making such determinations.