## MILLER INTERVIEW OUTLINE

## Introduction

Background JFK Act

Did you do anything to prepare for this interview today?

Read anything.

Talk to anyone.

Anything that would keep you from answering fully and completely questions related to the assassination.

Ditto for your work while at Justice Department?

Nothing other than A-C privilege.

Will you tell me when you are not providing a full and complete answer to my questions.

Did you ever testify to the HSCA or the Church Committee.

# I. JFK Assassination Issues and Miller Records

Overview: what types of involvements did you have in issues involving the assassination of President Kennedy and any investigations into the assassination.

1963-64

Trip to Dallas

WC liaison

Anything else?

Garrison investigation

Angie Novello

Walter Sheridan and JFK Library

Anything else?

#### Records

"Subpoena"

What was procedure for identifying records

Any you did not make available for any reason?

II. Background

When did you first meet RFK

JFK

Joseph P. Kennedy

Walter Sheridan

Jimmy Hoffa

J. Edgar Hoover

Courtney Evans

Carmine Bellino

Angie Novello

Evelyn Lincoln

Carl Belcher

Anyone on Warren Commission or staff

Howard Willens

J. Lee Rankin

- III. The Department of Justice under Robert F. Kennedy
  - A. When did you learn you would be working for the administration.

Describe circumstances

- B. Organization of the Department
  - a. Criminal Division
  - b. Organized Crime Section
  - c. Get Hoffa Squad
  - d. Do you have any knowledge of anyone at Justice having Confidential Informants?

CI-4.

How were records on informants filed?

- e. Any liaison through Courtney Evans
- f. What contacts did you have with Evans.
- C. While at Justice, did you ever hear of any threats on the life of JFK or RFK?
- D. Did you ever receive advice from AG or the President not to prosecute organized crime figures?
- E. Walter Sheridan

- a. Did he report to RFK through Miller, or did he report directly to RFK.
- b. Describe your relationship with Walter Sheridan while you were working at the Department of Justice.
- F. Department of Justice Knowledge of assassination attempts against Castro
  - 1. Balletti case

When did you first hear the name Arthur J. Balletti When did you first learn that CIA was involved in attempts to assassinate Fidel Castro?

2. Church Committee

Were you interviewed by Church Committee

3. Others in the Department of Justice

## IV. Post-assassination period

A. Describe circumstances of when you heard about assassination.

With whom did you speak.

**RFK** 

B. Miller's role as the head of the Criminal Division in the assassination investigation.

What were your responsibilities.

What were Criminal Division's responsibilities.

- a. his trip to Dallas
  - i. cooperation/non-cooperation of other government agencies in Dallas (FBI, Dallas Police, Secret Service, U.S. Attorney). Do you have any notes from this trip?
  - ii. Go through documents.Authenticate documents.Where are originals?
- b. Miller's role as liaison to the Warren Commission Communications with members or staff?

- c. Was an under the table, RFK directed, private investigation of the assassination conducted by you, or anyone in the immediate wake of the assassination?
- d. Katzenbach. What role did he play.
- e. Relationship with FBI/HQ in the immediate aftermath of the assassination.
  - i. decision not to release the December 9, 1963 FBI report of its assassination investigation.
  - ii. Courtney Evans, Howard Willens
- f. Did you ever hear evidence that would support a case of conspiracy in the assassination?
- g. Anything that would suggest that the FBI conducted less than a thorough investigation.
- h. Any plausible evidence that WC did less than a thorough job?
- i. Who was CI-4? Were there other CIs? What did they report on.

Authenticate records.

Where are the originals.

What was done about the reports.

Deliver original to the National Archives?

V. Discussions about the assassination.

Ever talk RFK about the assassination.

Earl Warren.

Kennedy administration officials.

JFK autopsy materials.

Discussion of conspiracy v. lone gunman.

VI. Garrison case, prosecution of Walter Sheridan.

Report from NYT of NBC passing on to the Department of Justice information of the true identity of "Clay Bertrand."

Why did Sheridan want to talk to CIA.

Why did you volunteer to talk to CIA.

What did you talk to CIA about?

What was your interest in Gordon Duane Novel.

# VII. Angie Novello/HSCA

Do you remember speaking to HSCA staffer Andy Purdy about autopsy materials.

What else did you do. (Did you ever speak about it to:)

Carl Belcher?

RFK?

Burke Marshall?

Evelyn Lincoln?

# VIII. Walter Sheridan and the JFK Library.

What discussions, if any, did you have with the JFK Library about Walter Sheridan papers. Other than with Mrs. Sheridan, with whom have you discussed the issue.

Describe your relationship with Walter Sheridan after you left the Department of Justice.

IX. Any other involvements that you have had with issues related to the assassination.

Any other records?

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