

Assassination Records Review Board

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Dear Interested Parties:

As you are probably aware, the Assassination Records Review Board is in full operation and is releasing records relevant to the assassination of President John F. Kennedy which the American public has never seen before. I would like to take this opportunity to review for you the progress which the Board has made to date.

First, on July 21, 1995, the Review Board sent to the National Archives (16) CIA documents which the Board voted to open in full. These documents were previously available to the public, but contained many redactions. The Board voted unanimously to open up all (105) redactions which were contained in these (16) documents. The documents relate to Oswald's trip to Mexico City in the fall of 1963, only weeks before the assassination, and the opening of Oswalds "201 file."

Second, on July 31, 1995, the President was notified that the Review Board had voted unanimously to open in full (16) FBI documents and (2) CIA documents which are related to Oswald's trip to Mexico City. These documents contain (81) redactions which the Board voted to open.

Third, on August 10, 1995, the Review Board notified the President that they had made formal determinations on (38) CIA documents

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