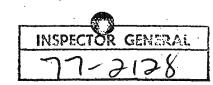
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MEMORANDUM FOR: Acting Deputy Director for Operations

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FROM

John H. Waller

Inspector General

SUBJECT

Book V, SSC Final Report, <u>The Investigation of the Assassination of President Kennedy: Performance of the Intelligence Agencies -- Commendation</u>

from Acting Deputy Director of Central

Intelligence

- 1. Forwarded herewith is a copy of a memorandum from the Acting Deputy Director of Central Intelligence commending the members of the task force that engaged in the preparation of comments on the referenced SSC report. You will note that the ADDCI has requested that a copy of the letter of appreciation and commendation be brought to the attention of each member who participated in the work of the task force.
- 2. Those persons in your Directorate who participated in this effort are listed below:

William C. Sturbitts Christine Hopkins Jane Zerance

Robert Wall Jack Friedlander Russell Holmes

3. Special commendation should be given to Ms. Christine Hopkins of LA Division and Mr. Russell Holmes of CI Staff, whose intensive individual efforts, in addition to their research, provided the basis for the major portions of the final report. Special credit is due their continued efforts and high professional standards in this demanding undertaking.

(signed)
John H. Waller

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