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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Central Intelligence  
VIA : Deputy Director for Plans  
SUBJECT : Letter for Director from Sir Charles Spry (ASIO)

1. Attached is a sealed letter from Sir Charles Spry, Director General of the Australian Security Intelligence Organization (who provided a copy of the letter to the Chief of Station, Melbourne), and a suggested reply for your signature.

2. Sir Charles' letter to you recommends against declassification of the Warren Commission document CD-371, which refers to our investigation of anonymous telephone calls to the Canberra Embassy before and after the assassination of President Kennedy.

3. I consider the points made by Sir Charles in his letter to be valid and accordingly recommend against the declassification of CD-371 in the foreseeable future. CI Staff concurs with this recommendation.

William K. Nelson  
Chief, Far East Division

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Attachments, 5

- A. Letter from Sir Charles Spry
- B. Letter Replying to Sir Charles Spry
- C. ~~FRM~~ 3806, subject: Declassification of Warren Commission Document CD-371
- D. Copy of CD-371
- E. ~~FRM~~ 3836, subject: Request for Release of Warren Commission Document

cc: DDCI

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