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1. (Unclassified - ME) FOIA/PA As promised, I called and advised Mr. Peter Savrianos, in the office of Senator James Abourezk (D., S. D.), that the material requested by [redacted] was mailed out on 15 November 1977. He thanked me for the information.

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2. (Unclassified - KSN) LIAISON Mr. Morrison, on the staff of the House Select Committee on Assassinations, called and informed me that the Committee had two FBI background investigation packages for [redacted] to pick up. I passed the message to [redacted]

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3. (Unclassified - RSG) LIAISON Talked with Dr. Neal, Office of the Archivist of the United States, in response to the Archivist's letter of 18 November 1977 which questioned whether the CIA wished to review documents in the possession of the Archivist prior to release of these documents to the House Select Committee on Assassinations. These documents were Rockefeller Commission material, all of which were originally generated by the White House and all of which have former President Gerald Ford's authorization to release the documents to the Committee. I indicated to Dr. Neal we had no concern at this point to intercede and suggested that the documents be made available directly to the Committee. I thanked him for alerting us to these materials and also indicated that I would be in touch with Trudy Peterson, also of the Office of the Archivist of the United States, next week to begin review of Warren Commission files generated by CIA in preparation for release to the Select Committee.

4. (Unclassified - RJK) LIAISON Talked with Col. Steve Harrick, OSD Legislative Affairs, concerning compartmented clearances for personal staffers. I went over the list of personal staffers now holding compartmented clearances and Col. Harrick believes that all should be deleted. He added that the Secretary of Defense couldn't do this on his own and would look to the DCI to carry out the policy.

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