Select Committee on Assassinations
U.S. House of Representatives
2211 House Office Building, Annex 2
Washington, D.C. 20515

March 2, 1978

Mr. Patrick Carpentier
Office of the Legislative Counsel
Central Intelligence Agency
Washington, D.C. 20505

Dear Mr. Carpentier:

In connection with its investigation into the circumstances surrounding the death of President Kennedy, the Select Committee on Assassinations requests access to all files and index references pertaining to the following individuals:

1) MAURICE BISHOP, aka JOHN BISHOP, JIM BISHOP, and FNU FIRGAULT. This name is most likely an alias and this individual's true name is not known to the Committee. Bishop was working in anti-Castro operations in the early 1960s. He was also allegedly involved in a plot to assassinate Fidel Castro in Chile in 1971 with Antonio Veciana and Luis Posada.

2) WIROGUE - CIA agent involved in the ZRRIFLE program.

Further identifying information on the following individuals will be given orally, pursuant to an agreement between Bob Genzman of our staff and Roger Gabrielson of your staff.

3) GEORGE BREEN
4) 
5) WILLIAM V. BROE
6) JIM DELANEY
7) JERRY FOX
8) 
9) CHESTER ITZ
10) ELWOOD D. (PETE) MARTIN

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Whether or not any of the individuals listed below had any relationship with the CIA, they may believe that actions they have taken were at the direction of responsible persons in the Central Intelligence Agency. Accordingly, in order for the Select Committee to obtain truthful statements and ultimately testimony from these individuals, it would be most useful for the Committee to have a letter from your office releasing these persons of any obligations of secrecy they may have made to the CIA, or to anyone whom these individuals may believe was affiliated with the CIA.

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Finally, this letter serves as written confirmation of an oral request by staff researcher Dan Hardway for:

1) Originals of any existing surveillance production and logs of any operations directed at the Soviet and Cuban Embassies for the period of 9/26/63 to 10/3/63, in Mexico City.

2) Any 201 files pertaining to FNU Nunez Portuondo.

Thank you for your continued cooperation.

Sincerely,

G. Robert Blakey
Chief Counsel and Director

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