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*SUBJECT: <ASSASSINATION>RECORD REVIEW BOARD (ARRB) MEETINGS WITH BKGB.

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TEXT:

1. ACTION REQUIRED: PLEASE SEE BELOW.

2. REF WAS REVIEWED BY CE/LEGAL AND DISCUSSED WITH OGC/LITIGATION STAFF. BASED UPON THIS REVIEW, STATION MAY AGAIN FACILITATE A MEETING BETWEEN THE BKGB AND THE <ASSASSINATION>RECORD REVIEW BOARD (ARRB) WHO IS LOOKING INTO THE <ASSASSINATION>OF PRESIDENT <JOHN>F. <KENNEDY>, AND THE TIME <LEE HARVEY OSWALD> SPENT IN MINSK. HOWEVER, STATION SHOULD NOT PARTICIPATE IN MEETINGS OR ANY SUBSTANTIVE DISCUSSIONS. THIS IS CONSISTENT WITH WHAT HAS BEEN DONE IN THE PAST AND IS CONSISTENT WITH OUR ROLE IN THIS MATTER.

3. ACCORDING TO REF, ARRB MEMBERS MET WITH THE FOLLOWING BKGB OFFICIALS IN OCTOBER 1996. TRACES, PER REF REQUEST, ALSO FOLLOW:

A. ALEKSANDR ((ABLAMEIKA)), PUBLIC RELATIONS DEPARTMENT, BKGB: ALEKSANDR VIKTOROVICH ((ABLAMEYKO)) (201-1479298), BORN 31 AUG 1961, MINSK, TRANSLATOR/REFERENT, BKGB.

B. GENNADIY ((NARKEVICH)), A DEPUTY CHAIRMAN, BKGB: AGREE WITH REF THAT THIS IS PROBABLY GENNADIY SEMYNOVICH ((NARKOVICH)), VARIANT NARKEVICH (201-1482358) WHO HAS SERVED AS CHIEF OF THE USA DEPARTMENT AND CHIEF OF THE KGB SECTION FOR MOGILEV REGION. FYI, WE FOUND TWO OTHER BELARUSSIANS NAMED GENNADIY NARKEVICH (OR VARIATIONS THERE OF). THE ARE:

(1) GENNADIY V. ((NARKOVICH)) VARIATION ((NARKEVICH)), EXPORT CONTROL OFFICIAL AND DEPUTY CHAIRMAN OF THE

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STATE COMMITTEE FOR FOREIGN ECONOMIC RELATIONS (SCFER) (DOI: 1993-94).

(2) GENNADIY VIKENTOVICH ((NARKEVICH)) VARIATION ((NARKEWICZ)), BORN 3 JAN 1938, COUNSELOR BELARUSSIAN EMBASSY, WARSAW (DOI: 1996).

C. LEV ((PIMENAU)), HEAD OF SECTION (NFI), BKGB: NO IDENTIFIABLE TRACES.

D. ALEKSANDR ((VERAS)), HEAD OF SECTION (NFI), BKGB: NO IDENTIFIABLE TRACES.

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