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GPO PROVIDES DIGITAL ACCESS TO WARREN COMMISSION REPORT AND HEARING VOLUMES

WASHINGTON – In commemoration of the 50th anniversary of the release of the Warren Commission Report, the U.S. Government Printing Office (GPO) makes the complete report and 26 hearing volumes available on GPO's Federal Digital System (FDsys). The Commission was created by President Lyndon Johnson and chaired by Chief Justice Earl Warren to investigate President Kennedy's assassination. GPO worked with Boston Public Library to digitize the 26 hearing volumes after digitizing the Warren Commission Report last year. Now the complete, official Warren Commission Report and hearing volumes are digitally available through GPO.

Link to complete Warren Commission Report: <http://www.gpo.gov/featured/WarrenCommission.htm>

Link to historic video of GPO's production of the Warren Commission Report:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jzyJyWBqd9E&list=UUR4mVtuCP3AJWgSofFCydg>

GPO produced the Warren Commission Report and 26 hearing volumes in 1964. Altogether, GPO's work for the Commission resulted in nearly 235,000 copies of the report and nearly 5,600 sets of the hearings. All of these materials were made available to the public through distribution to Federal depository libraries nationwide and sales via GPO's bookstores.

"GPO is committed to digitization efforts and providing future generations of Americans with digital access to historical content," Public Printer Davita Vance-Cooks. "I thank Boston Public Library for collaborating with GPO to digitize the hearing volumes. This digitization effort reflects GPO's digital transformation from printing the report 50 years ago to making digitally available today."

The post President Kennedy assassination audio tape recordings of conversations between various individuals in Washington, DC and Air Force One pilots and officials on board during the flight from Dallas to Andrews Air Force Base are also available on FDsys.

Link to post assassination audio tape recordings: <http://www.gpo.gov/featured/Kennedy.htm>

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