Ruby Says It for the Record –
Denies Plot on Disc Out Today

In a recording taken secretly at the hospital where he lies gravely ill of cancer, Jack Ruby again asserts there was no conspiracy involved in his killing of Lee Harvey Oswald.

According to Elmer Gertz, one of Ruby's lawyers, the ailing Ruby's denial takes up three minutes of a 46-minute Capital LP record called “The Assassination.”

The record, to be played publicly today at a news conference, also has the voices of Oswald, named by the Warren Commission as President Kennedy's assassin, the late President, Texas Gov. Connally and members of the Dallas police force.

Profits from the sale of the record will go to the Kennedy Library in Cambridge, Mass., Gertz said.

Recorder Smuggled In

The lawyer disclosed that a Capital representative approached Ruby's relatives two weeks ago with the idea of making the recording as a contribution to history.

When Ruby himself agreed to the plan, his brother, Earl, smuggled an inconspicuous recorder into Parkland Memorial Hospital in Dallas and the dying man dictated his statement.

Gertz says Ruby denies on the record that he ever knew Oswald and contends the killing is a blank in his mind. On Dec. 19, Ruby was reported by the Associated Press as asking that he be given a final lie detector test to convince the nation he was not involved in any conspiracy.

Meanwhile, in its Jan. 14 issue, being distributed today, the Saturday Evening Post editorially calls for a new inquiry and “meticulous re-examination” of the findings of the Warren Commission.

The same issue carries an article by Richard J. Whalen proposing that President Johnson appoint either a special joint committee of Congress or a citizens' group to look into the assassination of President Kennedy. Whalen, author of "The Founding Father: The Story of Joseph P. Kennedy," says evidence supports the theory of a second assassin.

The Post is the second mass circulation magazine to ask such a review. Life magazine called for a new official inquiry last November.