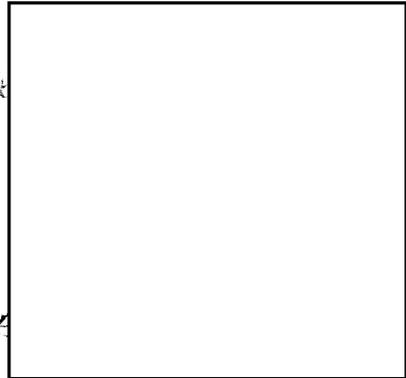


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Major General Donald N. Yates  
Deputy Director of Defense Research  
and Engineering (Ranges and Space  
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Washington 25, D. C.

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Dear General Yates:

I want to let you know how much I enjoyed my visit at the Cape last Thursday and seeing you also at that time. It was indeed a great experience for me and I sincerely appreciate the many courtesies that you extended including the air transportation to and from Palm Beach. Please pass along my appreciation to Colonel Kruhauer for the splendid assistance that he rendered on this visit.

As Commander of the Air Force Missile Test Center, you played a major role and made significant contributions in the development of activities vital to our nation's defense. On the occasion of your transfer, I would like to extend my best wishes for the continuing success of your work in the years ahead. I hope to see you before very long and our Agency is ready to assist you in any way possible.

With kindest personal regards.

Sincerely,

SIGNED

Allen W. Dulles  
Director

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