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3 August 1955

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Lt. General Charles P. Cabell
Deputy Director
Central Intelligence Agency
2430 "E" Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C.

Dear Charlie:

As a result of my conversation yesterday with Mr. Baird, I transmitted the enclosed letter to [redacted]. It is self-explanatory. Before putting it in the mail, I checked it over the telephone with Mr. Baird who said he thought it was excellent. In order that he may have exactly what was sent out, would you please turn the enclosed copy over to Mr. Baird for whatever use it may be to him.

I have alerted the Chief of Naval Personnel and as soon as I hear from [redacted] about his preference as to date, we will be ready to handle the matter of orders to [redacted] and his prospective relief. Both Mr. Baird and Mr. [redacted] are cognizant of this.

Sincerely,

[Signature]
B. DUNCAN
Admiral, U.S. Navy

Encl.

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Remarks: *Keep the enclosure but return covering letter to me + I'll answer.*
CPC