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The Honorable Donald W. Alexander
Administrator, Maritime Administration
U. S. Department of Commerce
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Mr. Alexander:

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Faithfully yours,

(signed) Marshall S. Carter

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Marshall S. Carter
Lieutenant General, USA
Acting Director

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WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

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OFFICE OF THE ADMINISTRATOR

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Mr. John A. McCone
Director, Central Intelligence Agency
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Dear Mr. McCone:

Subject: U. S. Government shipments by foreign flag
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Your cooperation in this matter will be appreciated.

Sincerely yours,

James W. Alexander
Maritime Administrator

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Will Mr. McCone wish to sign the letter? _____
Or, would you x wish to sign as Deputy Director? _____ ✓

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