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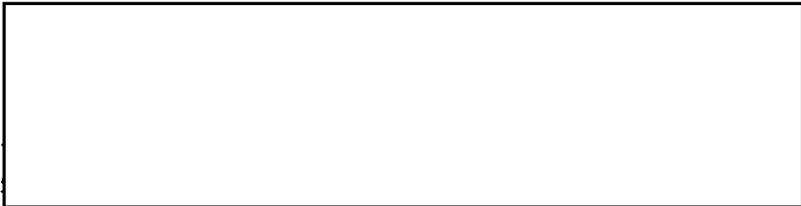
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LOS ANGELES 53, CALIFORNIA

HAROLD QUINTON
CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD

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Mr. John A. McCone



Dear John:

I endeavored to reach you on the telephone during your brief trip through Los Angeles last weekend, but was operating from a duck club in the North and was unsuccessful.

The immediate purpose of my call was to inquire concerning the prospect of your membership on the Edison Board in the light of your more recent undertaking. Frank and Asa have told me of the submission of your resignation from their respective Boards, and I therefore assume under the circumstances that we would experience the same character of misfortune.

We should probably do something to fill our vacancy soon as I do not like to have an officer serve in a temporary capacity more than a few months which is the present situation, as I believe I advised you.

With best regards.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Harold".

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