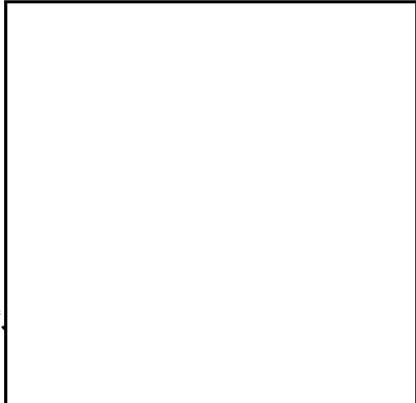


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Honorable H. Alexander Smith



Dear Alex:

When you were in to see me last week, you gave me  curriculum vitae and you mentioned that he is interested in working in the field of intelligence.

I have been advised by our Personnel people that he did apply for a position here and that his application was made available to the various offices which might use someone with his background and experience. We also explored the possibilities of using him as a consultant or on a contract basis, but we have been unable to find any position for which he might be considered. However, I am appreciative of your thoughtfulness in bringing his name to my attention.

It was certainly good seeing you and I hope that it will not be too long before we can get together again.

With kindest personal regards.

Sincerely,

**SIGNED**

Allen W. Dulles  
Director

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