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THE SECRETARY OF DEFENSE  
WASHINGTON

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Dear Mr. Dulles:

Enclosed herewith for your information are copies of a plan for the conduct of exercises to test the Department of Defense emergency plans.

I shall keep you advised of the month and the designated commander of the unified or specified command who will initiate each Command Post Exercise.

Sincerely yours,

*Thomas Gates*  
Thomas Gates  
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Enclosure

Honorable Allen W. Dulles  
Director  
Central Intelligence Agency

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MEMORANDUM FOR: Mr. Dulles

A copy of Mr. Gates' letter and copies of the emergency plans have already been sent to DD/S for necessary action.

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