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The Honorable C. S. Thomas
Secretary of the Navy
Department of the Navy
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Mr. Thomas:

With reference to your letter of 24 January 1955 inviting the Central Intelligence Agency to nominate one officer for the 1955-56 class of the United States Naval War College, I am pleased to nominate [redacted] OS-13, a career officer of this Agency. Confirming my earlier response of 11 February 1955, [redacted] will attend the second year program.

Mr. [redacted] has been cleared to receive Top Secret information. Steps are being taken to obtain a Q clearance for Mr. [redacted] entitling him to participate in discussions of restricted data. He has earned both a Bachelor's and a Master's degree and has been associated with this Agency for over seven years. He has been selected because of superior performance in his recent assignments, and I am sure that attendance at the college will be beneficial to all concerned.

Sincerely,

C. P. Cabell
Lieutenant General, USAF
Acting Director

OTR [redacted] (15 Mar 55)

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Originator: [redacted]
Coordinator of Defense Training Programs

Concur: [redacted]
Director of Training

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Retyped in OP, 1 Apr, to change sig. element only, as shown abv. (Mailed 1 Apr 55. Km)

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