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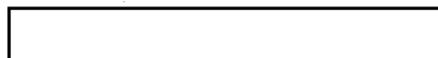
Dear Admiral Hillenkoetter,

Thank you very much for your kind letter of the 17th instant in which you enclosed a Form 57. I have completed this Form and I am enclosing it with this letter.

Concerning several of the questions in Form 57 I have found that my history is such that some of the queries are not applicable or are worded so that I should have difficulty answering them briefly as intended. This is especially true regarding Question, 17 pertaining to Military Experience as I served throughout the war with the R.C.A.F. I have therefore supplemented Form, 57 with the pertinent details of my record, listing this information under the appropriate question number and sub-section. I trust that this will be satisfactory.

It is my most sincere hope that my experience and qualifications will measure up to the high standards which I am sure the Central Intelligence Agency demands of those wishing to enter this service as novitates and who hope to make this work a career and yet be of useful service.

Yours faithfully,



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