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Dear

Thank you for your letter of December 15 concerning Thomas Braden's article which deals with the events and personalities that led to the creation of the CIA. Frankly, I was a little surprised by your request to review the article as George Bush has had the opportunity to do so at an earlier date and made no comment concerning it. In any event, I am forwarding your request to Alvin M. Josephy, Jr., Editor of AMERICAN HERITAGE magazine, requesting that he follow up on it.

Sincerely yours,

Samuel P. Reed

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cc: Mr. Alvin M. Josephy, Jr.

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