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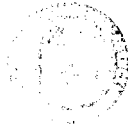
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The Director

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Dear Bill:

I am looking forward to your participation in our evening discussion on Egypt on Thursday, 24 January 1980. Our subject is "The Stability of Egypt at Peace." It will hardly require any justification to you. I do hope, though, that we shall be able to generate a searching discussion aimed at problems and prospects that might escape our attention if a more stressful situation in Egypt impelled us to focus our discussion more sharply. We shall be joined by Professor Richard Mitchell of Michigan and, I hope, by Herman Eilts, who is now affiliated with Boston University. I am asking you, as I am asking them, to prepare a brief, approximately fifteen minute, introductory statement on your own assessment of our subject. Thereafter, we shall have, I trust, a lively free discussion.

Our plan for the evening is as follows: The company will assemble in my conference room in the CIA Headquarters Building in Langley between 5:30 and 6:00. Refreshments will be served. Our discussion will begin at 6:00 and continue until 8:30 or so. Dinner will be served at the conference table at 7:00. The company will be small. In addition to our experts from outside the Government, I am inviting the appropriate senior officials from State, Defense, and the NSC Staff. The remainder of the guests, for a total of fourteen or fifteen, will be from the Agency.

I have asked [redacted] of my Academic Relations Staff to complete the arrangements for the evening. Please call them if you require further information or any assistance. Their telephone number is [redacted]

Yours,

S/Stan

STANSFIELD TURNER

Dr. William B. Quandt  
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Letter to Dr. William B. Quandt

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4 JAN 1980

Dear Professor Mitchell:

I am looking forward to your participation in our evening discussion on Egypt on Thursday, 24 January 1980. Our subject is, "The Stability of Egypt at Peace." I am keenly anticipating the opportunity to explore Egypt's problems and prospects, probably more comprehensively than we could do if that country were currently involved in a more stressful situation. We shall be joined by William B. Quandt, formerly of the NSC Staff, who is now at Brookings. I hope we shall also have Ambassador Herman Eilts, who is at Boston University but moving around on his research so actively that we have been unable to reach him by phone.

Our plan for the evening is as follows: The company will assemble in my conference room in the CIA Headquarters Building in Langley between 5:30 and 6:00. Refreshments will be served. Our discussion will begin at 6:00 and continue until 8:30 or so. Dinner will be served at the conference table at 7:00. The company will be small, with our three outside experts (if we succeed in recruiting Eilts), probably one guest each from State, Defense, and the NSC Staff, and Agency officers and analysts, for a total of about fifteen. May I ask you to prepare a brief, approximately fifteen minute, introductory statement on your assessment of Egypt's problems and prospects. I am asking each of our outside authorities for such a statement and I trust that the effect will be not only to instruct us but also to kick off a lively discussion during the remainder of the evening.

STAT I have asked [redacted] of my Academic Relations Staff to complete the arrangements for the evening. Please call them if you require further information or any assistance. Their telephone number is [redacted] STAT  
[redacted] I should add that the Agency will reimburse you for your travel and for your per diem expenses to the extent that the law allows.

Yours sincerely,

*S/Stan*

STANSFIELD TURNER

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**Remarks:** For DCI signature. Letters to the outside experts on Egypt for our Discussion/Dinner, 24 Jan.

For our other-agency guests Bob Ames suggests Bob Hunter from NSC, Hal Saunders or Mike Sterner from State, and Bob Murray from DoD/ISA.

John Stein nominates Bob Ames as DDO rep, as he says he has no one else both qualified and available on Egypt. Other Agency: [Redacted] (vice Helene Boatner, who, with Bruce Clarke and Dick Lehman, will be [Redacted]), John Helgerson, [Redacted]

*Jim*

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