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June 20, 1951

Dear Colonel Collins:

Thank you for your letter of June 18, and the papers that came with it. I need not tell you that they interest me a great deal, and that I am very glad that there may be an occasion for me to help you in the work of the AFSA.

Sincerely yours,



John von Neumann

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Colonel S. P. Collins, Acting Director  
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18 JUN 1951

Professor John von Neumann  
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Dear Professor von Neumann:

I am enclosing herewith, in accordance with a request of Dr. Campaigne of this Agency, certain publications which may be of use to you. Inasmuch as these publications are not distributed outside the Agency except under circumstances such as the present one, I shall have to ask that you restrict their use in accordance with the security regulations applicable to SCAG. Will you be so good as to sign the enclosed receipt and return it to me at your earliest convenience?

May I take this opportunity to thank you for your attendance at the first SCAG Conference, and for the visit which you recently made to this Agency. I am certain that SCAG will be able to contribute much to the solution of certain problems confronting us, and your interest is particularly gratifying. We shall look forward to seeing you, if your schedule permits, at the next meeting of SCAG on 10 July.

Sincerely yours,

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