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Dear Tom:

I must apologize for having overlooked the distribution of the Atlas of Soviet Administrative Maps to your university library. I suppose that we were not too well informed of your program on Russia and Eastern Europe. Your letter informing me of some of the details of your work and that of Professor Beckus is especially welcome, as we can now include you in the distribution of any other items which are occasionally sent to universities and libraries active in Russian studies.

A copy of the Atlas of Soviet Administrative Maps is being sent to Mr. Robert Vosper today. In addition, I am investigating the distribution of other unclassified reports to your library in view of your program and interest in these materials.

If you develop any outstanding students from your Russian studies program who would be interested in research work with us, we would be quite interested in knowing about them. We do not have an abundance of vacancies, but are quite anxious to fill the few that do occur from time to time with highly qualified individuals.

If there are other ways in which we can be of assistance to you, please let me know. Best wishes to you and your family.

Sincerely,

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