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Mr. Carlton C. Massey
County Executive
Fairfax, Virginia

Dear Mr. Massey:

There appear to be more and more pressures or requests for re-zoning of the Langley area in order to accommodate various facilities and enterprises. It is my understanding that in some of these requests there have been statements or implications to the effect that the Agency is interested in having the area re-zoned.

Five years ago when the selection of a site for the Central Intelligence Agency headquarters building was being considered by appropriate Federal and county officials, the importance of maintaining the character of the Langley, Virginia, area was emphasized by all concerned. This letter is to confirm the fact that our position in this matter is unchanged and to state that we continue to endorse the policy of maintaining, to the maximum extent possible, the residential character of the community.

Sincerely,

SIGNED

Allen W. Dulles
Director

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Mr. Walter J. Minton
G. P. Putnam's Sons
210 Madison Avenue
New York 16, New York

Dear Mr. Minton:

Your kind letter of September 15, came to my office during a brief visit abroad, which accounts for the delay in answering. I appreciate your thought about an autobiography. I have had a number of inquiries from various sources on this subject, but at the moment, as I am not in a position to do any outside writing, I have really put aside all thoughts of an autobiography to a later date. Nonetheless, I am flattered that you have expressed an interest.

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Harold Nicolson and I were more or less opposite numbers at the [redacted] and I recall the reference in his book "Peacemaking" to which you refer. I am also, of course, familiar with the Harkness articles in the Saturday Evening Post.

Faithfully yours,

SIGNED

Allen W. Dulles
Director

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