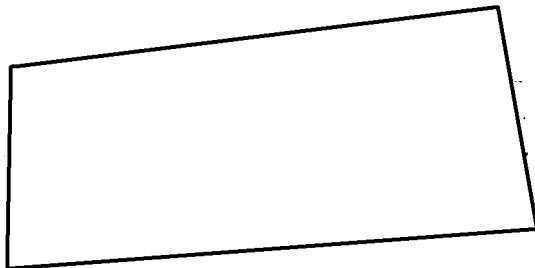


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Dear Mr. Chairman:

I am in receipt of your kind letter of 29 November 1949, and am most pleased to know that our material was of assistance to your Committee.

I am passing your commendation on to the people who were responsible for the preparation of this material, and am also making it a part of their official records here.

Upon the Committee's return from Europe, several members of my staff had a lengthy session with Mr. Thomas A. Kennedy of your staff who had accompanied the Committee to Europe. We were most anxious to receive from him such information as might be useful in our work here, and his kindness and helpfulness in this connection were extremely valuable to those who were present at the debriefing.

Please feel free to call upon me for any assistance which I can render to your Committee. I hope that during the coming Session I may have the privilege of appearing before your Committee again, in order that you all may be cognizant of the continued activities of this Agency.

With kindest regards, and best wishes for the Christmas season and the New Year, I am

Sincerely, MOR/CDF Page 1

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