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NOTE FOR: Mr. Chuck Wilson
Chief, Public Affairs Division, OEA


This note asks for some of your gracious assistance.

The DDCI received the attached letter recently. He does not plan to respond himself.

I spoke with the author of the letter on 13 April to let him know that his missive was received and that a response from Public Affairs would be forthcoming in the next few days, although our response would not exactly be one of "cooperating" with him.

Please respond to the author, if you would, with your customary grace and honesty. My sense (from the DDCI) is that we could fairly send the author a copy of the report entitled "Soviet Acquisition of Western Technology," a copy of the DDCI's personal views given at the AAAS meeting in January, and anything else you might consider useful. I think it would be helpful to the author if your letter cited the fact that there is a great deal of relevant information already out in the public domain -- which he doesn't need our help in finding or acquiring.

If I may help you more, please let me know. I would appreciate receiving a copy in due course of your response.



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