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Lieutenant General A. J. Goodpaster, Jr., USA Director, Joint Staff Joint Chiefs of Staff Washington, D. C. 20301

Dear Andy:

The Central Intelligence Agency regularly conducts a Midcareer Executive Development Course for selected officers with the potential to advance to positions of senior responsibility. We would like very much to include in future courses a presentation covering the military capabilities of the United States to counter the Sino-Soviet threat.

The Training Officer in charge of the Midcareer Course, Mr.

has discussed this matter with Colonel Edward Ramsey,
USA, of the Short Range Branch, Strategic Plans and Policy Division, J-5,
Joint Chiefs of Staff. It is Colonel Ramsey's opinion that the desired
presentation can be provided once a formal requirement has been received.

In view of the above, I request that you authorize the presentation of a briefing on U. S. Military Capabilities to our Midcarecrists.

s prepared to discuss details of time and place with Colonel
Ramsey or whomever you may designate.

Sincerely,

L. K. White
Executive Director

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