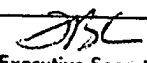


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February 7, 1984

Hon. Allan MacEachen
Deputy Prime Minister and
Secretary of State for External
Affairs,
House of Commons,
Ottawa, Ontario.
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Dear Minister,

We are submitting this Brief to you as it brings to light documents previously unpublicized in Canada which were released under the American Freedom of Information Act and, when read in conjunction with taped interviews available in the Canadian National Archives, reveal a very disturbing situation. They concern the mind control experiments at McGill University in the 1950's and the far more extensive involvement of Canadian psychiatrists and psychologists than has been revealed to date.

We are aware that the Canadian government is concerned about this matter because of your statement that you are considering a suit against the U.S. Government at the International Court in The Hague. However, the concern expressed in the attached Brief is that the true perpetrators of these inhuman acts have not fully been exposed nor their true intentions made known to the Canadian public.

These acts were done at the hands of psychiatrists and psychologists, yet the blame for these deeds has been shifted and laid at the feet of government, thus creating friction between two friendly nations.

We respectfully submit that all Canadians are concerned about the degrading and dehumanizing experiments that have been carried on in these psychiatric 'mind control' experiments. Legislation is needed to ensure that this

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never happens again and that Canadians will be protected against such brutal experiments as guaranteed under section 7 of the Charter of Rights and Freedoms.

We additionally ask that this matter be referred to the House of Commons Standing Committee on Justice and Legal Affairs, or whatever Committee Parliament deems appropriate, for public hearings to be held across Canada to determine the full extent of these psychiatric mind control experiments which went on in Canada, the degree to which different psychiatrists and psychologists were involved, what professional associations sought funding for these experiments, how many Canadians were affected to date and, most importantly, to what extent present psychiatric and psychological testing and techniques carry on with these earlier experiments to this day.

Guarantees are sought to ensure that such experiments are not still going on and money is not being funneled into research programs that would further debase Canadian citizens.

We believe that the interest of all Canadians and the fundamentals of justice would be well served both by legislative guarantees and a full public inquiry. Canadians would feel more secure in the knowledge that such acts are no longer occurring today, nor will they in the future, even under the guise of "treatment".

We are planning to release this Brief to the media on February 8th but we are submitting this to you a day early in order to afford you an opportunity to study the Brief and make comments when asked.

Yours faithfully,



Caroline Charbonneau
President,
Church of Scientology of Toronto

cc: Hon. Mark MacGuigan, Minister of Justice
cc: Director of the United States Central Intelligence Agency,
Washington, D.C.