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TO:
Public Affairs Office

I'd like to turn this over to you. I have done some preliminary work. Mr. Gates has accepted (verbally) to speak to this group. We have changed the speaking time to Friday, 14 October (0800 - 0915). Have also mailed them a bio.

I informed the POC (Iris Whiting on 326-6495) that someone from our Public Affairs Office would be calling.

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-- I did not speak to the substantive issue that Bob raised. Have left the hard things for you to do.

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Thanks

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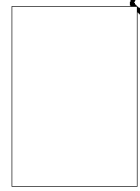
Program on Science, Arms Control & National Security

June 14, 1988

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I will do - but can't
talk directly about US-SSR
developments in
US-SSR and implications for US.

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Mr. Robert Gates
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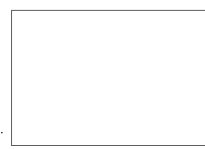
Dear Mr. Gates:

On behalf of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, I am pleased to invite you to address our third annual Colloquium on Science, Arms Control, and National Security to be held October 13-14 at the Capital Hilton Hotel in Washington, D.C. The program is titled, "Science and Security: Issues of Technology and Arms Control for the 1990s."

Specifically, I am inviting you to deliver a major address, "The Future of U.S.-Soviet Relations." This will be a luncheon address on Thursday, October 13 (12:30-2:00 p.m.). Your remarks should run about 30-45 minutes and will be followed by a brief period for audience questions.

In its first two years, the Colloquium has established itself as a major event in the scientific and defense policy communities. Some 400 top scientists, government policymakers, business leaders, educators, and interested citizens have come to each day-and-a-half meeting to examine pressing issues at the intersection of science/technology and arms control/national security policy. The conference has successfully offered a range of expert analysis and opinion, including key Administration officials, such as Presidential Arms Control Advisor, Paul Nitze; SDIO Director, Lt. Gen. James Abrahamson; ACDA Director, Kenneth Adelman; and Science Advisor, William Graham, and other experts such as Les Aspin; Brent Scowcroft; William Perry; and Albert Carnesale. As a result, it has provided a broad and balanced examination of complex arms control and national security issues.

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Mr. Gates
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The Colloquium on Science, Arms Control, and National Security is a significant event for those interested in the interplay of science and arms control/national security policy. The size (some 400 can be expected for your address) and quality of our audience and excellent media coverage should combine to provide you with an unusually effective platform to present your views on this timely and important topic.

I do hope your schedule will permit you to join us for this important meeting. On my behalf, a member of my staff will be calling you in the next few days to discuss the Colloquium further and to check on your availability in October.

Sincerely,



W. Thomas Wander
Program Head

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