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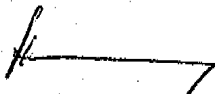
Dear Dick:

I want to thank you for your new series of reports, which you say will be emphasizing Indochina. This could hardly be more timely, coming just as the President has instituted a major new effort on both the domestic and foreign fronts against the drug problem. Your reporting on this problem is already something on which we are relying heavily, and this will undoubtedly further increase the value of your contributions on this question.

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I will look forward to forthcoming reports in the series.

Warm regards,



Henry A. Kissinger

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INSTRUCTIONS APPLY

Honorable Richard Helms
Director
Central Intelligence Agency

Dick
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ACTION

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June 10, 1971

MEMORANDUM FOR: DR. KISSINGER
FROM: JOHN H. HOLDRIDGE
SUBJECT: Letter to Mr. Helms on CIA's New Series of Reports on Narcotics

You asked that we draft a note from you to Mr. Helms expressing our appreciation for his new series of reports on narcotics, [redacted] attached at Tab A. A copy of the first report in the series with Mr. Helms' covering note is at Tab B.

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RECOMMENDATION:

That you sign the letter to Mr. Helms at Tab A.

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