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Professor John von Neumann  
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Dear Professor von Neumann:

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With cordial greetings, I am,

Sincerely,

WILLIAM F. FRIEDMAN  
Special Assistant

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