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Dear John:

In your letter to Dr. Engstrom, answering some questions he asked in regard to SCAG affairs, you indicated that, if AFSA would really like to have some suggestions on research and development programs, you would be very pleased to think about this matter and submit some ideas.

Since your letter also stated that you were on the point of taking off on your vacation, I hesitated to write you immediately on its receipt from Dr. Engstrom because I did not feel it wise to give you something to think about and possibly disturb your enjoyment of some such activity as fishing or just loafing.

However, I assume that you are back at work now and, therefore am writing to say that we do indeed want your suggestions and assure you in advance of our appreciation of your efforts along those lines.

For your convenience and on the assumption that what you will submit may be of fairly high classification, I am enclosing suitable franked envelopes properly addressed.

Hoping that you derived much benefit from your vacation and are in fine fettle, I am,

Sincerely,

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