

THE WHITE HOUSE

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Dear Professor Meselson:

Thank you for your thoughtfulness in sending a copy of the Sierra Club Bulletin with your article on the effects of herbicides in Vietnam and for remembering our conversation.

As close as I am to the subject, I admit to having a very limited knowledge of it.

The report on the effects of herbicides written by the Vietnamese professor of botany would be of great interest to Dr. Guhin —translated. He claims that his knowledge of French borders that of Swahili which, therefore, makes it non-existent.

Every good wish to you and your family for a happy and bright New Year. Looking forward to your next visit to Washington.....

Warm regards,



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