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Mr. Richard Moose  
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Senate Foreign Relations Committee  
Room 4225 NSOB  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Dick,

Following our telephone conversation, I enclose copies of correspondence between David Baltimore and the ACDA regarding the applicability of the Biological Weapons Convention to possible use of recombinant DNA molecules for military purposes.

Although the Convention certainly prohibits such uses, it would be helpful to get an explicit official statement into the record.

It was good to talk with you again.

With all best wishes and warm regards,

Sincerely yours,

Matthew Meselson

enc: 2 letters