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Dear Sir,

I am under scholarship from the Volkswagen Foundation and currently working on a research project over "The Initiation of Weapons Control Agreements through Unilateral Restraint". The research work I am involved in requires materials and information that are unobtainable outside of the United States of America. Because of this, I plan to visit the United States of America during September of this year and will be staying in Cambridge for one week.

During my investigations under the framework of this project, I have been led to the study of historical, unilateral actions as the starting ground for weapons control negotiations. One particular example of this is Richard M. Nixons Chemical and Biological Warfare Policies, of 1969-1970. While in the United States of America, I would like to study the background work and resulting effects of those policies. The most important question is how strongly Nixons unilateral initiatives contributed to the conclusion of the Biological Weapons Convention of 1972.

Aside from document and literature studies from this time, I hope to conduct interviews with political activists and scientific observers. Since you were involved with the formulation and transposition of Nixons CBW-Policy, I would be very pleased if you could honor me with an interview.

If it is possible that we may set up an appointment for an interview during my stay in Cambridge, then, please, could you respond accordingly.

Sincerely,

N. Bohler

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June 8, 1985

Mr. Nikolaus Brubach
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Dear Mr. Brubach:

Thank you for your letter of April 30, 1985 in which you requested an interview with me regarding your research project; i.e., my involvement with the formulation and transposition of Nixon's CBW Policy.

I expect to be in Cambridge for most of September and would be glad to see you. Please contact my office at (617)495-2264 to arrange a mutually convenient time for us to meet.

Yours truly,

Matthew Meselson
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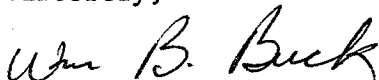
Dear Dr. Meselson:

Enclosed are copies of three papers dealing with the metabolism and cardiovascular pathophysiology of T-2 toxin in swine authored by Beasley, et al. and Lorenzana, et al. All of these manuscripts have been accepted for publication and are expected to be in print this fall.

Also enclosed is a list of abstracts and papers that are either published or submitted for publication. Unfortunately, some of these are in print and this list is not totally up to date.

I am enclosing this information in response to our telephone conversation of May 30, 1985.

Sincerely,



W. B. Buck, DVM
Professor of Toxicology
Director, NAPCC

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Enclosures

JONATHAN PIEL
PRESIDENT AND EDITOR

June 24, 1985

Dear Drs. Meselson, Seeley, Nowicke and Akratanakul:

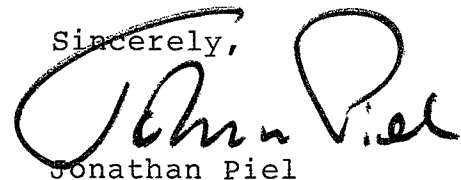
I enclose the edited copy of your article. May I ask as a special favor that you continue with this letter before you turn to the article? Otherwise you may very well be wondering how to proceed.

First, let me emphasize that you may correct or further rework this copy entirely as you see fit. As you know, we have undertaken to make the article somewhat easier to get into and to follow. In the process of editing we may very well have inadvertently introduced errors of fact or emphasis. We take it for granted that you will want to repair such errors.

We will need to have your comments and corrections by next Monday, July 1. My colleague Peter Brown has arranged to meet Dr. Meselson on Sunday, June 30, to discuss the article. It would be good to have all your comments and corrections combined on one copy of the manuscript. If your collaboration entails any long-distance telephone calls, we will of course reimburse you for this additional expense. I enclose a prepaid Express Mail envelope for your convenience in returning the corrected manuscript. I hope this will not put too much pressure on you.

We are still working on the illustrations, and should have something to show you soon. I do hope, however, that you will not hold up your consideration of the text on that account.

Sincerely,



Jonathan Piel

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