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Professor Matthew Meselson
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Dear Professor Meselson:

You may recall that we have had several conversations in recent years about biological warfare matters. I have completed a book on BW testing that will be published in October, and very much hope that you might write a brief comment that could be used for promotional purposes.

I can think of no scientist who has made greater contributions than you to controlling and preventing this form of warfare. Indeed, as I make clear in my chapter on the Nevin trial, your pretrial deposition was extremely important in clarifying elements of the testing program over populated areas, the subject of my book.

I know your schedule is full, but I would consider it a great honor--as well as a matter of interest to you--if you would look over the book with an eye to offering a comment.

I enclose a brief typed summary and an uncorrected proof of the introductory chapter. (If you would like to read the remainder, please let me know and I shall have the publisher forward it to you. Thank you, and best regards.

Sincerely,



Leonard A. Cole
Adjunct Professor

Please use my home address for mailing, since I am not at the University in the summer. If you wish to call: 201-427-2121, or 201-652-8187.