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**Dear Brian,**

I spoke to the IOM Foreign Secretary David Challoner about the possibility of joint US-Iran research on pulmonary aspects of mustard gas exposure. IOM already has in mind to engage in cooperative study with Iran and he seemed definitely interested in hearing from you. I have known Challoner for many years and would be confident of his instructive role should IOM decide to participate.

As usual, it was good to see you.

Sincerely,

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