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Dear Dr. Meselson,

I would like to thank you for participating in the informal meeting of experts on the Biological Weapons Convention (BWC) and related issues which was held on 11 June 2002. Your active contribution to the discussion has indeed been most useful.

The Department for Disarmament Affairs will continue to follow closely developments in the area of the BWC, particularly in preparation for the resumed session of the Fifth BWC Review Conference. For that reason, we intend to convene another informal meeting and hope that we may benefit once again from your knowledge and expertise.

Yours sincerely,

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