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Dear Dr. Klein,

Joshua Lederberg sent your letter of December 9 to me for reply. You can obtain a copy of the WHO report on health aspects of chemical and biological weapons from the WHO Liaison Office, Room 2235, United Nations, United Nations, New York. More detailed information on the teratogenic effects of 2,4,5-T and 2,4-D may be found in the recent Report of ~~The~~ Secretary's Commission on Pesticides and Their Relationship to Environmental Health, Parts I and II. This was published by the U.S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare in December, 1969 and is available upon request from the U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 20402 at a price of \$3.00.

As you may know, I am attempting to design a study of the effects of military defoliation on the environment and on human welfare in Vietnam. I would greatly appreciate receiving from you any materials you think might be of help to me in this effort.

Sincerely yours,

Matthew Meselson
Professor of Biology

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