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Professor Saunders MacLane Eckart Hall University of Chicago Chicago 37, Illinois

Dear Professor Maclane:

I trust that by now you are back in this country after your summer in Europe.

In regard to your membership on the Mathematics Panel of the Maticmal Security Agency Scientific Advisory Board, we would like to acquaint you with the highlights of our current organization and its staff and make a detailed presentation of some of our technical problems. A two-day visit to the Agency should be sufficient for this purpose, and it can be arranged at any time convenient to you.

I am notifying the Chief of the MSA Registry for Consultants of this invitation so that he can immediately send you the papers necessary to effect your official appointment as consultant for the Agency.

If you will let me know three or four weeks in advance of the date you would like to make this visit, and tell me the mode of travel you prefer, we will have the necessary orders sent you.

With cordial greatings and boping to renew our acquaintance, I am

Sincerely,

WILLIAM P. FRIEDMAN Executive Secretary MSA Scientific Advisory Board

cc: AG C/S S/ASST (Mr. Friedman) FERS (NSARC)

M/R: Self explanatory.

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