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Dear Doctor Bugher:

This is in reply to your letter of 8 December 1953, in which you request permission for Commander Eugene P. Cronkite, MC USN, to serve as a member of the American delegation in a conference composed of representatives of Canada, Great Britain, and the United States.

I am pleased to inform you that Commander Cronkite has my permission to attend the conference to exchange classified information on human and environmental weapons effects under the new topic of the Technical Cooperation Program as approved by the National Security Council.

I am taking the liberty of forwarding a copy of your letter and a copy of my reply to Captain Kellum and Commander Cronkite for information.

Sincerely yours,

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