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Dear Dr. Potter:

It is with much regret that I learn that your commitments at this time are such as to preclude the possibility of your accepting membership on the Telecommunications Panel of the National Security Agency Scientific Advisory Board.

Perhaps sometime in the future your commitments may relax to the point where you feel you could accept this nomination. If that should prove to be the case, I would appreciate your informing me of the change in your situation.

At this time let me thank you for your assistance in the past and for your kind consideration of your nomination even though you were unable to accept it at the moment.

Sincerely,

RALPH J. CANINE
Lieutenant General, US Army
Director

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

M/R: Acknowledgment of Dr. Potter's ltr dtd 21 Jan 54. Dr. Potter will be unable to accept the Director's invitation of membership on the Telecommunications Panel of NSASAB.

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