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Mr. Albert W. Small Army Security Agency, CSGAS-81 The Pentagon Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Mr. Small:

Information has been received from Colonel McBride that the concurrence of Army Field Forces Board No. 1 was received 19 October 1949 on the military characteristics for ASAY's 4, 5, and 9. He has indicated that the Office, Chief, Army Field Forces, will also concur and that a reply to that effect will be forwarded immediately to Headquarters, Army Security Agency.

With reference to your telephone call on 17 October 1949, Colonel McBride has received the letter regarding the revised military characteristics for ASAM's 7 and 9. He has recently referred it to Army Field Forces Board No. 1 for comment. The Board has been requested to expedite consideration of the matter, however, its views are not likely to be received before 7 November 1949. Assurance has been given by Colonel McBride that the comments of Army Field Forces on the military characteristics for ASAM's 7 and 9 will be returned to Headquarters, Army Security Agency, as soon as practicable.

For the information of Captain Israel, the opinion of the Signal Section, Office, Chief, Army Field Forces, on the future of the mobile communication centers of the Armies has not yet been received. (The Signal Section is reconsidering the opinion previously reported verbally by this Detachment.)

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