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President John Hannah
Michigan State University
East Lansing, Michigan

Dear President Hannah:

I am writing an article for The Public Interest on the general subject of the social sciences and public policy. In it I plan to make brief reference to asserted relationship between Michigan State University and the CIA in the case that was given considerable newspaper publicity some weeks or months ago. If I recall correctly, there was an official statement concerning the matter from your office. I would be greatly obliged if I might have the text of your statement making the University's position in the matter clear.

Allow me to thank you in advance for your earliest possible consideration of this request.

Sincerely,

Robert A. Nisbet
Professor