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Dear Jack,

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We appreciate your seeing us so early Wednesday morning to discuss our interest in Unidentified Flying Objects (UFOs) and Extraterrestrial Intelligence (ETI). This is obviously an extraordinarily busy time for you, and we are very grateful for your working us in to what was a particularly busy day.

It was important for us to learn from you that in your work over the last three months as Science Advisor to the President you have not learned that the United States Government has a body of knowledge on UFOs or ETI that is being withheld from the public. You made it clear that initially our most fruitful avenue of approach, most likely, will be within the Department of Defense. We will continue to pursue that avenue. I will report on our meeting and your reaction to Mel Laird and hope that we will be able to follow up with Secretary Aspin in this regard, as soon as he is available.

In the interim, we are continuing to develop a letter to the President to urge that he direct a reassessment of government policy regarding UFO and ETI information be carried out. Let me emphasize that our approach to the President will be in the spirit of seeking to be helpful to him.

We do welcome the opportunity you have afforded us to present background information to you. As we discussed, Scott Jones will be sending you an annotated bibliography indicating what he believes to be the important source material in this area. In addition, with Scott's help, we are planning to convene a small group to discuss the state of knowledge about UFOs and ETI in an informal, non-public way. If you felt it useful for a member of your staff or some other Administration official to attend this meeting as an observer, we would welcome that opportunity.

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Again, our thanks for taking the time to see us and
for your guidance. We look forward to keeping you
informed as our efforts continue.

With warm appreciation for your consideration,

Yours sincerely,


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