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Mr. David Petree Director National Personnel Records Center 9700 Page Avenue St. Louis, Missouri 63132

Dear Mr. Petree:

On behalf of the Review Board I would like to thank you and your staff for the first-rate support we received during our recent visit. The private accommodations for reviewing records and making copies at both facilities contributed significantly to a successful visit. In particular, I want to acknowledge the following individuals who went above and beyond in responding to our numerous requests quickly and accurately: William Siebert and Wilson Sullivan of the Military Records Group; Penny Cooper of the NPRC Research Room; William Bassman, Barbara Foley, John Gerfen, and Ruby Campbell of the Civil Service Records Group.

We believe that we have completed the bulk of the research that we will need to conduct at the NPRC. There will, of course, be times when we will need to call on your staff, and I am sure that we will be able to continue to receive the same kind of outstanding service. Thank you again for your assistance and cooperation.

Sincerely,

David G. Marwell Executive Director

cc: Military Records Group: William Siebert and Wilson Sullivan

NPRC Research Room: Penny Cooper

Civil Service Records Group: William Bassman, Barbara Foley, John Gerfen, and

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