

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE OFFICE OF GENERAL COUNSEL WASHINGTON 25, D.C.

November 21, 1962

Dear Mr. Weisberg:

Reference is made to your letter of September 28 to the General Counsel, Department of Defense regarding alleged helicopter flights over your farm. The delay in answering your letter, as you know, has been caused by effecting the action requested by you.

The Department of the Army was requested, because it appeared that Army helicopters to a large extent were involved in the overflights, to take action and accordingly sent Lt. Colonel Robert J. Low to discuss the matter with you. It is my understanding that the solution to the problem was a designation of a 3 mile radius over your farm which restricts Army helicopters from flying below 4,000 feet when traversing this area under visual flight conditions. Notice of this action appears on page 27 of the attached Army Aviation Flight Information Digest dated 7 November 1962. It is my further understanding that the Department of the Air Force is issuing a similar instruction to its flight personnel.

These actions are directive in nature and except for those unusual situations requiring emergency flight procedure they may be expected to eliminate military low-level helicopter flights in your area.

It is hoped the matter is now settled to your satisfaction.

Sincerely yours,

Attachment

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