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Dear Mr. Lesar,

Thank you for your letter of December 13th, 1980.

I am afraid to hazard a guess at the volume of Nosenko materials which were released to us by the CIA. There certainly was not a great deal of helpful material, but my impression was that it was not a case of Agency stonewalling. The only way that I could give you a good answer would be to review the actual material as I have described it. Inasmuch as that is not feasible right now, you might be well advised to get in touch directly with Mr. Epstein. Or, of course, you could make a direct inquiry with the library at Harvard University.

In any case, I will keep your needs in mind and certainly alert you if I have further information that might be helpful.

With all good wishes, I am,

Cordially yours,

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