2322 N. Nottingham St. Arlington, Va. June 2, 1947

Mr. Sam Mandell U. S. Civil Service Commission 703 Victor Building Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Mr. Mandell:

Pursuant to our recent conversation, I herewith appeal my termination notice during the current reductions in force at the State Department.

On May 26, when I received this notice, I called to the attention of departmental personnel the fact of my carlier appeal from this notice which I had been told previously I would receive. Although I have not yet been heard on this appeal, I would appreciate your helding off on the formal investigation until you hear from me further later this week.

My purpose in filing this with you at this time is to comply with the regulations. In the event we have to pursue this further, I will file a more formal particularized statement; however, my grounds for appeal are that the termination has been accomplished improperly, in violation of Civil Service regulations, and that the retention registers are faulty, consisting of one and two persons, and are intended to circumvent the regulations and to deny veterans their rights.

Respectfully yours,

Harold Weisberg