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Dear Dr. Solant:

Allow me to introduce myself. My name is William Steinman, I am a free-lance investigator into the subject matter pertaining to Ufology - physical evidence. At the present time I am investigating into certain crashed and recovered Flying Saucer cases. In particular, that Flying Saucer that was recovered by the U.S. Military, near Aztec, New Mexico in 1948 and was subsequently analysed by a team of Scientists, including Dr. Vannevar Bush and Dr. Robert J. Serbacher.

I understand that Wilbert B. Smith, senior radio engineer of the Department of Transportation in Canada, discussed matters concerning the application of Geo-magnetic principles, with you on November 20th, 1950. These principles were believed to be those same principles

that motivated these recovered Flying Saucers. At the time of this discussion, you were Chairman of the Defence Research Board.

In his own words, Wilbert B. Smith said the following, "I discussed this matter fully with Doctor Solant, Chairman of Defence Research Board, on November 20, 1950, and placed before him as much information as I have been able to gather to date. Doctor Solant agreed that work on geo-magnetic energy should go forward as rapidly as possible and offered full co-operation of his Board in providing laboratory facilities, acquisition of necessary items of equipment, and specialized personnel for incidents work on the project. I indicated to Doctor Solant that we would prefer to keep the project within the Department of Transportation for the time being until we have obtained sufficient information to permit a complete assessment of the value of the work."

Again Smith stated, "We believe that we are on the track of something which may well prove to be the introduction to a new technology. The existence of a different technology is borne out by the investigations which are being carried out at the present time in relation to Flying Saucers."

Dr. Solant, I know as a fact that the U.S. Government has recovered some 10 to 12 crashed