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REQUEST TO PARTICIPATE IN UFO STUDY

1. I understand that the National Research Council will establish a special committee to study reports of Unidentified Flying Objects (UFOs) and ascertain whether there is anything that would warrant further investigations. As I have conducted a detailed study of this subject for twenty years, I feel I could contribute to this investigation. I therefore request that I may be considered for participation in some way, having regard for the fact that there is much more to the UFO enigma than science alone.

2. My long study of this subject has been entirely as a hobby. This study has been intensive and detailed and has carried me into many realms of knowledge I had not entered before. This, I discovered, was the key to the eventual future solution to the UFO mystery. I have covered a very wide field in my research and I have been able to put my findings, conclusions and opinions into a book which will be published in the near future. I have submitted a separate request under QR&O 19.36 in this respect.

3. Previous groups conducting investigations have considered only limited aspects of the subject which has seriously distorted the overall view of the matter. Only by a thorough consideration of all the numerous and seemingly unrelated facets of the situation can a clear view of the problem emerge. It is a jig saw puzzle - the whole picture is incomplete so long as individual pieces are overlooked or missing. One reason why the matter has remained unsolved is because it is a world-wide problem and must be viewed as such. Each nation limits its consideration to local events, which, as such, are out of focus in the world-wide view.

4. My research has been spread over historical, psychological, scientific and philosophical aspects of the UFO situation, and hence, I consider, has been much broader than investigations of a purely scientific nature which are narrow in scope.