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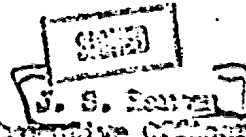
Dear Major Smythe:

Thank you for your letter of March 13th.

I have had the records of this Agency checked and find nothing therein reflecting that any CIA employee, at any time, coerced any witness to an unidentified flying object to remain silent concerning said witness's observations of said UFO.

I hope this answers your question to your satisfaction.

Sincerely,


J. S. Boardman
Executive Officer

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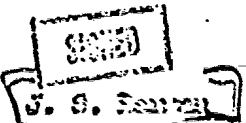
Dear Major Keyhoe:

Thank you for your letter of March 13th.

I have had the records of this Agency checked and find nothing therein reflecting that any CIA employee, at any time, ordered any witness to an unidentified flying object to remain silent concerning said witness's observations of said UO.

I hope this answers your question to your satisfaction.

Sincerely,


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Executive Officer

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