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Dear Professor Koch:

It was indeed a pleasant surprise to hear that you and Dr. Gjørup are going to visit Los Alamos. Until I received your letter I was not aware that the Conference on Electromagnetic Isotope Separation was being held here. I have talked with Dr. Bruce Dropesky, who is organizer of the meeting, and find that you are one of the invitees and that they are pleased to have you come since they consider you the father of electromagnetic isotope separation.

Clearance for you to visit Los Alamos through the dates of September 11-13 is being arranged by the sponsors of the conference. Dr. Gjørup is not an invitee; I have, therefore, started arrangements for his clearance as well as arrangements to have your clearance extended through the 17th. I have asked Mr. W. T. Aldrich, Jr., our Security Liaison Group Leader, to see that the arrangements for you and Dr. Gjørup are taken care of.

I am assuming that your wife isn't interested in attending the conference or in going into any of the technical areas. Please let me know immediately if this is not correct. As soon as your itinerary is firm, be sure to give me, as well as the arrangers of the conference, the details in order to assure that you will have no problems with accommodations and transportation. I will not bother you with details of formalities in this letter, since Mr. Aldrich will bother you for me. Neither will I include specific details of how one gets to Los Alamos and survives the experience. I am sure this will be covered in the material you get from the sponsors of the conference.

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September is certainly the most beautiful part of the year during which to visit Los Alamos. I hope we can make it an experience you and your wife and Dr. Gjørup will remember pleasantly and for a very long time. You might be interested to know that on the 26th of this month I am going to be visited by General Hunziker, who has never been to Los Alamos either. In his usual style, he informed me that he wanted to see the place that caused all the trouble. I, of course, reminded him that it really wasn't Los Alamos but the Air Force that precipitated the incident.

All reports I have received from Thule lead me to believe that all is going well. I hope you and Dr. Gjørup also feel satisfied with the way things are going.

Please do not hesitate to contact me at any time regarding any and all details that will make your visit with us a happy and enjoyable one.

Sincerely yours,


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