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Dear Ken:

I regret the delay in replying to your memorandum of January 2. I have just returned from a short trip to Caracas and have not had much time to make a careful study of the draft you sent me of the discussion outline. My Venezuelan trip has strengthened my conviction that exchange programs ought to reach as soon as possible the new university generations that have taken such an active part in the restoration of democratic governments in such countries like Argentina, Colombia, Venezuela and Cuba. I think I will concentrate my views on this particular subject, as well as on the subject of population increase and additional exchange.

I am attaching two copies of a short biographical sketch. My present plans contemplate my arrival at Friendship Airport in Washington, on the afternoon of Wednesday, January 28. I shall confirm this to you later.

My best regards to you and Mary.

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