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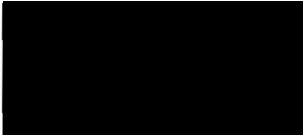
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December 2, 1982

Ken Follett



Dear Ken:

The enclosed letter from Peter Sheils of the State Dept. arrived this morning. Mr. Sheils is the gentleman who telephoned me to narrow down the subject of our search, which is now defined as:

All cables and communications concerning Iranian political events at the highest level, and American policy in regard to these events.

*from Sept 1,
1978 through
Feb 28, 1979*

Mr. Sheils felt that while this search involves a large body of documents, it is narrowed down enough to be considered by the State Dept. My application still requests the cable "Thinking the Unthinkable" from Nov. 9, 1978.

I will phone Mr. Sheils periodically to try to speed up our request.

Best wishes for the holiday season.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Dan", written over the printed name Daniel Starer.

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Case No. _____


Dear Sir/Madam:

Thank you for your recent letter in which you requested access to Department of State records.

We have begun processing your request and will make every effort to provide you with the requested information in as timely a manner as possible. However, we are currently processing over 3,000 cases, so there will be a delay in responding to your request. Unfortunately, I am not able to provide a time frame for completion of your request.

Should you find it necessary to contact this office, you may write to: FAIM/IS, Room 1239, Department of State, 2201 C Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20520. Please refer to the above case number in your correspondence.

Sincerely,


Peter M. Sheils
Chief, Operations Staff
Information Access Branch

Enclosures:

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