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DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL DEFENCE
ROYAL CANADIAN NAVY

OTTAWA 10 April, 1962

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to your letter dated 14 March, 1962, File G 355-9-1, and further to conversation LCDR. BUTROID - INSPECTOR BARRETTE, concerning security screening investigations.

2. DNI has no objection to the adoption of the procedure proposed in paragraph 4 of the above noted Reference.

3. In the course of investigating applicants for other government departments it is possible that you will have occasion to request information on ex-RCN personnel who were released for character weaknesses of one form or another. It is RCN policy not to release information unfavourable to its personnel or ex-personnel to anyone except the RCMP and then only when there is a compelling security reason. It is requested, therefore, that you confirm in each instance that the information is to be used for security screening purposes only. It is understood, of course, that where a third party is involved, you will ensure the same discreet handling which has marked our exchanges to date.

Yours truly,

(R.W. Murdoch)

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