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TO: PRIORITY TEHRAN.

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FOR  ONLY: PLEASE PASS FOLLOWING MESSAGE TO AMBASSADOR HELMS  
FROM MR. CARVER:

DICK:

1. I HAVE TALKED TWICE WITH MR. THOMAS POWERS WHO IS DOING A LONG (CIRCA 10,000 WORDS) PROFILE ON YOU FOR ROLLING STONE. HE SPEAKS PLEASANTLY IN A LOW KEY AND DOES NOT APPEAR TO BE A FANATIC THOUGH, OF COURSE, THERE IS NO TELLING WHAT WILL EMERGE FROM HIS TYPEWRITER OR WHAT CHANGES IN HIS MANUSCRIPT HIS EDITORS MAY MAKE. HE HAS PROMISED TO SEND ME A DRAFT OF HIS ARTICLE BEFORE IT IS PUBLISHED, AND I WILL OF COURSE RELAY ANY MATERIAL IN IT OF CONSEQUENCE TO YOU.

2. POWERS HAS ASKED ME (VIA WHAT USED TO BE ANGUS THUERMER'S OFFICE) IF I WOULD GIVE HIM THE DATES OF YOUR VISITS TO VIETNAM. I HAVE NOT REPLIED AND WILL NOT DO SO UNTIL I HEAR FROM YOU WHETHER YOU WOULD PREFER THAT HE BE STONEWALLED OR IF YOU HAVE NO OBJECTION TO HIS BEING GIVEN THE DATES IN QUESTION. WITH NO FURTHER AMPLIFYING DATA. BEST REGARDS. GEORGE. E2 IMPDET.  
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