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March 4, 1964

Dr. Hamilton von Braun, Director
George C. Marshall Space Flight Center
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Dear Dr. von Braun:

I am writing to you in further reference to the John F. Kennedy Memorial Library. By this time, you have probably received letters from the Attorney General and from Assistant Secretary Sutton regarding plans to interview you in connection with the oral history program.

To be effective, there will need to be adequate preparation prior to the interview. First of all, I wonder whether you would have your records researched to pinpoint the various times that you had personal contacts with President Kennedy and would prepare a brief outline of the matters that were discussed with him or in which he expressed an interest. This will help us formulate the subject areas that should be covered in interviewing you. The sooner I can get this information the better.

I would also appreciate knowing if you plan to be in Washington during the next few weeks. It would be very helpful to be able to talk with you for a few minutes about arrangements for the prospective interview, as well as to discuss generally the subjects that we might cover. If you do not plan to be in Washington in the near future, I shall arrange to visit your Center in order to have this brief pre-interview discussion.

I am enclosing a statement regarding the project that may be helpful in considering the content of your interview and the procedures to be followed.

Sincerely yours,

Signed

Walter B. Schier
General Counsel

Enclosure

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