Ref: Bentwaters Incident, 1980 Ministry of Defence Main Building Whitehall London SWLA Telephone (Direct Dialling) 01-218-XXXX (Switchboard) 01-218-9000

Dear XXX,

As you know, OSI has completed a report on the landing of a craft of unknown origin crewed by several entities near RAF Bentwaters on the night of the December 29/30 1980.

Interestingly, OSI reports that the entities were approximately 1 ½ meters tall, wearing what appeared to be nylon coated pressure suits, but no helmets. Conditions on the night were misty, giving the appearance that the entities were hovering above ground level.

Tape recordings were made on which the entities are heard to speak in an electronically synthesised version of English, with a strong American accent. Similar transmissions intercepted irregularly by ISA (?) since 1973 (see attachment – Flag 1).

According to OSI, entities had claw-like hands and with three fingers and an opposable thumb.

Despite original reports (Flags 3-0), OSI said the craft was not damaged but landed deliberately as part of a series of visits to SAC bases in USA and Europe. Reports that craft was repaired by US serviceman or was taken on to the base are not confirmed by OSI.

Landing is not considered a defence issue in view of the overt peaceful nature of the contact, but investigations by XXX are to be continued on XXX authority. Precautionary plans for counter-information at a local level involving XXX and a XXX XXX is strongly recommended.

Sincerely

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