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Walter H. Capps Professor of Religious Studies Center Associate THE CENTER for the Study of Democratic Institutions/The Fund for the Republic, Inc. P 0 Box 4068 Santa Barbara, California 93103

Dear Walter:

I was extremely pleased with the Center's meeting entitled "The Impact of VietNam" this past Thursday, Friday and Saturday. The mixture of people, their ideas, their research and philosophy were most fascinating.

The different perspectives of the impact of this war stimulated a lot of insight on my part and I am sure on the parts of other participants, concerning this very traumatic and powerful topic - VietNam. Every time a session ended, I was usually excited about its continuing. I hope the others felt the same way.

I am looking forward to a summary of this meeting and hope to communicate with several of the other participants in the near future.

I am enclosing a statement of my final travel and meal costs which includes \$10. for the Friday evening meal plus transportation (gas and oil) of \$30.---totaling \$40. You can enclose my reimbursement with your next correspondence to me concerning the meeting.

Sincerely yours,

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