

25 May 1970

Mr. Ardell R. Paul
Miami, Florida 33143

Dear Mr. Paul:

I am in receipt of your letter dated 19 May 1970, in which you state that you cannot accept your commission in the United States Army if tendered to you on 5 June 1970.

I must remind you that when you accepted the benefits of a scholarship and financial assistance from the Army you agreed to accept a commission as second lieutenant in the Regular Army or Army Reserve.

Should you refuse to accept a commission, when offered, the Secretary of the Army, under the provisions of AR 145-1, may call you to active duty to serve in your enlisted grade for a period not to exceed four years. In the event that you refuse a commission when offered on 5 June 1970, I shall recommend that the action above be taken.

If you have in mind requesting a discharge from the enlisted reserve by reason of being a conscientious objector you must submit an application for discharge as prescribed in AR 135-25 (a copy for your information is attached and marked). You will not be discharged from the USAR until receipt of final determination is made by the Department of the Army.

Sincerely,

LT L. MUELLER
Colonel, Infantry
Professor of Military Science

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Miami, Florida 33143

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