

There is one other point I should make. Booz·Allen is a splendid employer who has treated me exceedingly well during the period of our association. Although I am under no contractual constraints regarding the period of my current employment, I do feel I have a personal obligation to both Booz·Allen and the RSNF to see my current projects through to complete and logical ends.

And, as you may also well appreciate, until Mr. Franke's call, I really had not considered other employment alternatives. Were I to become your primary candidate for this position, I would need several months to wrap up my affairs here prior to joining the Council. Assuming there is some sort of interview process involved, in which I could not participate any earlier than December, it could well be the March/April 1997 time frame before I could move to Chicago.

I am certainly interested in being seriously considered for the position. If, by December, you have not settled on another candidate, and my qualifications still interest you, I would be pleased to meet with the appropriate people to discuss this matter further.

Thank you for your interest in my qualifications.

Most sincerely,

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