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Admiral Elmo Russell Zumwalt, Jr.  
U.S. Navy Retired  
1000 Wilson Boulevard  
Suite 3105  
Arlington, Virginia 22209

Dear Admiral Zumwalt:

We are looking forward to your receiving the honorary doctorate of *Humane Letters* from Texas Tech University on May 10, 1997. We will pay your travel and living expenses for your visit with us, and we anticipate that you will want to arrive a day or two early so that you can visit with those connected with the Vietnam Center. As you know, we have made local hotel and transportation arrangements. You will be reimbursed for all expenses for airline travel.

We anticipate that your response to the awarding of the degree will take approximately five minutes. Governor George W. Bush has graciously agreed to provide the commencement speech for the ceremony, and he will be speaking after you are awarded the degree. It is an honor to have both of you provide this memorable program for our graduates.

I look forward to hearing from you about your travel arrangements in the near future.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Donald R. Haragan", written over a large, stylized circular flourish.

Donald R. Haragan  
President

xc: Jerry Matthews, Chair, Convocations Committee  
Jim Reckner, Director of Vietnam Archives