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Dr. Eliot Porter Rt. 4, Box 33 Santa Fe, N. M.

Dear Dr. Porter:

Once more I find I must approach you for advice.

Presently, you are the only member of the Sierra Club's board with whom I am even passingly acquainted, and who, I'm sure, supported a really vigorous publishing program. I did also-believe in the efficacy and cause of the club's books-even enough to run myself far out on a financial i mb on the remote possibility I might be able eventually to contribute myself. Perhaps Ken Brower may even have mentioned some of my potential book projects to you.

In any case, I have photographed central Oregon in considerable detail; there has been talk, on and off, af a Volcanic Cascades book; I did work up a fairly substantial amount of text. And since the recent turmoil and election upset, I can't be sure whether or not there is going to be any further publication, and if so, whether anyone is still interested in any of my projects--including the Alaskan Inside Passage which I believe should be one of the club's major points of focus.

I'd still like to do whatever I can, but am pretty well hobbled when I can't even get replys to my letters nowadays. As always, anything you have to offer in the way of insights will be very greatly appreciated.

Most sincerely yours,

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