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Dr. Eliot Porter
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Dear Dr. Porter:

I have taken the liberty of lifting your beautiful statement from the transcript of the meeting of the board, and Dave has suggested that I sent it to you in case you want to change anything before I send it around to some of the people who have requested it. In light of the letters and statements that have emanated from some of your colleagues, we need some paragraphs in defense of the majority, and yours ~~was~~^{are} superb.

If you do want to change anything in the text, please let me know and I'll fix it up.

Sincerely,

Tom Turner
(Taking the place of
Robin Way.)