David Salter 300 Bayview Drive Port Clements, B.C. CANADA VØT 1RØ

Dear Mr. Salter:

Since mine of 23/10/92 I've gotten cold feet on this project. So far I'm free of aches, pains, stiffness and other signs of age. However, I've slowed down a lot. No longer do I rush around getting things done. I'm not the man I was thirty years ago. Also I've consulted with some geriatric specialists. They tell me I'm good for another ten, probably fifteen, perhaps twenty years. Provided I don't do anything foolish.

If I go ahead with this project, I'll be spending half my time up there, and half down here. A lot of long distance travel will be involved. I find this very wearing. It looks to me this project falls in the foolish category. Accordingly, I've decided to bow out. I want to thank you for your time, interest, and assistance.

Please send an itemized bill for such expenses as you and/or Beachy may have advanced on my behalf. It will be paid promptly. I'm sorry it turned out this way. I was over enthusiastic in the beginning. Such gradually evaporated. Enclosed is a reprint entitled "Intergalactic Plasma". I wrote it a few years ago while at NRC in Ottawa.

Adios

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