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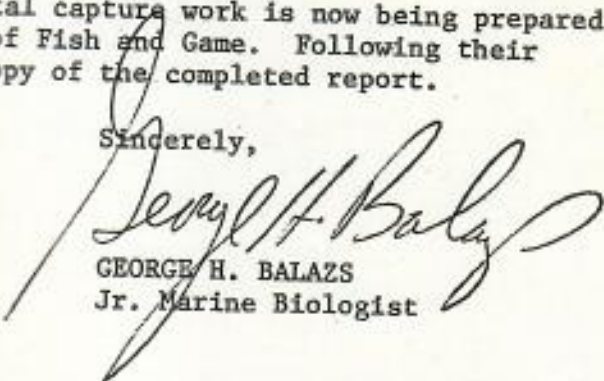
Mr. Arnold L. Howard
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Dear Mr. Howard:

I want to take this opportunity to thank you for serving as a special consultant from May 4 - 8 in my experimental trial on the use of nets for capturing and tagging green turtles. Your knowledge of turtles and skills in the use of nets proved to be exceptionally valuable. I recognize and appreciate the considerable efforts you put forth in this work, and look forward to your additional assistance in future project activities as funds and circumstances warrant.

A report covering our experimental capture work is now being prepared for submission to the Division of Fish and Game. Following their evaluation, I will send you a copy of the completed report.

Sincerely,


GEORGE H. BALAZS
Jr. Marine Biologist

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cc: Mr. Michio Takata
Office of Marine Affairs Coord.