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Dear Linc,

Thanks for your latest chapter, even if it was “butchered as a short article.” *Proceedings*, unfortunately, does that sometimes. Enough of your article survived, however, for me to glean the point you’re driving home.

We’ve had several exceptional political games at FSI in the last two-plus years, most notably dealing with the Middle East and the Korean Peninsula. Both of these games, as well as others, were enhanced by the strong relationship that exists between Fred Hill at FSI and our Policy Planning staff.

As you do, I value the insights gained through these exercises – as well as the insights I gain from reading your letters and articles.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'C. Powell', written over the word 'Sincerely,'.

Colin L. Powell