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Mr. Anthony Macklin  
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Dear Mr. Macklin:

Thank you very much for your letter of February 14th and the copy of your piece on "Dr. Strangelove." I enjoyed reading the piece and I think that you have found a rather engaging way of viewing the film. I would not think of quarreling with your interpretation nor offering any other as I have found it always the best policy to allow the film to speak for itself.

Regarding the book idea, I have had a number of discussions with Milton Pearlman of Grove Press and, apparently, if they ever were seriously interested in the book idea, somewhere along the line they have lost interest. I appreciate the trouble you went to in trying to accomplish this, and if you find any other publishers who might want to give it a try, please let me know.

I appreciate your invitation to address the Classic Film Society, but, once again, I have found that it is best not to pontificate about films.

If you find yourself in New York sometime in the next three months (I expect to leave for England after that), perhaps you could give me a ring and you could come over for a drink.

Best regards,



Stanley Kubrick

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