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EMBASSY OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA PRAGUE

January 13, 1983

OFFICE OF THE AMBASSADOR

Mr. Pierre Shostal Dean, School of Language Studies Foreign Service Institute Department of State Washington, D.C. 20520

Dear Pierre:

It was very good to see you in November and to hear about your plans for training in Czech. So far, Mr. Cernik's visit to Prague seems to be going well and I believe it will prove to be very useful.

I pass along for your attention a letter I have received from Dr. Tunik-Rosniansky regarding her application to replace Dr. Thompson as linguist for Russian. I met Dr. Tunik off and on when she came to Moscow as an interpreter for various delegations, and know that she had a reputation as an excellent interpreter. I do not, however, know enough of her qualifications as a language training supervisor to add anything substantial to the facts in her application. I would assume that, because of her extended TDY service in Moscow, she has considerable experience in observing the professional concerns of officers who use Russian.

In any event, I wish you well in your attempt to find a strong replacement for Dr. Thompson.

With best personal regards,

Sincerely,

Jack F. Matlock American Ambassador

Enclosures:

1. Copy of Dr. Tunik-Rosniansky's letter of December 23, 1982

2. Copy of Matlock reply, dated January 13, 1983

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EMBASSY OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA PRAGUE

January 13, 1983

OFFICE OF THE AMBASSADOR

Dr. Galina Tunik-Rosniansky 4920 Weaver Terrace, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20016

Dear Dr. Tunik-Rosniansky:

Thank you for your letter of December 23, 1982, concerning your application to FSI as a language training supervisor. I am pleased to hear that you are still interested in the position.

Since I no longer have any managerial responsibility at FSI and am not familiar with the qualifications of other possible candidates for the position, I do not feel that it would be appropriate for me to attempt to give advice from the bleacher seat I now occupy. I have, however, mentioned your candidacy to Dean Shostal and I wish you the very best in fulfilling your career aspirations.

With personal regards,

Sincerely,

Jack F. Matlock American Ambassador Dr. Galina Tunik-Rosniansky 4920 Weaver Terrace, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20016

The Honorable
Jack F. Matlock, Jr.
American Ambassador, Prague, Czechoslovakia

Dear Mr. Ambassador:

December 23, 1982

May this Christmas season and the coming new year bring you many blessings, good health and happiness!

I am turning to you with the same request as in 1979. Remember, Mr. Ambassador, I saw you at FSI and talked to you about the Russian Language Training Supervisor's position? You said the position was not vacant, but I should send in my application. I had every intention to do so, but did not because I had to go abroad on TDY. Several months later, when I heard that the position was open I contacted Mr. Shostal. In spite of the fact that Mrs. Irene Thompson had been approved for this job and was waiting for her clearance, Dr. Goodison and Mr. Shostal interviewed me and told me they thought I was uniquely suitable for the position not only because of my experience as professor of Linguistics, Russian Folklore and Culture, Interpretation, Methodology of Language Teaching and Supervisor of a Russian Teachers' Program, but also because of my extensive experience in the field - a total of over two years in the USSR in various capacities. I am well acquainted with the life of foreign service officers, their needs and their difficulties.

Now the position is vacant again, and my candidacy is being seriously considered. Would you be so kind Mr. Ambassador, and put in a good word for me. A decision will be made in January.

Thank you very much for your time and your consideration.

Very sincerely yours,

Galina Tunik-Rosniansky

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