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Dear Mr. Hagan:

The boundaries of the principal Fort Huachuca Military Reservation have been outlined in red on the two maps inclosed with letter from your Director, Robert W. Burgess, dated 18 February 1959. These maps are returned herewith, (Inclosure 1 and 2).

Public Land Order 127 (Arizona) of the U. S. Department of the Interior, dated 22 May 1943, withdrew from public domain certain lands not contiguous to the principal reservation for military use. This land is presently under jurisdiction of the U. S. Army Electronic Proving Ground, and a sketch showing its description and current boundaries is also inclosed, (Inclosure 3). It is not considered a sub-installation nor has it any facilities. You may find this area named on older U. S. Department of Interior maps as "Willcox Playa".

In addition to the real estate referred to above, there has been acquired by lease or permit from other U. S. Government Departments, the State of Arizona, and public or private interests, small parcels of real estate ranging from 5 to 160 acres for exclusive use of the installation. None of these are contiguous to the post proper and, although test facilities may be located thereon, none are considered as sub-installations.

Maps showing the sections, townships, and ranges of these locations are inclosed. We have not endeavored to pinpoint these parcels on the maps for the reason that the scale is only $\frac{1}{4}$ inch to the mile and the geographical location often being the governing factor in their selection, the legal descriptions are generally stated in metes and bounds. The approximate location of each and the acreage involved follows:

CC: MR FARRIS/4 March 1959

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a. Section 23, Township 14 South, Range 14 East, G6SRM, situated in Pima County, State of Arizona, containing approximately 3.5 acres and permitted by Department of the Air Force, (Inclosure 4).

b. Section 19, Township 23 South, Range 15 East, G6SRM, situated in Santa Cruz County, State of Arizona, containing approximately 9.07 acres and leased from Santa Cruz County, Arizona, (Inclosure 5).

c. Section 36, Township 5 South, Range 30 East, G6SRM, situated in Greenlee County, State of Arizona, containing approximately 5.5 acres and leased from Greenlee County, Arizona, (Inclosure 6).

d. Sections 19 and 20, Township 7 South, Range 12 West, G6SRM, situated in Yuma County, State of Arizona, containing approximately 62.5 acres and leased from the State of Arizona, (Inclosure 7).

e. Section 15, Township 24 South, Range 28 East, G6SRM, situated in Cochise County, Arizona, containing approximately 5.3 acres and leased from the City of Douglas, Arizona, (Inclosure 8).

f. Section 30, Township 21 South, Range 21 East, G6SRM, situated in Cochise County, Arizona, containing approximately 10 acres and leased from Sbrana Bros., a corporation, (Inclosure 9).

g. Sections 23 and 24, Township 6 South, Range 5 West, G6SRM, situated in Maricopa County, Arizona, containing approximately 34 acres and permitted by Department of the Air Force, (Inclosure 10).

h. Section 8, Township 7 South, Range 9 West, G6SRM, situated in Maricopa County, Arizona, containing approximately 160 acres and permitted by the U. S. Department of the Interior, (Inclosure 11).

A tabulation of the area above described and currently under control of this headquarters would be as follows:

Fort Huachuca Military Reservation	73,377 Acres
Hillcox Dry Lake	29,116 Acres
Miscellaneous Leases and Permits	292 Acres
	<u>102,785 Acres</u>

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We are pleased to cooperate and you may retain the inclosed maps.

Sincerely yours,

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1. Map (North Boundaries)
2. Map (South Boundaries)
3. Map (Land Order 127)
4. Map (Pima County)
5. Map (Santa Cruz County)
6. Map (Greenlee County)
7. Map (Yuma County)
8. Map (Cochise County)
9. Map (Cochise County)
10. Map (Maricopa County)
12. Map (Maricopa County)