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A.V. Roe Canada Limited,  
170, University Avenue,  
TORONTO, Ontario.

PERSONAL & CONFIDENTIAL

Dear

Thank you for your letter concerning Ted Emmert and I do not see anything very unreasonable in what he wants.

I certainly will not raise any serious objections and the thing to do now is to have a talk to him and see if we can get the matter cleared.

In view of the fact that Allan MacDonald is out of the way and that Emmert knows Fairley and thinks well of him, and the same goes for Harvey, I do not think there should be any difficulty, but when it gets a little further I would like to have a talk to Fairley about it.

However, I think perhaps Ted Emmert should come over and talk to me at some date which is convenient to us both, so that we can get things fixed up.

X I think you have done an excellent job and I hope no difficulty arises.

Just one further point, when Ted Emmert mentions Directors and that any Canadian he objected to would not be retained on the Board, do you think that his remarks are pointed in the direction

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of John Tory?

I mention this because I think you told me that he did not like Tory and of course Tory's negotiations with Emmert's present company were somewhat cloudy.

However, I would like to talk to him about this because it could easily be that our thoughts line up.

Do please keep this to yourself and let us see where we get.

With kindest regards,