

DAVIES, BROWN & CO.  
SOLICITORS

R. M. L. BROWN, LL.B.  
COMMISSIONER FOR OATHS

OUR REF. RMLB/DL

YOUR REF.

130 ARTHUR ROAD  
WIMBLEDON PARK  
LONDON, SW19 8AA

TELEPHONE:  
01-946 9555 & 01-947 3434

8th July 1975.

Professor  
H.E. Maude,  
77 Arthur Circle,  
Forrest,  
A.C.T. 2603,  
AUSTRALIA.

Dear Professor Maude,

Thank you for your letter of 29th June.

I think your Solicitors acted quite properly in looking after you and I am sorry that if at times I appear to be pressurising you. I am sure you did what you felt in conscience to be right and as you say it may well have worked out for the best. I am sorry your kind letter of 3rd February was not sooner acknowledged.

With regard to the possible smear that Rotan was a collaborator with the Japanese, I can assure you that there was no suggestion of anything of the kind. His cross-examination was searching but very fair; so far from it being alleged that he was a collaborator the Defence Counsel freely acknowledged his great services to his people.

With best wishes,

Yours sincerely,

*Richard Brown*