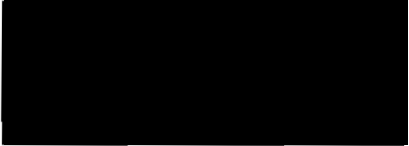


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Ken Follett Esq.



Dear Ken,

We talked the other day about your taking on a new commission from Futura to write a thriller about the uranium ore reportedly hijacked by the Israelis in 1967.

I think this could be a really terrific book and I do hope you will want to do it. I see it as a Forsyth type novel giving meticulous details of planning and execution of the hijack, and running to about 120,000 words. A fair amount of research would obviously be needed, particularly on the maritime side.

I attach a few press clippings that we abstracted from the newspapers at the time the story broke.

Do call me any time - home or office.

Best wishes,  
Yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read 'Anthony Cheetham'.

ANTHONY CHEETHAM