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Professor Alan M. Dershowitz  
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Dear Professor Dershowitz:

The University of California President, Robert Dynes, has directed your recent letter about Norman Finkelstein's book to me. I want to assure you that we are reviewing Professor Finkelstein's manuscript very carefully on several levels, evaluating both the overall scholarly quality and the specific charges that he levels against you and a number of other scholars. Our faculty Editorial Committee has approved it for publication; we continue to work on specific fact checking and legal review.

By now you should have received the names of our Board of Directors and our Editorial Committee, as you requested. If you have further information to send us, or wish additional information from us, please direct your requests to me.

Sincerely,

Lynne Withey  
Director

cc: Provost MRC Greenwood  
Mary MacDonald, Office of the General Counsel