

July 25, 1969
**Letter from Harry S. Truman to Congressman
Kastenmeier**

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Summary:

Truman denies the use of bacteriological weapons by the United States during the Korean War.

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