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Dear Sr. Prieto -

My book, "The Case of Salvador Dali", to which you have contributed so generously, will be published in London on or about May 1st (perhaps with Dali here as guest of honour - although it is quite impossible to pin him down). As soon as it is bound and available to me, I shall send you a copy, which I hope will please you.

I'd like your advice, confidentially. The book has already been bought for Germany, is being negotiated for France, and comes out in the United States in October this year. Who, in your view, would be the best and most trustworthy to do it in Spanish - for Spain and other Spanish-speaking areas? Who would translate it faithfully, produce it beautifully and have a proper distribution in Spain - and, most importantly, who do you think would have any real interest in it?

My London agent will soon begin to discuss this with me, but it would be of enormous help if you could give me your advice beforehand so I may prevent him from making what may otherwise be the wrong connection.

With cordial regards and thanks,

Alan Cowley

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