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**From:** PAULA A. HEIL FISHER  
**Sent:** Tue 8/21/2012 5:06:03 PM  
**Subject:** Fwd: Letter

fyi--this morning's reply from the Director in response to The Letter. Cryptic, but at least it looks like F will call his own shots...ya think?

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**From:** FREDERIC CHASLIN <[REDACTED]>  
**Subject:** Re: Letter  
**Date:** August 21, 2012 10:22:56 AM MDT  
**To:** PAULA <[REDACTED]>

FYI

Le 21 août 2012 à 09:45, Charles MacKay a écrit :

Dear Frederic,

Thank you very much for sending your letter to me last night. (Since it was the first night off in a long time, I didn't actually read your letter until this morning.) I look forward to our meeting on Thursday so that we may clarify your specific intentions.

In the meantime, please know that I am deeply grateful for your manifold contributions to the musical realm of The Santa Fe Opera. Here's to another splendid performance of Tosca tonight (and on Friday too)!

With best wishes,

Charles

**From:** FREDERIC CHASLIN [mailto:[REDACTED]]  
**Sent:** Monday, August 20, 2012 7:07 PM  
**To:** Charles MacKay  
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