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Contribution to Southern California
Air Pollution Foundation

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Mr. Schoe's recommendations, embodied in his letter of July 12, 1954, were discussed during Mr. Schoe's visit here on July 12. I believe that Mr. Schoe's proposed course of action is sound and that the means of handling the donation is satisfactory. I could recommend that we proceed with the contract on the basis recommended by Mr. Schoe.

It is with great interest -- when Mr. J. A. Macaulay, Jr., of the General Motors Oil Company (who made the recommendation) -- was notified of our support of the work as recommended by Mr. Schoe, he also pointed out that due to our automotive and petroleum interests in the United States problem of atmospheric contamination by ground vehicle exhaust, we are taking active part in the work of the Research Council on Air Pollution under the Coordinating Research Council to investigate the composition of the exhaust gases from ground vehicles. The results of this research work will be available to the Foundation and, in fact, the program of the group will be coordinated with Mr. Hitchcock in a meeting to be held in Pasadena on the 11th, 12th, and 13th of August. It is estimated that the cost to Chrysler Corporation for participation in this work will be of the order of \$5,000 per year. A separate memorandum on the organization of this group is being furnished to you.

It is my understanding that Mr. C. C. Kettinger has accepted the trusteeship on the Board of Trustees of the Southern California Air Pollution Foundation.

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