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Dr. E. N. Wheeler
Celanese Chemical Co.
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Corpus Christi, Texas 78408

Dear Dr. Wheeler:

Some discussions with employees of former sponsors of our Oxidation Program show that they do not realize how much useful information on oxidation, much of it unpublished, is available to them in our Reports. I am therefore offering to visit former sponsors to summarize our principal accomplishments in any desired detail, to indicate what other material is available and how it may be found, and to consult with them generally on subjects of their choice, although my usefulness outside the oxidation field is limited. This is not an offer to discuss any confidential material acquired after termination of their sponsorships.

The total charge for this service will be $400 for one day, payable to SRI, and includes all travel costs, provided that the visit can be incorporated in another trip. The first convenient time for me is the week of August 21 to 25. A day in mid-September is also possible but I cannot confirm an exact September date until a week or two ahead of time.

We also offer to supply missing or extra reports for your files at the rate of $10 for the first five reports and $1 for each additional report, postpaid, providing that payment accompanies your order or accompanies the fee for my visit. If we have to bill you, the additional charge will be $10.

Our Oxidation Program is ending August 31 and we propose to succeed it with a multisponsor program of limited scope ("Selectivity in Homogeneous Metal Catalysis in Oxidation") and duration (two years). Two tentative proposals are enclosed. We would like an expression of your interest.

Sincerely yours,

Frank R. Mayo

Frank R. Mayo
Scientific Fellow

cc: H. Kolberg

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July 14, 1972

Tentative Proposal for Research

SELECTIVITY IN HOMOGENEOUS METAL CATALYSIS
IN OXIDATIONS OF ORGANIC COMPOUNDS

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