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To : RAW

Mr. R.A. Wells

24th May, 1976

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Further to Mr. Dixon's note of the 12th May, 1976, written in your absence, I would very much appreciate it if I could be given a firm date for release by TBA. My letter of resignation was dated 7th May 1976, and I wonder if you would not consider it reasonable under the circumstances if you allowed me three months notice from that date, in view of the fact that I have made every endeavour through my personal connections to discover an adequate successor.

I was somewhat disconcerted by the remarks you made to me on the telephone Friday last, indicating that my resignation had prompted T & N to consider appointing a Group Consultant when it has been known for a long time this was precisely the way in which I would have liked my own job to have been formulated. If, in fact, it is the intention to appoint a Group Consultant, then I would respectfully submit that an arrangement to provide adequate medical cover to TBA on a part-time basis should solve the problem (temporarily) of my successor. As indicated to you in my note of 12th May, Dr. R.L. Clark, a well qualified and experienced industrial medical officer, would be able to provide a part-time service until such time as a permanent successor could be found.

I am sorry to have to keep pestering you on this subject, but I am quite sure that you will appreciate the anxiety which the present uncertainty is causing to me and my family as our plans to settle in the United States before the next school year commences cannot proceed until such time as I know when I can leave.

I hope that you will give sympathetic consideration to the points raised in this note and let me have a decision as soon as possible.

H.C. Lewinsohn.