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PLAINTIFF'S EXHIBIT

MON-2692

April 10, 1975

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Alta Loma, Texas 77510

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Sincerely yours,

John W. Middleton, M. D.

JWM:mlm

cc: N. E. Dudney, M. D.
302 S. Highway 3
League City, Texas 77573

Dear Ned:

Mr. Elliott's SGOT rose on up to 129 and the SGPT to 380. Many of us consider that a combined total of 500 or higher is a definite cut-off point. JWM

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