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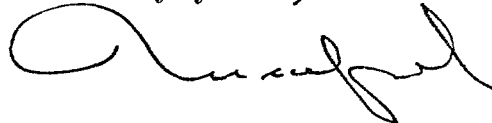
Dear Bob:

Thank you for your letter of July 6. I had a hunch that I would get a reply from Cincinnati and what I got is remarkably in line with what was expected. I flatter myself that I understand what you are talking about (perhaps, as we speak of effective temperature, we should coin some such phrase as "effective toxicity"). I am in substantial agreement with most of what you say.

Quite apart, however, from the good, bad or indifferent jobs that various industries are doing, I cannot feel that such discussion is unprofitable. In general, the consensus of opinion seems to be that we should look forward to a differentiation in MACs such as I have suggested, but that further studies must be a preliminary. I wanted to start some thinking along these lines and have apparently done so.

If you are interested, drop in when you are next in these parts and I'll show you the rest of the correspondence.

Sincerely yours,



*July 26. Telephoned and asked to clear my letter, see enclosure
re: the personal comments and the last sentence of which
M.D. disapproves*

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