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Prof R.A. Kehoe,

As I have heard that you have expressed some views on alkylmercury I enclose here a reprint of a work in which one of my colleagues participated. - I am presently working on a literature review over methylmercury and will send you a copy when it is finished.

As you might know, the Swedish authorities recently ruled that gasoline must not carry more Pb than 0.7 g/l for Jan 1, 1970 and that further decreases must be anticipated.

Mr R. af Klintberg, head of the Swedish Petroleum Institute, said a few weeks ago that one of the reasons for the cooperation for the industrial side was the recent results showing that tetraethyllead is carcinogenic.

Sincerely yours,