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Dr. Jonathan Cole
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Dear Jonathan:

We had a very pleasant visit from Dr. Prien today. As you know, he was visiting Dr. Knowles and I took the opportunity to acquaint him with some of the operations of the Institute. When I asked whether he had seen our letter of November 2nd regarding the addition to the PSC Collaborative Chronic Schizophrenia Study, he said he had not, because he had not been in Washington during the past week. I took the liberty, therefore, of discussing the proposal with him and giving him an opportunity to meet Dr. Itil and perhaps to provide him with some of the background information which may be of help to you in making your evaluation.

Last week Dr. Ulett called you regarding an extension in time for a proposed E.C.D.E.U. application from the Institute. I have taken the time to write such an application but find that the funds requested are relatively large in amount. I became keenly aware of the fact that there are two proposals before you regarding additional funds for the Institute. Last month we submitted a supplementary request for MH-07249-03 in the sum of \$38,307.00. Also, in our letter of November 2nd we are suggesting another supplement in the amount of \$34,450.00 for the additional data in the collaborative schizophrenia study.

While I believe we could successfully undertake an expansion of our E.C.D.E.U. program, I am concerned that submitting a large E.C.D.E.U. application may prejudice our earlier supplementary request. For this reason, I am hesitant about submitting this application at this time.

Sincerely yours,

Max Fink, M.D.
Director

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