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Dr. Sidney Merlis  
Central Islip State Hospital  
Central Islip, New York

Dear Sid,

I have read the list of candidates for membership in the ACNP and I believe the committee has a difficult responsibility, to select the most capable from among a list of eminent researchers.

I would like to endorse (if that is appropriate) the nomination of the following from the list, as scientists whose work I know and who I believe would contribute to the work of the College:

Samuel Barondes	Ronald S. Lipman
C. Keith Connors	Donald A. Overton
Burton J. Goldstein	Eugene Stern Paykel
Jerome H. Jaffe	Allen Raskin
Ali Keskiner	Richard E. Schultes
Milton Kletzkin	Andre Villeneuve

Sincerely yours,

Max Fink, M.D.  
Professor of Psychiatry

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