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Dear Oldrich,

1. Symposium

It has been difficult to assemble a suitable panel for the symposium on amphetamines and hallucinogen abuse, but I believe the attached outline is the way the program will look in a few weeks. *This is still provisional and is not to be published.*

To allow for the publication of abstracts, you may use this outline for the panel, and as the formal abstracts arrive, I will send them post-haste to you. If they arrive in time, they should be published as well; if not, the overview should do.

With reference to your earlier suggestion of a report on amphetamine abuse by Angrist and Gershon, I have discussed this with Professor Friedhoff, and his presentation, which I prefer, will cover much of this material. The Angrist-Gershon report may be included in the free communications.

2. Travel funds.

I shall use up to \$1,000.00 as suggested in your letter (2/13/70) - less if possible.

3. Program Committee notes (2/25/70).

Co-symposia: A useful name, and I agree with the principal of chairing these presentations. The special sessions:

For electrophysiology: It'll as co-chairman; if you wish an animal neurophysiologist as co-chairman, I would suggest Dr. Milton Kletzkln (Wallace Laboratories, Cranbury, New Jersey 08512).

For clinical trials, Bente or a representative of the German-Swiss units should be considered.

For prediction, perhaps you would wish someone who uses physiological predictors, as C. Shagass (Temple University) or H. Eysenck (Maudsley).

For penetration of drugs in the brain, Dr. John Rech (Dartmouth College) or Steven Sherwood (Stanford University).

As for limiting presentations, I would agree to one presentation per author.

4. You are doing a fine job. Keep it up! I will send the list of formal symposium participants shortly.

Sincerely yours,

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