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Mr. Lawrence Erlbaum,
Vice-President,
V. H. Winston & Sons, Inc.,
1511 K Street, N.W.,
Washington, D.C. 20005.

Dear Mr. Erlbaum,

Enclosed are three sets of documents for the ECT
volume.

Clinical Progress in Convulsive Therapy is report
#20.

After submitting the report by McGaugh and Williams,
and in relation to the summaries written by Kety and
myself, I made some changes in this summary, sent them
to McGaugh and Williams, and have just received their
approval for the changes. If you will compare the draft
in your hands and this draft, you will find that the
changes are essentially in the first two pages, and
thereafter they are minor.

I am also submitting a copy of #15, the article
by Abrams on multiple ECT. I am enclosing two copies:
one as revised by the author, so that you can see where
the small changes were made; and a retyped copy which may
make it easier for your editor. These changes were
requested by me, insofar as an important report concerning
multiple ECT appeared in the February, 1973 issue of the
American Journal of Psychiatry.

Only lacking at this moment is an introduction by
Dr. Katz. I visited him in Washington yesterday, and
he agreed to send it to me before Friday, indicating that
the delay was in part occasioned by the necessity to check
with some of his superiors.

One technical problem which I did not know how to
answer, is the proper way to refer to other articles in
the same volume. For convenience, I have marked them as
1973 in the text, and "*this volume*" in the citations.
This is arbitrary, and I would ask your editor to set a
more acceptable style.

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We are now 99% up to date. Except for one week later this month, or early June, when I will be in Europe, I shall be here and would like to meet with you, or review the edited drafts at your earliest convenience.

Sincerely yours,

Max Fink, M.D.
Executive Director

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