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Dr. Leo Alexander
433 Marlborough Street
Boston 15, Massachusetts

Dear Leo:

Following your report at the Society of Biological Psychiatry, I am pleased to recommend Dr. A. Arthur Sugerman, for membership in the Society of Biological Psychiatry. Dr. Sugerman is Chief, Investigative Psychiatry Section, of the New Jersey Neuro-Psychiatric Institute. He is a graduate of the doctoral training program at the Downstate Medical Center.

I have known Dr. Sugerman for more than three years, and have followed his studies with a great deal of interest. He has made contributions in the fields of the classification of schizophrenia, studies of new psychotropic drugs, EEG and behavior. Most of our association has been related to his studies of new drugs. I have found his reports among the best in the field and despite the fact that he has come into this field recently, I consider him one of the best evaluators of new compounds in the treatment of the mentally ill.

It is a pleasure to recommend his membership and I am delighted to join Dr. Carl Pfeiffer in this honor.

Sincerely yours,

Max Fink, M.D.
Professor of Psychiatry

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cc: Dr. Sugerman