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Dear Turan,

We have completed our phase I study of pyrovalerone. The conclusions are summarized in the enclosed report, sent to Dr. Boyer. The EEG material shows pyrovalerone to have a pattern similar to the amphetamines, but its classification must depend on a definitive study.

As we had discussed in Miami, I am also sending a copy to Carl Pfeiffer. If a collaborative classification study were done - we would recommend single 160 mg dosages, and other conditions, as described on page 5.

My best regards.

Sincerely yours,

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cc: Dr. Boyer

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