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Mrs. Phyllis Woodward
Convention Manager
American Psychiatric Association
1700 - 18th Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20009

Dear Mrs. Woodward:

It is with great regret that my associates and I must withdraw the demonstration "Application of Digital Computer Analyses of the EEG to Psychiatry," from the 1967 APA meeting. I have already notified the exhibit managers by telephone, and ask that you accept this letter as a formal withdrawal.

When we originally planned the exhibit, we anticipated demonstrating the programs and equipment now available in Missouri. This equipment is no longer commercially available and we were unable to obtain it for the demonstration. In its stead, IBM proposed that we use the new system, their IBM 1800.

Ordinarily, this would have been acceptable, but the equipment is new and still has not been delivered to New York for our use in rewriting the program. In view of the short time available in preparing the demonstration, we did not feel that we could present a satisfactory program.

We do feel, however, that the 1800 system will be operational at the New York Medical College by the end of the year. If that is so, I anticipate that we will reapply for such a demonstration in 1968.

Thank you very much for your cooperation.

Sincerely yours,

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cc: Dr. Frazier