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Dr. Joshua Lederberg
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Dear Josh:

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A number of Academy members have mentioned their disappointment that Avram Goldstein has not been elected. His distinction in pharmacology would have gained him election long ago were there an Academy section representing this discipline.

Wide recognition of his pioneering work on the endorphins includes biochemists, physiologists, neurobiologists and medical scientists. Hence I propose that a Nominating Committee is the proper device to secure his election.

Would you care to join me? Please let me know on the enclosed sheet either way. Also let me know if there are other Academy members who might like to join this Nominating Committee. ✓

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Arthur Kornberg".

Arthur Kornberg, M.D.

Enclosures
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gladly!
JK