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Professor Joshua Lederberg Stanford University Medical School Stanford, Calif USA

Dear Professor Lederberg,

As you are aware, a part of the next Symposium (12-16 May 1964) of COSPAR at Florence is to be devoted to Life Sciences. We would like to have a review paper on exobiology and to see the emphasis placed on the problem of sterilization. It would be very kind of you if you could accept to prepare and present this review paper. In the event of it being impossible for you to accept this invitation, would you be kind enough to ask Dr. Elliott Levinthal to do so.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

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