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Dear Dr. Lederberg:

I would like to express my appreciation and thanks for your testimony on air quality standards for lead before the recent meeting of the Air Resources Board. I realize this required a special effort on your part because of your busy schedule.

Your statement was objective, unemotional, and well-delivered. It was a major factor in tipping the balance towards adoption of the standards.

Thank you again and best wishes for a happy holiday and prosperous New Year.

A. J. Haagen-Smit, Chairman  
Air Resources Board

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "A. J. Haagen-Smit", written over a horizontal line.

cc: Dr. Rodney Beard