Dr. Frank Brink, Jr., Chairman President's Committee on the National Medal of Science National Science Foundation Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Dr. Brink:

Dr. Tracy Sonneborn of Indiana University has just written me concerning his momination of H. J. Muller for the National Nedal of Science, which I am most happy to endorse. He tells me that he had already quoted me in extenso in support of his own momination of Br. Muller, and it may therefore be unnecessary for me to add any additional language. There can be no question of the correspondence of Muller's career to the criteria for candidacy that your letter enunciated.

Yours sincerely.

Joshua Lederberg Professor of Genetics

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cc: Dr. T. M. Sonneborn - All fall

James Capellone this should speak for itself.

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