

September 29, 1956

Mr. Fred J. Mann, President  
Mann Research Laboratories  
136 Liberty Street  
New York 6, N. Y.

Dear Mr. Mann:

This is to confirm that Dr. Joshua Lederberg has accepted to act as our representative according to my letter of July 20, 1956. He was supposed to place orders through your Company and to receive 20 % of the sale prices.

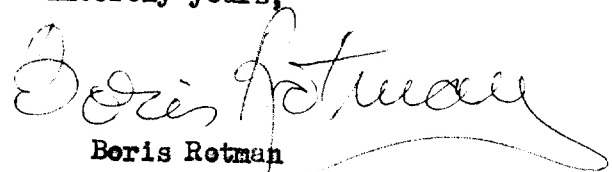
Please contact Dr. Lederberg directly at the Genetics Department, University of Wisconsin, Madison, Wisconsin, and explain him about his duties as representative.

I received your letter of September 18 with the information on the price situation of ONPG. I do not know what quality the ONPG of California Foundation is, at any rate the difference in their prices and ours is not so large. I will consult my partners ( who still have interest in the stock of ONPG you have in hand) to decide shortly on the matter.

This Institute wants to purchase 1 gram of ONPG for teaching a post-graduate course in a couple of weeks. Because of the red tape it will be almost impossible to have a purchasing order in your hands on time. Therefore if you could send the ONPG and bill it later they will be very grateful. I will be responsible for the payment in any case. The order has to go to: c/e Dr. Cabelle.

With best personal regards,

Sincerely yours,

  
Boris Retman

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