Dr. Albert B. Sabin  
The Children's Hospital Research Foundation  
Elland and Bethesda Avenues  
Cincinnati 29, Ohio

Dear Doctor Sabin:

Dr. John F. Enders has very kindly consented to act as chairman for the complement fixation conference which is to be held in Room A of the Commodore Hotel, on Thursday, August 5, 1954. For the benefit of those who might be arriving by train on Thursday morning, it has been decided that this conference will begin at 9:15 A.M.

Rather than assign special topics to certain individuals, Doctor Enders feels that it will be preferable if a number of experienced investigators discuss, in the space of about thirty minutes each, their own methods and also their results. The order of speakers, as suggested by Doctor Enders, is given on the attached sheet.

Doctor Enders has promised to write individually to those persons whom he has invited to speak, and to indicate to them any special aspects which he considers to be of unusual importance.

If you have not already done so, we would be grateful if you would indicate to us whether or not you plan to attend the meeting on Friday morning, August 6. The subject on that occasion will be - The Feasibility and Advisability of Setting Up Courses of Training in Tissue Culture Techniques as Applied to Tests for Poliomyelitis Viruses and Antibodies.

Sincerely yours,

Henry W. Kumm, M.D.
Director of Research

Dr. Enders asked
SUGGESTED AGENDA FOR COMPLEMENT FIXATION CONFERENCE

on

Thursday, August 5, 1954

Introductory Remarks - Dr. John F. Enders 9:15 A.M.
Dr. Jordi Casals 9:30 A.M.
Dr. Francis N. Black (for Dr. Joseph L. Melnick) 10:00 A.M.
Break 10:45 A.M.
Dr. Manfred M. Mayer 11:00 A.M.
Dr. William McD. Hammon 11:30 A.M.
Lunch 12:30 P.M.
Dr. Frederick C. Robbins 1:30 P.M.
Dr. Herbert A. Wenner 2:00 P.M.
Dr. Robert Rustigian 2:30 P.M.
Available for Discussion 3:00 to 5:00 P.M.