Dr. Albert Sabin
The Children's Hospital Research Foundation
Cincinnati 29, Ohio

Dear Dr. Sabin:

Recently, the Division of Research Grants has been called upon to advise the Division of Civilian Health Requirements, Public Health Service, concerning the scientific soundness of special requests for allocation of gamma globulin to be used for research purposes. It has seemed desirable to form a special small ad hoc committee from among our consultants to provide this service. Although I realize full well that your time is more than taken up, I would like to request that you agree to serve on this committee. You have my promise that we will do all in our power to keep the efforts you need to expend for this purpose minimal. We anticipate that most of the required business may be conducted by telephone and that the number of requests you would have to evaluate would be small.

May I ask for a return reply to this letter as soon as possible. It is hoped that the committee will be set up promptly. Further and detailed information will be sent to you after you have agreed to serve.

Sincerely yours,

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