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Chicago, Illinois
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Dr. Leroy U. Gardner, Director
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Dear Dr. Gardner:

In answer to your letter of the fifteenth, let me say that forms will be sent to you by the National Cancer Institute for your use in case you desire to apply for a grant in aid of work on the carcinogenic effect of asbestos dust.

The next meeting of the National Advisory Cancer Council is scheduled for June 7 next, and applications to be considered at that meeting should be on hand not later than the first week in May.

In experiments with mice, strains of known susceptibility to spontaneous lung cancer must be used consistently. There are, as is well known, strains that are highly susceptible to spontaneous lung cancers and others that are not.

Yours sincerely,

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