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Environmental Physiology and
Medicine Directorate

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Dear Bob:

Enclosed are copies of all correspondence concerning the scientific and human subjects research review process. The protocol has been approved contingent on the U.S. Army Medical Research and Development Command, Human Subject Research Review Board receiving my final revision of the protocol incorporating their recommendations. This revision has been sent, and a copy of this final version of the protocol is enclosed. I will need to provide them with copies of your Human Subjects Research Review Committee's approval when it is granted.

As I mentioned in our phone conversation, efforts are underway to identify a source of potential test subjects. I will keep you posted on the progress of this task, and as soon as possible put you in contact with the blood bank which will be drawing the two units of blood.

Although progress seems slow, it appears to be in the right direction. I will be in touch soon to finalize details concerning the blood samples we will be providing to you, and to discuss the arrangements for having one of our technicians learn to do the viscosity measurements. We will also need to arrange to borrow the required instrument.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "A. J. Young", is written over the typed name.

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Enclosure