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Mrs. Lorraine McGraw
The Berkeley Campus Human Subjects Committee

Dear Mrs. McGraw:

Your letter bringing to my attention a complaint by Dr. David Stodolsky reached my attention today. I cannot account for the delay in the mail, but I respond at once.

My research on appearance of people in regard to their degree of exposure to drugs was reviewed and approved by the Human Subjects Committee. No drugs have been given by me or taken at my suggestion. The work was partially funded by the Carthage Foundation. This support ended in 1973. Most of the study was completed prior to the organization of the Human Subjects Committee and the formulation of its policies with which I agree and cooperate.

The observation that marijuana users show marked mental recovery on abstinence was a chance observation by me. It is an obvious matter also discovered and confirmed by many other researchers. In fact, it was well known in the past. Permission to carry out observations on marijuana users abstaining (as volunteers) from the drug was given by the Committee in 1973 and the work was completed at that time. Dr. Stodolsky's complaint refers to these observations of improvement during abstinence. Conclusions and recommendations now given by me based on my observations such as in my lectures and publications do not constitute experimental use of human subjects.

Other comments by Dr. Stodolsky appear to be irrelevant.

Sincerely,


Hardin B. Jones
Professor of Medical Physics and Physiology

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