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President R. G. Sproul
 Through Chancellor R. B. Allen
 C A M P U S

Attention: Mr. Paul C. Hannum
 Business Office

Dear President Sproul:

RE: Application for Research Grant
 Damon Runyon Memorial Fund for Cancer Research, Inc.
 By: Irwin M. Weinstein, M.D.
 Visiting Associate Professor of Medicine
 "Studies on the Anemia of Malignant Diseases"
 Amount: \$10,219.00
 Period: October 1, 1955 to September 30, 1956

Enclosed herewith is Application for Research Grant from the Damon Runyon Memorial Fund for Cancer Research, Inc. as submitted by Irwin M. Weinstein, M.D., Visiting Associate Professor of Medicine, requesting funds in the amount of \$10,219.00 for the period October 1, 1955 to September 30, 1956, for the purpose of conducting "Studies on the Anemia of Malignant Diseases."

This project is concerned with evaluating simultaneously red cell formation and red cell destruction in human subjects with malignant diseases of the blood. The combined method allows for the evaluation of the relative importance of decreased red cell formation and decreased red cell survival in the production of the anemia accompanying varied malignant illnesses.

Space and facilities for this study are available in Room 32-132, Medical Center, and no additional space will be required on the UCLA campus. Nothing patentable is expected to result from this research program.

Provision has been made for the allowable overhead of the Damon Runyon Memorial Fund for Cancer Research, Inc.: 8% of the total research funds. However, no provision has been made for the State Employees' Retirement System, as it is not customary to request such reimbursement from nongovernmental agencies.

It is hoped that this request will meet with your approval and receive the favorable consideration of the Regents of the University at their meeting on September 16, since there is an urgent need to activate the laboratory set aside for this research work as quickly as possible. In order to expedite approval by the Damon Runyon Memorial Fund for Cancer Research, Inc., an advance copy of the Application has been sent, at their request, to their headquarters at 399 1/2 Madison Avenue, Building E, 12th Floor, New York 17, New York. The original and ten (10) copies of both the Application and Supporting Data are to be forwarded to this New York address.

APPROVED:

Stafford L. Warren
 Stafford L. Warren, M.D.
 Dean, School of Medicine

Sincerely yours,

John S. Lawrence
 John S. Lawrence, M.D.
 Professor of Medicine and
 Chairman of the Department

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