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Dear Nikita,

Not having heard from you, I telephoned you yesterday and Kripkin told me you had left for Moscow. It is possible you tried to leave a message on our recording machine which was out of order; there was a long interval of noise on it two days ago.

I am enclosing correspondence by Lohs and myself on the CW draft I gave you. They are self-explanatory. I hope you will send me by fax very soon any comments you have because we want to finish and publish the chapter as soon as possible. For the section BW I leave to you to contact the two experts you mentioned (LW off and Prozorowski) instead of Mokulski. Incidentally Matt wanted me to make clear to you that in any visit to Sverdlovsk by his group, they would not want to visit the special facility previously mentioned unless the USSR authorities wanted them to. They would be glad to talk to medical, veterinary and civilian authorities and people, perhaps visit a cemetery.

I look forward to hearing from you very soon, by fax if possible.

Sincerely yours,

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