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SUBJECT CALL TO PROFESSOR TEMPERLY (5:48 a.m.-Dec. 3, 1984) COPIES TO: GRO-C

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I finally contacted Prof. Temperly and asked him for information about his patient. He seemed reluctant to talk.

He said the patient is suspected of having AIDS. I asked how firm the diagnosis is and he told me it was pretty firm. The patient is a 17 year old who is very sick from Pneumocystis Carinii. I asked whether there were any other risk factors and he said he did not think so because the patient comes from "the deep deep country".

Professor Temperly said he is not saying that Koate is necessarily the cause but felt, for public relations reasons, that he had to withdraw the product from the hemophiliacs. The patient had been receiving only Koate<sup>®</sup> (no other blood/blood products) for the past 9-10 months. Professor Temperly said he "knows more than he is prepared to say" and is making no decision at this moment.

I gained the impression that Professor Temperly intends to publish details of this case. Accordingly I feel that we must now begin to carefully scrutinize journals for any such communication. In addition, we should begin to plan our reply in order to refute any possible suggestion that Koate was the responsible agent.

I asked Professor Temperly to please keep us posted on what was going on and he said he would.

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