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Dear Professor Bloom:

Thank you for your kind letter dated May 23, 1983, in response to my statement as set out in a letter dated May 19. I am aware that my Secretary has briefly acknowledged your correspondence in my absence, but having just returned from the United States, I can now respond to your queries.

First of all, I have to tell you that the Armour Pharmaceutical Company U.S.A. in anticipating the FDA ruling established the FDA protocols in compliance one month before the actual FDA recommendations were issued.

For your further advice and assurance, you should know that we supplied Plasma prior to February 24, on a business-as-usual basis, but that most of this stock was supplied to customers in the U.S.A., since 70% of our Plasma business is in the U.S.A. At no time have we preferentially exported Plasma stocks ex the U.S.A. pre-February 24 or March 24.

I do hope that these comments answer your queries and provides the assurance which you so rightly seek. If I can be of any further assistance, please do not hesitate to let me know.

With best wishes.

Yours sincerely,

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K.W. Fitch,
Chairman and Managing Director