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14th January 1980.

Dr. W.J. Jenkins,
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Dear John,

Contract for the supply of BPL RIA test
for Hepatitis B Surface Antigen

Thank you for your letter of 7th January. It is apparent that this laboratory will continue to function in an assured manner, and arrangements are in hand to secure the BPL RIA test at the production level during the next financial year etc. I have spoken to Mr. Combridge about the supply of tests and have arranged for you to receive 3,000 tests per week, commencing on 10th March 1980.

I am pleased that you have, at this early stage, gained a favourable impression of the test, and I am sure that you are right in expecting an even higher performance once the system is used in full accordance with its documented design.

The question of a formal contract is in hand, but you will appreciate that this would represent a precedent for BPL. The matter will be pursued through the various management committees, and I will keep you informed.

With kindest regards,

Yours sincerely,

R. S. LANE.

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