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	FROM: Ms. A. B. Bessler
TO: Mr. R. Scoggin	CC: Ethical Products Division
	CITY: Tarrytown
THIS IS IN REPLY TO YOUR LETTER DATED:	DATE: 12/6/83
SUBJECT: Dr. Edward Shanbrom	

On November 29, a meeting was held in Kankakee which included Drs. Shanbrom, Feldman, Rodell, Mr. Sedor and myself to discuss Dr. Shanbrom's consulting and licensing agreements for the use of the Shanbrom patents on reduction of viral contamination of plasma proteins.

It was determined that several changes would be made in the licensing arrangement including a lower royalty fee if Armour retained rights to the patents. Further, we discussed our need for additional technical data in order to evaluate the usefulness of the patents in conjunction with other licensed or developed procedures to destroy hepatitis virus. Our conclusion with Shanbrom was that a draft agreement would be sent to him not later than the end of December for review and comments.

Mike, John and myself have agreed to provide a position paper regarding the continued use of Shanbrom as a consultant and the licensing of his patents to Mr. J. O'Brien by December 15, 1983.

We further agreed to continue Shanbrom's consulting fee on a month-by-month basis until February 1984. We gave Shanbrom a specific assignment to draft patent applications for two procedures codeveloped by Shanbrom and Armour during his consultancy. These patents will be the property of Armour Pharmaceutical. Additionally, Drs. Beling and Rodell are considering the use of Dr. Shanbrom as an expert consultant regarding the upcoming evaluation of testing procedures and screening of AIDS to eliminate high risk donors at Plasma Alliance.

Would you please release the current monthly payments owed to Dr. Shanbrom (October and November) and continue the Shanbrom payments for December and January. We anticipate that by February 1, a final agreement or termination of this agreement will be completed.

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CC: Mr. R. Lutz, Dr. M. Rodell, Mr. J. Sedor

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