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Dear Ernst:

Thank you for your letter of March 29, explaining the setting in which your previous statement was issued with regard to the split in Los Angeles. I think I understood this from my visit.

All of this material regarding new institutes is being forwarded to the Chairman of the Committee on New Institutes, Dr. Edward Bibring of Boston, and will be considered carefully by him.

It was nice seeing you and Maria in Los Angeles. We had a very comfortable trip back with a couple of days in Chicago with Lionel Blitzsten and then on to Stockbridge. Winter is just ending here -- at least I hope it is -- and today is quite spring-like.

Cordially,

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