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Dr. Henry Blackburn, Director
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File L.P.H.
pc Dean Stauffer
H.L.T.

Dear Henry:

The Regents of the University have recently instituted an early retirement program for faculty members 62 years and older which provides a retirement income approximately equal to that available when a member retires at age 65. I should like to take advantage of this program and to retire in June 1973 if it is acceptable to you and Dean Stauffer. I am told that this action must also be approved by other branches of the University Administration.

approve
HS.

One important purpose of retiring is to speed up the publication of the results of our dietary research of the past several years. If I retire I hope that I can have office space and a small amount of secretarial help until these reports are finished.

OK.

I visualize that these publications should include not only the factual reporting of results obtained but also the application of the findings toward improving the dietary habits of Americans. I hope that the mathematical relationships which we have discovered can be organized into a simple educational tool for the use of health practitioners. This education device will enable them to guide people into specific changes in food pattern and in habits which will significantly reduce the risk of heart disease and increase the length of life.

Sincerely,

Joseph T. Anderson
Joseph T. Anderson
Professor

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