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Dear Henry:

I have been over the drop out letter that you used at Minnesota and which was sent around to the MRFIT principal investigators.

It is very helpful to have this kind of document circulated. I hope you will not mind if I tell you that I believe the letter in question is too complex and wordy to be entirely effective for the purpose. I would essentially drop out the second and third paragraphs or condense them greatly. The first sentence in the last paragraph is incorrect and I suspect the word question is really meant to be the point since the rest of the sentence does not refer to a question but rather to a statement of fact.

Sincerely,

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