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Dear Lyle,

Pentti Rautaharju is sending you under separate cover a note on a European Meeting on Standards for Computerized ECG Analysis. It is hard to know what will come of this sort of operation which we started out with such great promise 10 years ago in Venice. I see no harm in the International Society supporting the idea fully. It could, as a matter of fact, turn into a very active Council or section of a Council.

It continues to be a source of great distress and disappointment to those of us in the Epidemiology and Prevention Council that the most visible, most tangible, most effective, and most scholarly activity of the International Society, the Ten-Day Symposium on Cardiovascular Epidemiology, is still not decently supported by the Society.

We were riding so high in the late '60s and it is a shame to let the little depression of spirit and internecine strife defeat such a potentially viable organization. Many of us are looking to you to bring him back to life.

Cordially,

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