Congress of the United States House of Representatives

Washington, D.C. 20515

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Dear Dr. D

Thanks for the telegram in support of H. R. 12347, the Biomedical Research Amendments.

I agree with you and intend to vote for the bill when it comes before the House for action sometime before the Congress adjourns on Saturday.

With best wishes.

Denald M. Fraser

18 September 1978

Congressman Donald M. Fraser 332 House Office Building Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Don:

I am confident that you will turn these circumstances into a new and creative career. I have no concern about that. But I am sure concerned about the Democrats of Minnesota and the status of our paeple who have become an uncritical and uninformed public.

I hope you don't mind that I and others have suggested to Peter McGrath that you be offered a place in the Hubert Humphrey Institute for Public Affairs. It would be nice to have you around here.

I just had a visit with Burt Brown last week the chap that Califano fired from the Institute of Alcohol and Mental Disease last year. He says that is no better place on earth than the Woodrow Wilson Center at the Smithsonian for the bright and thoughtful who have been ousted or defrocked.

Cordially,

Henry Blackburn, M.D. Professor and Director

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cc: Janet Shapiro

(sent in his absence)

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