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Dear Dwight:

I am sorry that we continue to play telephone tag. I am pretty much available all this and next week but if we have trouble again I would be grateful for your calling me evenings at (612) 377-9664.

With respect to comments on your notes on ethical tenets and conclusions of collaboration with industry, the enclosed is a bit unfocused but represents some of our concerns here. It's the subtle influences that divert energies and reduce credibility that are most damaging in collaborations with industry. We had a full year of discussions on these issues in the School of Public Health last year but the final conclusion was more or less to leave the status quo. My guiding "aphorism" is that all we really have in Academia is our credibility. It's all lost as soon as it's for sale.

Cordially,

Henry Blackburn, MD Professor and Director

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