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Dear Dr. Edwrads:

We have recently worked with a group of Salmonella typhimurium strains, received from Lilleengen, among which there are some which are almost certainly showing genetic recombination like that of E. coli K-12. We are preparing to do some serological work with these cultures. I am writing to ask your help in providing certain cultures needed to prepare the sera we are interested in. The cultures are as follows:

156 -[1]	bonariensis
6	paratyphi B, [2]
50- [2]	newport
1	paratyphi A
36- [2]	cholerae suis (kunzendorf)
2	paratyphi A (durazzo)
87	senftenberg
60	typhi V
11	typhi-murium [IV, XII]

I realize that repeated requests of this kind must put you to some trouble, and wish to assure you of my appreciation for the help you have given in the past.

Yours sincerely,

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