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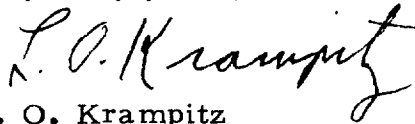
Dear Dr. Lederberg:

I am submitting the name of Charles Yanofsky to be considered for the Eli Lilly Award in Bacteriology. I have been watching Charlie develop and I think he is very deserving of the Award.

In view of the fact that you are acquainted with Charlie's work and have been following it, I wonder if you would be willing to submit a supporting letter (four copies) on his behalf. In the material requested by the committee, besides the routine information they wish to have a statement with specific reference to the research upon which the nomination is based. I am wondering if you would include such a statement in your letter as I think it will help strengthen the nomination. Perhaps an added bit of information which you may not be aware of is that Charlie received the Lederle Medical Faculty Award a couple of years ago, another indication, I believe, of his scientific stature.

In the event that you are willing to submit a letter for him, will you please forward it to me in order that I may make up the complete nomination set. I must have the complete information in the hands of the chairman of the committee by January 15.

Very truly yours,



L. O. Krampitz

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