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Dear Sir,

We are very grateful for your letter of 24th August, and are always pleased to hear from inventors. As you may know, many ideas which appear novel to the inventor are not new and, of course, some new ideas may not be patentable. It would, therefore, help us if you would send us further particulars of your invention. Has the patent been granted and if so in which countries and when? The actual dates are, of course, important and if possible we would like a copy of each patent or alternatively perhaps you would let us have the official patent numbers. You will realise that there is so much uncertainty between application and the granting of a patent that we prefer not to discuss matters in any detail until patents have actually been granted. Even when patents are granted it does not follow, of course, that an idea is commercially applicable or of interest to us. However, we have a continuing and deep interest in this field and will be pleased to give careful and detailed consideration when you reply.

Yours faithfully,

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