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by ING. W. GASS (VIENNA)

I refer to my letter dated 7th August to Mr. Hobson and copied to you.

We have now completed our preliminary laboratory investigations and I enclose a copy of a note by Mr. Horsewell outlining the results.

Briefly, the nicotine in the enriched silica gel sample appears to be stable, possibly because it may be in the form of nicotine carbonate. If it is transferred to the mainstream smoke in the process of smoking, the transfer is so small as to be undetectable.

Accordingly, we do not see any value to pursuing the offer to the Company by Ing. W. Gass.



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