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Dear Dr. Schlottfeldt:

Please refer to our letters dated July 12 and December 17, 1957, with reference to the list of material submitted with your letter dated March 25, 1957, to be purchased under the above appropriation.

Although a great deal of time has elapsed, we have had no reply to our letters, nor have we received any of the necessary Brazilian Import Licenses covering this material.

Unless we hear from you within the next thirty days, we will cancel all the open items on your list, and consider it complete.

Sincerely yours,

*William A. Heins*

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Purchasing Agent

Dr. Carlos S. Schlottfeldt, Diretor  
Escola Superior de Agricultura  
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Viçosa, 23 de novembro de 1959

Mr. Lewis M. Roberts  
The Rockefeller Foundation  
49 West 49th Street  
NEW YORK 20 - N.Y.

Mr. Roberts:

Enclosed you will find most of the importation licences that are necessary in order to secure the Rockefeller Foundation grant to my School. In a few days the rest will be sent.

I regret to say that I realize how long it took to come to this point.

But, in a way of an explanation, already given with Dr. Menicucci to Mrs. McKelvey and you when you visited us last, may I say that all inter-institutional matters are to be transferred to the Reitoria of our University. Dr. Menicucci in turn tried to secure help from the "Representation Office of Minas Gerais State" in Rio. Unfortunately only after almost two years they came to the conclusion that they could not handle our case in a proper way. And when I went personally to Rio to try solve these matters I received a reference of an "specialist" in importation licences who is a clerk in the "Banco do Brasil". This, after having tried for some two weeks to discover the way through on my own.



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This man really did the trick, although charging C\$ 30.000,00 for his work up to now.

May I add once more how much this grant means and will mean to my small school and to our professors who are avidly waiting for it.

Sincerely yours

Escola Superior de Agricultura da  
Universidade Rural do Est. de M. Gerais

*C. J. L.*

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Director