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February 3, 1938

Dr. Henry D. Chadwick, Commissioner,
Department of Public Health,
State House, Boston, Mass.

My dear Doctor Chadwick:

This will acknowledge the receipt of your memorandum of February 7 stating the amounts recommended by the Governor in his budget. As the amounts allowed for expenses at our two laboratories are the same as those requested, there is nothing to be said about them. The cut in the amount requested for personal services at the Antitoxin and Vaccine Laboratory is acceptable inasmuch as this amount can be made up by not having an Assistant Director during part of the year.

I understand that the cut in the amount for personal services at the Wassermann Laboratory is due to the fact that the new position of Supervising Laboratory Technician is allowed but that when Miss McCarthy is promoted to this her position of Laboratory Assistant will be abolished and will be replaced by a new position of Laboratory Assistant on the Federal Budget. This solution appears to be satisfactory and, therefore, the deduction in this item is acceptable.

Respectfully yours,

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Director

MEMORANDUM

Budget Figures

To:

From: Dr. Chadwick

Date: Feb. 7, 1938

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Following are the budget figures for your Division as recommended by His Excellency, the Governor, in House 1601. I expect to be asked to appear before the Committee on Ways and Means this week. May I have suggestions from you relative to the figures given.

| | <u>Amount Requested</u> | <u>Recommended by Governor</u> |
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| Antitoxin & Vaccine Lymph: | | |
| Personal Services | \$80,030. | \$79,350. |
| Expenses | 34,398. | 34,400. |
| Wassermann Laboratory: | | |
| Personal Services | \$20,040. | \$19,000. |
| Expenses | 6,000. | 6,000. |