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**EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT  
OFFICE OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY POLICY**

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20506

March 27, 1984

Dear Dr. Poiger:

I was pleased to receive your letter and to find your expression of interest into my research on dioxin levels in human fat. Issues related to human exposure to TCDD demand that more data be obtained on "background" levels of 2,3,7,8-TCDD, other dioxins and the furans. Accordingly the United States Veterans Administration and the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) are cooperating in the analyses of 555 tissues, collected respectively from the EPA Human Adipose Tissue Bank. I have enclosed under separate cover two draft articles and a recent publication that may be of interest to you.

I would be pleased to meet with you and review your proposed project on TCDD in man. As you noted in your letter, I am planning to attend the Special Dioxin Symposium in Milan on May 24-26, 1984. In addition, I have accepted an invitation to Turin for May 30-June 1. I will have a few days available between the two meetings in which I could visit with you in your laboratory at Zurich. Such a meeting would give us the opportunity to review the dioxin efforts underway within out two countries. If acceptable to you, I would be willing to present a seminar on dioxin research activities within the U.S. Federal Government.

I look forward to seeing you in late May.

Sincerely,



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