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Mrs. Ruth Tener  
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Dear Mrs. Tener:

I apologize for not answering your letter of June 10 much earlier; I simply am not always in the best of health and energy these days.

As to the application for associate membership by Mr. E. D. Pittman, I believe he should be able to look up the professors at the University of Southern California or some of the local oil company geologists that are full members of the S.E.P.M. This sort of thing falls into the region of individual enterprise, and I am sure Mr. Pittman has some of that. In such a case I should not act as a sponsor, in my opinion.

It is regrettable that we have only one member at U.C.L.A. Perhaps we should invite them in.

Cordially yours,

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