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Dr. H. B. Stenzel Bureau of Economic Geology University of Texas Austin, Texas

Dear Dr. Stenzel:

Having recently revived an interest in the geology of petroleum, it seems appropriate that I apply for membership in the A.A.P.G. I am writing to inquire whether or not you will be so kind as to act as one of my sponsors. It is being presumed that my service with the University of Texas qualifies me for active membership, but if you do not concur please inform me.

Messrs. Ben B. Cox and Paul Weaver are being asked to serve as sponsors also. My application will probably be forwarded for your signature by Mr. Weaver. Enclosed is a portion of the application on which certain information is requested from sponsors.

Please give my regards to Goldich and to Barnes.

Sincerely yours,

Duncan McConnell

Enclosure