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Dear Dr. Ettinger:

I wish to thank you for your letter of July 22, inviting me to join the Cryonics Society of America and to become a member of the Scientific Advisory Council. Please forgive me for the long delay in answering your letter as I have been on vacation, traveling, and I have also taken some time to deliberate seriously over your offer.

After careful and serious consideration of your proposals I find that it would be inopportune at this time for me to join and participate actively in the Cryonics Society. As Treasurer-Elect of the Society for Cryobiology, I must admit that my decision was strongly influenced by Dr. Arthur P. Rinfret, President-Elect of the Cryobiology Society, who has advised against joining and participating in the Cryonics Society.

Please believe that I have the greatest respect and admiration for you and your efforts in organizing the Society. I should appreciate very much being put on your mailing list and receiving correspondence pertaining to developments of the Scientific Advisory Council and the Society.

Sincerely yours,

Arthur W. Rowe, Ph.D.