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Dear Lee,

Thank you for your letter of 14th April which has crossed with one I sent to Bob Gibb on 13th April asking whether you could yet specify any dates for the visit by the Canadian Health delegation. This was to assist our friends in Bristol who were having difficulty in holding dates open. It is clear from your letter that there will be no visit in May and as I have told Dr. Bentley to that effect. In reply, he has asked if you could avoid the period 5th-13rd June, when he has scheduled a series of visits to Nottingham by Members of Parliament. As these parliamentary visits involve him as well as Nottingham personnel, it would not be feasible to visit Bristol during this period, either. If it will help you in your planning, the whole of July is pretty clear and so we will hold the last week of June and early July clear.

I will wait until I hear from you that the visit is definitely on, the dates proposed, how large is the delegation and their interests. Colburn and Farner have already visited Norregren and Lakatos but, as the delegation is to be arranged, it would be very helpful to know from you whether these two visits should be repeated for the benefit of the other members. It would also be useful in arranging to visit the Canadian Embassy contracted at Inveresk Research International if CTMC were to suggest it to us.

I look forward to hearing further from you when you are ready.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,



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