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My dear Krishna,

Indian art world, without you, will lack the back-bone. It's ~~is~~ good to have you, + your work, ideas + timely action, <sup>which</sup> brings much equilibrium, harmony + order.

Thanks for your warm letter - prompt + to the point. I am glad that you fixed up a room for me at the I.I.C. where I am staying. I haven't yet heard from Gaei - so however she may take it, I do not regret having asked you. I am also confirming my arrival to Mr. Gupta + will in Delhi 7 days - 28th Jan - 4th Feb. 90.

Kalidas Samman to Gaei is great news. I wish, we all could be present to be in Bhopal on 13th Feb. Ask Ram, Mamta, Bal. Let's feast it. Gaei has been so much in my thoughts + this award is most timely. Please help him to choose his finest works - do give your paintings + persuade Henning to give the large Canvas at Tonks-Larsen. Hope they make a super Catalogue + hanging.

I have much work before leaving. Yesterday I confirmed + paid my tickets. Will leave Paris on 13th to reach Bombay on 14th Jan. Am catching up ~~my~~ with my letters - Chander Shekhar + others - Long due Janine is not coming, but I will have so much work that a month in India will pass soon. I am scheduled to return on the 13th but have asked changes with Air India so that I can stay till 17th Feb. in order to attend Gaei's showing.

Thanks once again. In Bombay I stay with Bal. Address to Cal. Chemould  
Find me to you + Ram + see you soon -

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