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Dear Add,

I have just heard that the Royal College of Physicians' Report on Air Pollution will now definitely not be ready for publication until March or April 1970. Furthermore, although this Report was going to devote a good deal of space to smoking and point a strongly accusing finger at this habit, it now seems that there will only be a minimum reference to smoking in it. One of the reasons for this is that the R.C.P. is anxious that the Air Pollution Report should not steal the thunder of their second Smoking and Health Report, which is expected to be published in the late summer of 1970. Will you please give this piece of information the same security rating as that referred to in my letter of 7th July.

With kindest regards,

Yours sincerely,

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The "security rating" referred to is "in strict confidence"

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