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Dear Mr. Lade,

I was much interested in the article by Dr. Rolf Weber in the latest issue of the Review. While I agree with the views expressed by Dr. Weber about the need to analyse any material believed to be of extra-terrestrial origin, this is not nearly so easy as might at first appear. Analysis by commercial labs is very expensive and usually quite beyond the means of the usual "saucer" enthusiast, and as any one who has tried can testify, any approach to government labs is usually met with a very cold shoulder as soon as any tie-in with flying saucers is mentioned.

I am sending under separate cover a sample of material which came to the attention of our group and which Dr. Weber might be interested in, - if you would be good enough to forward it to him. When all the data are in we shall be most pleased to give you the story on this material, but in the meantime we would prefer that the sample be tackled blind.

Yours sincerely

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