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Professor Atle Selberg The Institute for Advanced Study Princeton, New Jersey

Dear Professor Selberg:

It was a privilege to have you participate in our first annual science conference. Your contribution to its success was particularly significant. As it has been some time since that conference, your lecture on the Theory of Discontinuous Groups may no longer represent your latest thinking on the subject. Nevertheless, we would still like to record this important phase of your research.

As you know we taped each lecture as well as the questions and answers which followed. We have transscribed all sections of the conference and a rough draft of your part of the mathematics session is enclosed. The transcribed draft may be used to assist you in revising your manuscript. You may, however, wish to correct or add to this draft and return it to us for publication instead. If you think it appropriate, please feel free to comment on changes which have taken place since your lecture.

We have not published the proceedings of the first or second conferences since some speakers of each conference have not submitted their manuscripts. In order not to delay the publication of the manuscripts which were submitted, we published them in Scripta Mathematica as individual articles with a notation that they would appear later in the conference proceedings. We are now planning to publish the proceedings of both conferences in one book this spring utilizing those manuscripts which are available at that time. We hope that you will be able to complete your manuscript by then.

Professor Atle Selberg

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Your participation in the 1962 science conference was most invaluable and has contributed toward setting a very high standard for succeeding conferences. If we can be of further assistance to you, please do not hesitate to call upon us. Warm personal regards.

Sincerely,

A. Gelbart

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