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Dear Mr. Damle:

It is indeed a pleasure to transmit herewith the Report of the Second Joint Indo-American Team on Agricultural Education, Research and Extension.

Members of the Team visited most of the Indian States to discuss with Government officials, educators and others the diverse and complex problems related to these three activities. In connection with these discussions, they were privileged to inspect facilities and review the work of many research institutes, Commodity Committees, agricultural and veterinary colleges and Community Development and National Extension Blocks.

The Team was guided by the terms of reference set forth in a Government of India Resolution.

Progress of work during the past five years is reviewed in the Report; supplementary recommendations are presented relative to support of agricultural education, research and extension in the Third Five Year Plan; and the Inter-institutional Agreement with five American universities is reviewed and recommendations made for its continuance.

The views of the Team, as projected in the Report, with one exception, have the unanimous approval of the members.

We believe that recommendations of the Team, if implemented, will strengthen agricultural education, research and extension, and contribute greatly to India's economic and social development.

Yours sincerely,

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