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Dear Ms Payne,

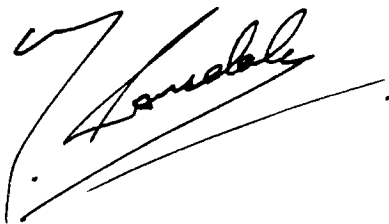
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Your letter of 21 December, 1994 came as an unwelcome surprise. I take consolation that these matters usually turn out for the best.

As a veterinary surgeon, British citizen, member of the Royal College of Veterinary Surgeons and longstanding member of the British Small Animal Veterinary Association I recognise that I have both rights and responsibilities. By virtue of my particular interests and research activities I feel that my obligations to the community are raised to a still higher level. For these reasons I cannot readily accept the decision communicated by you. In the first instance I have referred the matter to Mrs L V Hill, President of the BSAVA.

It is my hope that constructive thought can be quickly applied to the current problems.

Yours sincerely,



Tom Lonsdale

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