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info to answer H. Wakeham -
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To: Dr. R. B. Seligman
From: H. Wakeham
Subject: Selective Nicotine Removal

Date: November 13, 1963

At one time we talked about a proposal for a pilot plant to carry out the Staley process. What is the status of this pilot plant design and estimate? Maybe we should bring this proposal and estimate up-to-date so that if there is some move to make quantities of extract tobacco, we can present a statement as to how quickly we could get into production on a limited scale.

HW/jst.

HW also
RBS I think we
might go for the design
without waiting for
the HTI test. How
much will it cost?
HWake

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If you recall - we said we would wait for the results of the consumer panel test (HTI) before going outside for a firm engineering design and cost estimate. This is where we are except that my needle evidently hit a nerve in that the HTI test is now reactivated and the cigarettes are now late!

If you want to do the engineering study earlier - it can be arranged. I believe we wanted to go to French Milling for the design & cost estimate. RBS

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