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Dr Hether - to reply please

Your ref Our ref AWW/KJC Date 7 July 71

Dear *Nigel*

PARAQUAT - USE OF EMETICS

John Winchester has reported on a discussion which Dr Boon and Dr F L Rose of Pharmaceuticals have had on a compound ICI 63 197 which is said to be an efficient emetic. I attach a copy of a brief report by Dr Davies on this compound. You will note it has some side effects on the CNS. Could you kindly evaluate and give your opinion as to the possibility of adding it to a liquid, thixotropic or solid formulation.

John has also raised the question of adding a bitter agent to the solid salt of paraquat which is under evaluation. It is considered that a solid would require manipulation by the tongue before it could be swallowed and a sharp taste could have a strong rejection effect.

PPL are following up both these formulations with Mond and it would be appreciated if you could give these points early attention.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'A W Waitt', written in a cursive style.

A W Waitt
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