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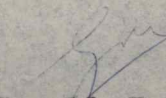
Dear Mr. Roberts:

The Diretora da Escola Superior de Ciências Domésticas, Maria das Dores de Carvalho Ferreira and Purcue technician, Coradel Hamilton are in São Paulo shopping for the items included in List I of the equipment needed for ESCD. , UREMG:

In as much as we should like to make the final arrangements for the purchase of these items upon their return, can you arrange to send me in the name of either ESCD. or the University a check for \$ 20,000.00 to cover the payment of these proposed purchases?

Thanking you for giving this your prompt attention, I am

Very truly yours,


Geraldo D. MACHADO

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One of these challenges is to sharply expand the number of students which we train. This we must do to provide the technically trained people required for the agricultural development of Brazil. For example, we are thinking in terms of a student body of 2000 in the not-so distant future. This will require sharply expanded student facilities.

One such facility that we will need is a new cafeteria for the students. A building for this purpose is under construction. However, we do not, at the moment, see possibilities to obtain the funds necessary to equip the new cafeteria. Preliminary estimates indicate that this might require \$ 40,000.00 (U.S.)

Again, we want to thank you for the past efforts of the Rockefeller Foundation to assist us in the development and expansion of UREMG.

Sincerely yours

Geraldo D. Machado
Reitor da UREMG