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Dear Dr. Atma Ram,

I am writing this with reference to letter No. 12(2)/67-DG dated the 11th January, 1968 from Dr. B.P. Pal addressed to you and copies endorsed to all members of the Advisory Committee on Biological Sciences. I am sorry that Prof. Seshachar has made some sweeping generalisations. I am one of the members of the Committee who had proposed some names earlier for the award. However, when Dr. Pal sent me the details of all the candidates, I placed one at the top whom I had not nominated. This was on the basis of a very careful study of whatever information that was made available by the C.S.I.R. and also in some cases by going to the Library and studying the original papers. As far as I can recall there was a serious discussion on the relative merits and demerits of all the candidates on the panel and the Committee's view that Prof. S.V. Subramanian may be given the award was a unanimous one.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

Sd/-

(M.S. Swaminathan)

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