

Calcutta, July 29th, 1943.

Dear Professor Krishnan,

I learned from Dr. Grant of the "All India Institute of Hygiene and Public Health" that you tried to get in touch with me <sup>during</sup> your stay at Calcutta and were so kind in wishing to see me at Allahabad. I feel it a great pleasure and honor in hearing this news.

I regret very much that I am unable to pass through Allahabad, at least during this journey. I shall take my airplane from Karachi in the next week and must now hurry to Karachi. I knew your name when I was in China and have some idea of the importance of your work in physics. A friendship with you must be invaluable to me. I hope that someday I shall come again, not as a transit passenger, so that my stay in this country will be definitely longer.

With best greetings,

Yours sincerely

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