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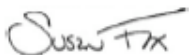
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Dear Clerk:

The enclosed evidence is submitted in connection with the Science and Technology Committee inquiry into scientific publications. If possible, we would like to obtain your permission to post this document on the SPARC web site.

We would welcome an opportunity to provide the Committee with oral evidence. Contact may be made via Richard Johnson at +202 296 2296 or rick@arl.org.

Sincerely,



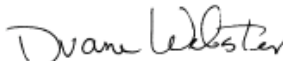
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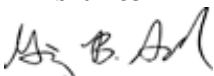
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