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Dear Dr. Kelly:

I hope you and all your family have been able to enjoy a good Christmas vacation.

When Dr. Laya saw you last year he must have talked over with you of our plans for holding an international conference on theoretical physics in Japan this coming September. Now I realize that we have not yet extended a formal invitation to you to come, though you were always present in our minds as one of our most honored and welcome guests.

This letter is just to make our intention explicit and official, and personally, I especially wish you would be able to take advantage of this occasion to revisit Japan after three years of absence.

These three years have brought many changes to our Science Council though I am not quite sure whether they were all in the right direction or not, but I think this gives me all the more reason to request your second visit to Japan, to review the present status of Japanese science, for the resuscitation of which you did so much.

I am enclosing a provisional program of our conference, and in case you are interested in the progress of our preparations, I might mention that our Organizing Committee is keeping currently in touch with Dr. Slater of your National Committee of Physics, ~~in the National Research Council.~~

Very sincerely yours,

Naoto KAMEYAMA
President
Science Council of Japan.

P.S. Your full hotel and travelling expenses within Japan shall be provided by us to cover the period from 11th to 27th September.
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