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Dr. Albert Sabin
University of Cincinnati
Cincinnati, Ohio

Dear Doctor Sabin:

We were able to give about 8,000 doses of the Sabin Oral Polio Vaccine, Type I, recently, but we are wondering if we could administer the Types I and II simultaneously. Is there any possibility that the viruses of these two types would be incompatible or antagonistic in the protection or immunity? I realize that there are trivalent vaccines available, but we have been only able to obtain the single polio virus vaccine types.

Thank you very much.

Very truly yours,

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