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The Editor,  
Der Kreis,  
Postfach 547 Fraumunster,  
Zurich, Switzerland.

21 April 1957

Dear Sir,

Your readers might like to know that I am conducting a Research into the social implications of male homosexuality. This enquiry is under the direction of a Committee representative of a variety of professions and the project is planned to last over a period of two years.

In particular, we are trying to ascertain the effect on homosexual tendencies on a person's work, leisure and behaviour towards society; what happens to the individual when he becomes aware of his tendencies, and if and when he attempts to control them; the effect on the homosexual of the law and the attitude of society.

I have already met a large number of homosexuals from a wide range of different groups and backgrounds, and I am hoping to meet many more. Stringent precautions have been taken by the Council to ensure that all information will be treated as absolutely confidential.

It is hoped that this research will reveal factors which may contribute towards a more balanced assessment of the homosexual's adjustment to society, and his effect upon society. I shall be most grateful for any help your readers may be able to give me.

Yours, etc.

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