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Dear Professor Landolt, Dear Doctor Sartori,

I am writing on behalf of the Standing Committee for the International Symposia on Plecoptera and on behalf of all our colleagues and friends who attended the XII. International Symposium on Plecoptera at Lausanne, which you and your collaborators organized, in conjunction with the VIIIth International Conference on Ephemeroptera.

The symposium attentands unanimously agreed that you did an extremely good job. You not only provided for adequate facilities for the scientific meetings and discussions of stonefly students, but did everything additional possible to make the entire meeting a very pleasant event. We all greatly appreciate the care with which everything was prepared and organized and are very grateful to you for your successful efforts to provide a pleasant and informative social program, plus one for accompanying spouses.

Special thanks are due to you for making it possible for several colleagues from former socialistic countries to attend the symposium. Your assistance with the funding of these persons is greatly appreciated and acknowledged. The presence of these colleagues, for the first time at International Stonefly Symposia, was very rewarding, certainly also for themselves. It was for the first time that a long-lasting barrier to scientific communication really fell down. I am sure, that these colleagues also very much enjoyed and appreciated the post-congress tour that you were able to arrange for.

Dear Doctor Sartori, dear Professor Landolt, the XII. International Stonetly Symposium at Lausanne was a complete success, from the very first to the last minute. Please accept our heart-felt thanks, and please also inform your collaborators of our gratefulness.

Yours very sincerely,

(Prof. Dr. P. Zwick, Head)

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