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Dear Dr. Biran:

Dr. Feza Gürsey has been a member of the Institute during this academic year. I have known of his work for some time, and admired it greatly; and we have been delighted to have him here as a very active and creative member of a small group of theoretical physicists.

My colleagues and I are of the opinion that it would greatly enrich Dr. Gürsey's future career in physics if he could remain with us for another academic year. We should be glad to extend to him privileges of membership in this Institute. We believe that this would also be beneficial for the development of atomic physics in Turkey, and to Dr. Gürsey's effectiveness and influence as a teacher and leader in this branch of learning.

Very sincerely,

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