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Miss Laura Gilpin
409 Camino del Monte Sol
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Dear Miss Gilpin:

Thank you for your letter of June 16 and photographs which followed.

There is a possibility that we may use one of the photographs which you submitted for LIFE SCIENCE INVESTIGATIONS. Therefore, we shall be holding them until a final decision has been made between yours and a number of others which are being considered.

Should we decide to use one of your photos, we shall be happy to meet your costs incurred in making the prints. (Incidentally, do you charge an additional fee for reproduction?)

However, should we not use any of your photographs, it is questionable at this time whether we can reimburse you your basic fee. When contacting a photographer, we usually request photographs on approval, which implies payment only upon use. If we commission a photographer in writing, we are in the position of paying the specified fee regardless of whether or not we use the photos. Perhaps this was not made clear in my letter of June 2.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Thank you again for your prompt attention to my request. I hope that we may be using your services.

Yours truly,

Janet Taylor
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