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Lynton Road,
KLOOF.

11th September, 1956.

Dear Mr. Gandhi,

Thank you for your letter of August 27.. We understand very clearly that any monetary assistance we might give to INDIAN OPINION will not in any way bind you to a particular policy. I think, however, that it would be a good thing if we were to state more fully the result of our discussion, and I beg to suggest to you that you should write another letter, embracing the following points:-

1. I suggest that your letter should be written to Messrs. Paton and Brown, as we are the two donors who are making the offer.
2. I suggest that the amount of the offer should be specifically stated.
3. I suggest that, while you are not to be bound to any particular policy, it is nevertheless to be taken for granted that the policy will be in large measure the same as was pursued by your late father.
4. I beg to suggest that while the paper will continue to be frank in its criticism, it will in general be well disposed to the Liberal Party.

We would appreciate it very much if you wrote us a letter in these terms, but in the meantime you may rest assured that the offer comes into operation on the day Mr. Ngubane assumes his duties, and we presume that he is paid at the end of each month's work and that you would wish to receive our donation a day or two before the last day of the month.

We send our best wishes to you for the success of your paper.

Yours sincerely,



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Alan Paton, Esq.,
Kloof,
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Dear Mr. Paton,

We gratefully accept your most generous offer to pay part of Mr. Jordan Ngubane's salary every month. Your generosity overwhelms us.

To avoid future misunderstandings, we feel it necessary to make it clear that this monetary assistance is in no way going to bind us to any particular policy.

Once again we thank you for your kind thoughtfulness and overwhelming generosity.

Yours sincerely,

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