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Mr. Rainer Rickford Players' Chess News 2503 West 7 Street Los Angeles, Ca 90057

Dear Mr. Rickford:

At the suggestion of Max Burkett, editor of the PCA Newsletter, and on behalf of the Professional Chess Association, we would like to explore the possibility of incorporating news of our organization in Players Chess News -- the right to use half a page each issue.

We have approximately 110 members. In return for giving them all a free one-year subscription to your journal (or extending one-year to those who already have paid-up subscriptions) the PCA is prepared to turn over \$2000 to you from our treasury.

Thus Players' would become the official voice of professional chess in America. We would use it to air master views, editorials, and other matters related to our organization. Some issues we would probably waive the right to publish anything at all. Any material for publication would be funnelled to you through either Max Burkett or myself. Limit each issue: half a page.

In return, we would want you to carry the words on your masthead: "Incorporating the PCA Newsletter." These words, though not necessarily in large type, would also appear in any advertisements for your journal appearing in other mediums.

If you are interested, we would like to have your thoughts on the matter.

Sincerely,
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