

Date: June 5, 2003

Dear Dr. McCluskey,

I have attached the silica gel for strain A773 (= M3338) which you requested for replacement. A sample of that silica gel was checked recently and found to be in good condition. Please let me know if there is other problems.

As Dita mentioned in her earlier correspondence, our stock silica gel of FGSC #231 (*riboA1 yA2; ActA1; nicB8*) is dead. We would greatly appreciate if you can send us some of your silica gel of that strain.

Thank you for your time and consideration,

Milly So, Dr. Dita Kafer's Technician.