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Dr. David D. Perkins Department of Biological Sciences Stanford University Stanford, California 94305

Dear Dr. Perkins:

Thank you very much for the information concerning <u>Neurospora intermedia</u> and for your comments about NRRL 2884. Please do send a culture of it to the Fungal Genetics Stock Center.

As soon as we can revive NRRL 2164 Neurospora tetrasperma from lyophil, an agar slant culture will be mailed to you.

With best wishes.

Sincerely,

J. J. Ellis

Research Mycologist, Culture Collection Research

Fermentation Laboratory

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