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Dear Bill:

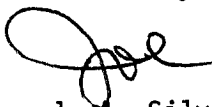
I concur with your suggestion that an AAA Section on Management Accounting is desirable. It can contribute to the development of standards in the area and to the encouragement of research as you suggest. Substantial benefits can accrue. I support it enthusiastically.

I suggest you submit a statement requesting permission to proceed to organize a "Management Accounting Section of the American Accounting Association." Purposes and objectives should be included. A copy of the AAA Section policy is enclosed.

If you submit your statement to me by July 15, I will have this year's Executive Committee consider it in August.

Thanks for your interest in activities of the Association.

Sincerely,



J. A. Silvoso

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