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Dr. Tamara Launags  
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Dear Dr. Launags:

I am sorry to have to bother you with more paper work but your International Immunization cards were returned to me because they are not complete. I hope I can explain briefly to you what is required in order to have your records complete.

1) You will have to have one more polio shot as a minimum of two is required. I am assuming that the children have previously had all three of their polio shots. If this is correct, you will have to provide a statement from the doctor or health agency that administered the shots to the children. The statement will have to certify that they have received the shots and give the place and dates. If, by any chance, your son and daughter have not had them, each of them will have to have a minimum of two now.

2) A complete series of three shots for tetanus, typhoid and typhus is required for you and the children. If you all have had these previously, all that is needed now is a booster shot for each of you. You will have to provide a statement that they are booster shots and give the place and dates when you all received the shots originally. I am wondering if the entries made on your cards by Dr. Roe on 26 June could possibly be for booster shots. I have noticed that the entry shows only Typhoid and Paratyphoid. The shots and/or booster shots have to be for all three, that is--tetanus, typhus and typhoid.

I am enclosing your cards so that you can have the appropriate entries made. I will appreciate your taking care of this as soon as possible so that I can start to arrange a definite date for your departure and secure your reservations. My best regards to you and the children.

Sincerely,

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