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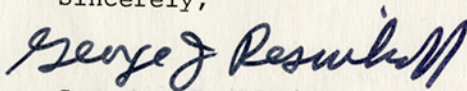
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Dear Colleague:

I am pleased to inform you that upon the recommendation of its Committee on Fellows, the Institute of Mathematical Statistics has elected you a Fellow in recognition of your contributions to the development, dissemination, and application of Mathematical Statistics.

Sincerely,



George J. Resnikoff

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