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Dear Prof. Alvydas,

In the name of the European Academy of Legal Medicine, I wish to thank you for the interesting professional and scientific opportunity given during my official visit to Vilnius on the 15-16th of July.

The meeting and discussions confirmed the ideas and conceptions that induced my visit. The logistics, structure and function of the facilities, the technological equipment, the competence and professional experience of your medical, biological, chemical, technical, and administrative staff place your Institute among the best Bio Medico Legal and Forensic Science groups in Europe.

Additional technological investments would be opportune in allowing for further development of your Service creating a truly State of the Art Service. These investments should ideally target Imaging Diagnostics (TAC, SPET, NMRI, etc), Immunohistochemistry applications, Micro Chip Array analysis, as well as High Resolution Liquid Chromatography – Mass Spectrometry.

These investments, combined with targeted, specific pluriannual highly specialized training programmes for your personnel, could take your Service to the vertex of all European Institutes. Furthermore, these investments would allow for interesting scientific opportunities with your Institution. Vilnius might be chosen by EALM as one of the main centers for Training Courses and Consensus Conferences in Europe. Thus, Lithuania

would be the epicentre of cultural initiatives and scientific interaction in the sector of Bio Medico Legal sciences.

As agreed, I look forward to receiving a *Training and Business Plan* proposal that delineates logistic, functional and organizational specifics, as well as possible accommodation and daily support that your Institution would be able to make available to EALM.

I take the opportunity here to congratulate you on your excellent skills as Director, as well as thank for the warmth and kindness shown during my visit.

Sincerely,

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