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Thomas Blanchard, Ph.D, J.D.,
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 University of Maryland School of Medicine
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Dear Dr. Blanchard,

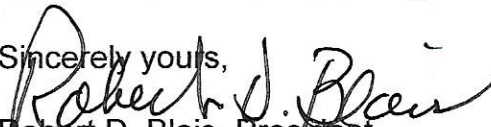
Currently we have funded a project with the University of Maryland Brain and Tissue Bank entitled "Expansion of the Blazeman ALS Tissue Collection." The current proposal was funded through December 31, 2017.

We are satisfied with the progress you have made and want to continue the effort. Therefore, we are enclosing a check for \$50,000 made out to "University of Maryland Baltimore School of Medicine" with the notation of "UMB Brain and Tissue Bank" in the memo line. It is our wish that this account be established with a start date of May 1, 2018 in recognition of May being ALS Awareness Month. The end date should be set for April 30, 2022.

Tom, as we have previously stated, the Foundation is unable to provide for indirect costs.

We understand that funds remain in the previous account ending December 31, 2017. All remaining funds in that previous account should be rolled into the new account to be established with the funds we are providing presently.

We look forward to continuing our work together in fighting ALS.

Sincerely yours,

 Robert D. Blais, President
 Blazeman Foundation for ALS

*"Remember the -blazeman... Ironman's Braveheart"
 "Pick a Stronger Word than Hope... Cure."*