México, D. F., October 16, 1956.

Dean John H. Nelson Graduate School University of Kansas Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Dean Nelson:

Professor Domingo Ricart, of your University, submitted to us last year an original study of his, entitled Juan de <u>Valdés y el pensamiento religioso europeo</u>, with the view of publication under joint sponsorship of El Colegio de México and the University of Kansas. The original submitted consists of 249 typewritten pages.

After examining the manuscript we considered it worth publishing. Then we secured from our printer an estimate of the cost of publication.

An edition of one thousand copies (1,000) willcost approximately five thousand five hundred and sixty pesos (5,560.00 Mexican money) or the equivalent to \$ 444.80 (dollars).

We agree to share with the University of Kansas the expenses of publication on a fifty-fifty basis, and to divide equally the number of copies.

We figure that the easiest way to complete the transaction is for the University of Kansas to buy 500 copies--or half of the edition--for \$ 222.40 (dollars), which corresponds to half of the cost.

We figure also that we can sell the single copies at \$ 15.00 pesos each.

We intend to start printing the book some time in the beginning of 1957.

We trust these proposals are agreeable to you and that you will indicate to us your conformity or suggest any modification you deem convenient.

Yours truly,

Alfonso Reyes President

THE UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS LAWRENCE

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OFFICE OF THE DEAN

October 26, 1956

Dr. Alfonso Reyes, President El Colegio De Mexico Mexico City, Mexico

Dear Dr. Reyes:

I have received and read with profit your letter of October 16, 1956, regarding the plan for the publication of Professor Ricart's monograph. This plan strikes me as being reasonable and very desirable, but the decision whether to carry it out will be in the hands of Professor Clyde K. Hyder, Director of the University of Kansas Press. I am turning over your letter to Professor Hyder for his study.

Very truly yours,

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J. H. Nelson, Dean

JHN-cr cc: Professor Hyder

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