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Dr. Philip D. Rasico
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Dear Phil:

Thanks for your letter to Jackie on August 25.

The Executive Committee of the Society met yesterday and asked me to pass on to you the following:

We are eager to receive your translation and hope it will be complete by October 1988. We do plan to publish this manuscript but are unable to guarantee publication at this point as we have no formal agreement for financial support from our major sponsors, X. L. Pellicer and Dr. Ferando Rubio. I have no doubt financial support will be forthcoming and when it does materialize we can formally contract with you for publication of the book.

Naturally, we will want to send the manuscript to 2 or 3 historians for review and we expect that Jackie Fretwell will be the editor of the text. It is our plan to send the edited manuscript to the printer in March 1989 and to publish the book in December 1989. All of this will be formalized once the financial considerations are settled.

Other matters, to be worked out between you and the sponsors, are: Royalties to you, reading fees for the consulting historians, an editing honorarium to Jackie Fretwell and promotional costs to finance a mailing to libraries and interested individuals.

In summary, the best we can offer you at this point is an intent to publish your translation which is contingent upon our receiving the required financial support from the book's sponsors.

If we can be of any further help let us know. We look forward to seeing the translation which we don't actually need before October 1988 because Jackie applies her editing skills to El Escribano from January to October.

Sincerely,

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cc: X.L. Pellicer
Pat Griffin
Members of the Society's Publications Committee



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