

## STRATEGIC HIGHWAY RESEARCH PROGRAM

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Mr. L. Martínez Instituto de Fisica U.N.A.M. Apartado Postal 20-364 Mexico d.F. 0100

Dear Mr. Martinez:

Thank you for agreeing to present a paper, "The Role of Materials Science in Mexico City's Earthquakes in 1985" with Mr. Castaño at the meeting of the Materials Research Society in San Diego in April. The symposium on "Materials Problems of Infrastructure" will be composed of two parts, as outlined on the attached draft program. At 1:30 p.m. on Wednesday, April 26, there will be a session, "Materials for the Infrastructure: A Multi-Billion Dollar Opportunity," which covers a variety of infrastructure materials from steel to deicing chemicals to asphalt. On the morning of Thursday, April 27, there will be another session entitled, "New Frontiers in High-Performance Concrete." Please send me an abstract by Friday, February 3. I would also ask you to send me a copy of your presentation by Friday, April 14.

Thank you for your help. I look forward to seeing you in April. With best regards.

Sincerely yours,

Damian J. Kulash

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