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Dear Professor Chakrabarti

We are most grateful for your loan of important objects associated with JC Bose for our exhibition: *5000 years of Science and Technology*, part of our Illuminating India season. The Crescograph and Phytograph were intriguing and significant items in the exhibition. I am delighted also that you were able to attend our launch event.

I am pleased also to say that the exhibition was visited by Prime Minister Modi and HRH Prince of Wales during the Commonwealth leaders event held in London in April. Thank you for agreeing to extend the loan of your objects for this occasion.

The season and the exhibition have been a great success both with our visitors and in the wider community – and this is due to the significant contribution your organisation has made in lending us this material. This is very much appreciated.

Once again, my sincere thanks.

Yours
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