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Dr. Grote Reber General Delivery Bothwell Tasmania 7411 Australia.

Dear Grote,

I hope you have already received the Society's telegram. I am pleased to write and confirm that the Council of the Royal Astronomical Society at its meeting last Friday awarded you the Jackson-Gwilt Medal and Gift of the Society. The award was made in recognition of your pioneering work in radio astronomy. The Gift is \$100.

The President, on behalf of the Society, would like to present the medal to you at one of the Society's meetings. The meeting days during the remainder of this year are February 11, March 11, April 8 (the out-of-town meeting at Keele), May 13, October 14, November 11 and December 9. Is there any chance that you would be visiting the UK in the forseeable future? If you can come, I would be grateful if you would let me know in due course when you would like to receive the medal. On the other hand, if it is unlikely that you would be travelling this way, maybe you could suggest the name of a colleague or friend who is in this country who might received the medal on your behalf. I am sure we can make suitable arrangements to present you with the medal.

It gives me great pleasure to add my personal congratuations.

With best wishes,

Yours sincerely,

Rod Davies

R. D. Davies Secretary

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