To Editor

Dear Sir,

I am an Undergraduate studying in the final year of my MBBS at the All India Institute of Medical Sciences, New Delhi, India. I am taking part in the 7th annual Texas Heart Institute Award for Undergraduate Writing in the History of Cardiovascular Medicine and Surgery. For this, I have chosen to write on the legendary Dr. Inge Edler, widely regarded as the father of Echocardiography.

Sir, for this purpose, I seek your permission to grant me access to, and the right to republish a few lines from an article that appeared on Dr. Inge in your esteemed journal a few years back. I would be highly obliged if you could help me pay my tribute to this great personality.

This article I am referring to is titled "In Memory of Professor Inge Edler - Editorial" by Dr. Lars Edler, his son. This article was published in "Anadolu Kardiyoloji Dergisi - The Anatolian Journal of Cardiology; Volume:1 Number: 3, September 2001, Pages 1". I have not been able to access the English version of this article online.

The article that I am writing on is provisionally titled "Echocardiography: Inge Edler and Beyond" and it would be sent to the journal titled "The Texas Heart Institute Journal" edited by Dr. James E. Bagg published by the Texas Heart Institute, Houston, Texas, USA. If accepted, it would be published in the March issue of the journal in 2006.

I would be highly grateful if you could grant me access to this article and the permission to use a few lines from the aforementioned article. My contact details have been mentioned in the end of the mail.

Thanking you in anticipation

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