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Professor Richard Hoggart,  
Department of English,  
The University,  
Birmingham.

Dear Professor Hoggart,

I was delighted to hear from Tom Maschler that you have agreed to be one of the judges for the 1970 Booker Prize. The other panel members so far are Dame Rebecca West, David Holloway (Chairman) and Ross Higgins (a Glaswegian bookseller). We are still one short and I will be in touch with you again as soon as that is remedied and the ball can be set rolling.

Yours sincerely,

Jill Mortimer