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DAVID O. MCKAY, PRESIDENT

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Professor William Lee Stokes  
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Dear Brother Stokes:

Your letter of February 11, 1957, has been received.

On the subject of organic evolution the Church has officially taken no position. The book "Man, His Origin and Destiny" was not published by the Church, and is not approved by the Church.

The book contains expressions of the author's views for which he alone is responsible.

Sincerely your brother,

David O. McKay  
(President)