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Petition: Closure of Biblioteca Hertziana

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Dear colleagues,

The Biblioteca Hertziana in Rome http://www.biblhertz.it/neu/ will be closed probably for three to five years of necessary renovations beginning the 21st of December 2001. Dr. Hopkins a.hopkins@bsrome.it of the British School in Rome kindly has initiated a plea to us all to write to the mayor of Rome, On. Veltroni, in order to avoid this disaster, and to find an alternative location to keep the library's rich sources available to scholars. Equally as kindly, Dott.ssa Patrizia Cavazzini patrizia.cavazzini@libero.it has consented to collect the signed collective letters, and forward them.

If you would like to add your voice to this plea, please feel free to contact me, and I will send you a copy of the letter for "signature," and transmission to Dott.ssa Cavazzini.

Apologies for any cross-postings, and heartfelt thanks,

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Reference:

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