Dear Dr. Lyden,

I have recently written an article about the Big Bang which I think is a genuine contribution to understanding the conflict between religion and science. I’ve submitted it to another journal and have promised not to submit it to any other.

My theory is that both atheists and religious people think Cartesian dualism is a rational theory of the mind. They disagree, of course, about how much evidence there is for dualism. Religious people can't understand why atheists are "materialists," and it causes them anxiety. Inhibited by this anxiety from thinking rationally, they argue that the Big Bang and fine-tuning is evidence of God’s existence. Zygon rejected this article without giving a reasons. My guess is that the upsets religious people who think the Big Bang is evidence of God's existence and it also upsets atheists because I prove that the only theories of the mind they grasp are Cartesian dualism and "materialism."

I’d appreciate your re-thinking your handling of the article I submitted. What you could do instead is ask your congressman what happened to the documentation I gave my congressman about the absurd American Journal of Physics article.