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The Authors and the Publisher wish to announce that the Introduction printed below was inadvertently omitted from their article.

MCMILLAN, D. E., F. W. ELLIS, G. D. FRYE AND J. R. PICK. *Failure of signs of physical dependence to develop in hamsters after prolonged consumption of large doses of ethanol*. PHARMAC. BIOCHEM. BEHAV. 7(1) 55–57, 1977.

THE MALE Golden Hamster has been reported to prefer a wide range of concentrations of ethanol to water when given a choice between these fluids [1, 3, 4]. The purpose of our experiments was to assess the suitability of Golden Hamsters as a model for the study of alcoholism by attempting to confirm the preference for ethanol solutions over water by hamsters and by determining if the chronic consumption of large ethanol doses in hamsters produced signs of physical dependence when ethanol was withdrawn.