April 30, 2018 Dear Dr. Ward,

Thank you for submitting your manuscript "Greenhouse gases cannot cause observed global warming—they absorb only spectral lines, not heat" to Science. Because your manuscript was not given a high priority rating during the initial screening process, we have decided not to proceed to in-depth review. The overall view is that the scope and focus of your paper make it more appropriate for a more specialized journal. We are therefore notifying you so that you can seek publication elsewhere.

We appreciate that you requested transfer to another Science family journal; however, based on our experience, this manuscript is unlikely to succeed at another of our journals. Therefore, we consider it would be in your best interest to submit elsewhere.

Sincerely, H. Jesse Smith, Ph.D. Senior Editor Science