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Re: BG14421

Thermodynamic inconsistency of the conventional theory of  
superconductivity  
by J. E. Hirsch

Dear Dr. Hirsch,

The above manuscript has been reviewed by two of our referees.  
Comments from the reports appear below.

We regret that in view of these comments we cannot accept the paper for  
publication in the Physical Review.

Yours sincerely,

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