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OPINION 33

Conservation of the Generic Name
Agrobacterium Conn 1942

Editorial Secretary (for the Judicial Commission of the
International Committee on Nomenclature of Bacteria)

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The Judicial Commission approved the following formulation of Opinion 33.

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