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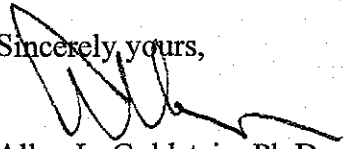
Dear Norm,

I found a copy of the 1984 public service award citation we gave to Bob Dole which I am enclosing. In my opinion it was one of the most important pieces of legislation to come out of Congress as it laid the foundation for the development of the Biotech revolution in the U.S. Until our conversation, I did not know the important role you played in the genesis of that legislation. Congratulations!

If you see Marion Zatz, please give her my best wishes.

All the best.

Sincerely, yours,

  
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Dear Norman:

I want to thank you for visiting with us. Bill and I were both very pleased with our discussions with you. We learned a lot. Your insight into the technology transfer problems, and the subject of intellectual property rights gave us quite a bit to think about. We definitely share our concerns about those matters.

I have enclosed a copy of your Tech Ex paper for which you had requested some comments. I like it. Your main thesis is extremely important. I hope you continue to tell this story whenever you get the chance because most people just don't understand it (particularly the part at the bottom of page 6). Most of my comments are minor. They refer either to sentences or thoughts that could be a little clearer (e.g., page 2), or to perhaps too strong a statement or implication in some instances (page 4 & 5).

I enclose a short paper that the Center distributed some time ago that is an interesting short piece related to some of your thoughts about public participation. The layman can make some good judgments, and a vehicle for incorporating his feedback into the process of deliberation may often be valuable. I think the key is balance and common sense.

I have also enclosed your lecture notes. Thanks again for your assistance.

With best wishes,



Martin M. Eisman, Ph.D.

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Enclosures

# MEMORANDUM

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OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

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Patent Counsel, GCB/OSDHEW

DATE: September 19, 1975

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FROM : Dr. Robert McKenzie **BMK**  
Executive Assistant to the Secretary

SEP 25 1975

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