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Mr. Ward Ross  
Wisconsin Research Alumni Foundation  
University of Wisconsin  
Madison, Wisconsin

Dear Mr. Ross:

Mr. Charles Hendricks, Jr., has requested that I furnish you with certain information relative to the relationship between the University of Illinois and the United States Public Health Service as to patentable inventions developed under grants by that agency to the University.

As you know, the terms of these grants prescribe that any discoveries or inventions may be disposed of under certain options, one of which is that the established policies of the institution will be followed. Accordingly, the University of Illinois submitted its patent policy to the Public Health Service and was advised by letter dated June 17, 1954, that any such inventions might be so disposed. We have followed this procedure since that date; however, we have been quite careful to report all such inventions and discoveries to the Public Health Service.

I am enclosing an information sheet prepared by the University Patent Committee for the use of our staff members, which sets forth the University's present policy. I hope that this information will be of value to you; and if you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to write me.

Very truly yours,

*C. C. DeLong*  
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Enclosure

*Mrs. Davis*  
cc: Professor Hendricks