

United States Senate

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20510

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Mr. Howard W. Bremer President Society of University Patent Administrators 614 N. Walnut Street Madison, Wisconsin 53705

Dear Mr. Bremer:

Thank you for your thoughtful letter concerning legislation to establish a uniform federal patent policy for small business and nonprofit organizations contracting with the government.

It is always helpful to me in formulating my decisions to know and understand the opinions of informed individuals such as yourself. I have reviewed the ideas expressed in your letter and will keep these comments for use when this issue comes before me.

With best wishes.

sincerely,

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