

August 11, 1954

Mr. Quincy C. Ayres
Assistant to the President
Iowa State College
Ames, Iowa

Dear Mr. Ayres:

Reference is made to my letter of November 10, 1953, establishing administrative procedures to carry out the signed agreement between the Public Health Service and Iowa State College which provides that the ownership and disposition of all domestic rights in inventions arising under Public Health Service grants and awards shall be left for administration by the College.

The purpose of this letter is to enlist your aid in fulfilling the terms of this agreement. Specifically, applications for research grants are being submitted from your institution with item (h) on the face sheet unchanged. We have not returned these applications to you because most of them are received during the rush of meeting deadlines and processing for study section and council review. We have therefore stricken item (h) and substituted the correct statement on the copies in our official files.

Since it is necessary to continue using the present application for research grants for some months, we are requesting that you advise the appropriate people in your institution of the agreement between the Public Health Service and Iowa State College, so that applications submitted in the future will reflect the proper statement with respect to patent protection. Until such time as the new application blanks are received by your institution, it will be satisfactory if item (h) on the face sheet is stricken and the following statement typed in below:

"Item h governed by terms of September 14, 1953
Letter of agreement on patent protection."

I should like to take this opportunity to remind you of the annual report due from Iowa State College on June 30 of each year. Since we have not heard from you in this connection, I would appreciate a statement at this time.

Your assistance in this matter will be very much appreciated.

Sincerely yours,

Ernest M. Allen, Chief
Division of Research Grants

U.S. Public Health Contracts

AGTH - Cortisone	G-30250 Expires 30 Sept 54	Dr. Sidney Fox A.E.S.
Food & Nutrition	G-3198 Expires 30 Sept 54	Dr. Everson Home Ec.
National Cancer Institute	G-1779-OMG Expires 31 Aug 54	Dr. Melampy
Foulbrood	E-599 Expires 31 Aug 54	Dr. Park Zool. & Ent.
Bacteriophage Multiplication	E-107 (C3) Expires 31 Dec 53	Dr. F.E. Nelson Ag. Exp. Sta.
Veterinary Research Institute	G-1113 Expires 31 Aug 54	Dr. H.E. Biester Veterinary
Carbon Dioxide in Metabolism	G-3309 Expires 28 Feb 54	Dr. C.H. Workman Zool. & Ent.
ISRI	G-3323 (C2) Expires 31 Dec 54 Currently G-3323 (C) Expires 31 Dec 53	Dr. Sinsheimer
Zoology and Entomology	G-3613 Expires 31 Aug 54	Dr. H.L. Hamilton
Engineering Exp. Station	G-3985 Expires 30 Apr 54	Dr. R.A. Packer Dr. E.R. Baumann