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Mr. Robert V. Allen U.S. Department of Justice Anti-trust Division 521-12th St. Washington, D.C. 20537

Dear Mr. Allen:

Enclosed is a copy of "Patents at Colleges and Universities-Guidelines for the Development of Policies" which may provide you with some background on patent management policies at research universities.

Also enclosed is a copy of an article from the October 1, 1978 Chicago Sun Times which pins down the statistic on the percentage of patents being granted by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office to foreign inven-That matter was touched upon at our November 15 tors. meeting with you.

Sincerely,

G. Willard Fornell Patent Administrator

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