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Dear Roger:

Thanks for sending the material on the Dole-Bayh patent policy bill. I had been keeping up on it directly from Dole's office.

William Farrell, our Associate Vice President for Educational Development and Research, will be visiting both Senators Culver and Clark next week in Washington and will discuss the bill with them. He is not optimistic that they can be persuaded to co-sponsor the bill since they are democrats and Dole is a conservative republican. Hopefully, we can get them to support it.

Sincerely yours,

H. W. Trease

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cc: Howard W. Bremer ✓