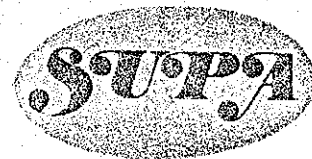


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Dear Reagan:

Pursuant to your request you will find enclosed a copy of the Secrecy Order which one of our applications was subjected to and a notice of the lifting of the Order.

When a Secrecy Order is issued there are administrative remedies to ask for rescision of the Order with probably the most common basis being that there has been so much publication of the material to which the Order refers that it is no longer secret and that the Secrecy Order, therefore, tends to be mote. In this situation, we did not proceed with those administrative remedies but other actions apparently taken through contracts by the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee administration caused the Order to be lifted after due consideration by the parties that asked for the original imposition of the Order.

You also asked about any EPRI clause that we might have. In this regard you will find enclosed a copy of a clause which we negotiated with EPRI. I have had little contact with EPRI since that time except on behalf of a COGR committee. At that time they seemed more adamant than when we initially approached them on behalf of the University of Wisconsin. I do have an inquiry out with the University to see if any additional clauses have been negotiated and will send them along to you if they exist.

I also asked you for permission to reproduce for SUPA members the copy of the Administrative Service Supplement from NACUBO entitled "Patents at Colleges and Universities." You thought we could reproduce this for the membership with no problem but since it is copyrighted by NACUBO I thought it would be best to put our request in writing.

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Best regards.

Very truly yours,

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The Secrecy Order dated April 21, 1978

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Any other application already filed or hereafter filed which contains any significant part of the subject matter of the above identified application falls within the scope of this order. If such other application does not stand under a secrecy order, it and the common subject matter should be brought to the attention of the Security Group, Licensing and Review, Patent and Trademark Office.

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