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Dear Dr. Davis:

Bill Gibb of Senator Schmitt's staff has given me a copy of a draft bill which Sen. Schmitt plans to introduce in the next week or two setting out a new Government patent policy for all contractors conducting Federally-supported research and development.

I have enclosed a copy of the draft for your information and would like to receive any comments that you have on the Schmitt bill.

Sincerely,

Joe Allen

Enclosure cc: Howard W. Bremer

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