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Ms. Jesse Syndow
Senate Subcommittee on Antitrust,
Monopoly, and Business Rights
U. S. Senate
Washington, DC 20510

Re: S.B. 414 - Federal Patent Procedure

Dear Ms. Syndow:

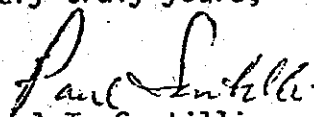
This is to follow up our meeting of September 28 and subsequent telephone conversations concerning a change of the definition of nonprofit organization in Section 201(i).

I have discussed the matter with Mr. Howard Bremmer of the Wisconsin Alumni Research Foundation and to simplify the matter we now suggest the following definition for Section 201(i):

"Section 201(i). The term 'nonprofit organization' means universities and other institutions of higher education, or an organization which has a scientific, educational, or charitable purpose, and which is not formed for the pecuniary gain or profit of, and whose net earnings or any part thereof are not distributable to, its members, officers, or other private persons; and the distribution of assets on dissolution shall be made only for such nonprofit scientific, educational, or charitable purposes."

We very much appreciate your assistance in this matter and if I can be of help in any way at any time, please telephone me at (614) 424-4164. I would appreciate hearing from you as important developments occur.

Very truly yours,


Paul T. Santilli
General Counsel