

THE UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN

Madison 6, Wisconsin

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Office of the President

Dean Rudolph K. Froker
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Dear Dean Froker:

This is in reply to your letter of May 6. Our central review of the projects and support for the work of Assistant Professor Amundson and Mr. Mohamed Metwally indicates that we feel as you do that there is no conflicting patent obligations. We feel that the discoveries made by these members of your staff were not done in such a way as to provide any proprietary rights to federal agencies.

These men are, therefore, entirely free to negotiate with WARF or to pursue any other course for the disposition of their discoveries that seem to them to the best interest of all concerned.

Sincerely yours,

William H. Young
Adviser to the President

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