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IN REPLY
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Re: Omnibus Administration Bill, "National
Intellectual Property Act of 1976"

Dear Mr. Latker:

Enclosed is a copy of a letter we have prepared as a
response to the July 12, 1976, memorandum from
Dr. Ancher-Johnson on the Omnibus Administration Bill.


If you have any comments regarding the content of this
response, please contact this office. As you know,
comments on the Bill are due at OMB by September 3, 1976.

Sincerely yours,

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Enclosures

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