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Mr. Neils J. Reimers Manager, Technology Licensing Stanford University Stanford, California 94305

Dear Mr. Reimers:

Thank you for your good and helpful letter on patent policy. I have forwarded it, together with your response to my questionnaire to Tom Jones, who has agreed to be responsible for the preparation of testimony and who will serve as our witness on May 23 before the Senate Monopoly Subcommittee.

The issue that conformts us and Senator Nelson in the hearings is the Institutional Patent Agreement. As such, we will want to deal strictly with licensing issues in universities.

Many thanks for your good letter.

Sincerely,

Newton O. Cattell

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