May 26, 1978

Mr. Gerry Sturges
Subcommittee on Monopoly and
Anticompetitive Activities
Select Committee on Small Business
Room 424 Russell Senate Building
United States Senate
Washington, D. C. 20510

Dear Mr. Sturges:

This is in regard to your inquiry regarding the total number of screening agreements entered into by non-Institutional Patent Agreement holders since 1968. We have reviewed our files and found that we have entered into 63 agreements during the period in question.

If you should have any further questions on this matter, we would be pleased to advise.

Sincerely yours,

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## Screening Agreements from 1966 through October 1973

Abbott - 2

Wyeth - 1

Upjohn - 5

Shell - 1

Burroughs Wellcome - 2

Merck - 43

Eli Lilly - 1

Medi-Physics - 1

44 total Sareling agreements
63

Smith Kline & French Labs - 5

Syntex - 1

Ayerst - 1

agreement