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David Blumenthal, M.D.
Professional Staff Member
Subcommittee on Health and Scientific Research
Committee on Human Resources
4320 Dirksen Senate Office Building
Washington, D.C. 20510

Dear Dr. Blumenthal:

Pursuant to our telephone conversation on Monday, April 17, 1978 arrangements were made for the personnel listed herein below to visit with you at your office on May 4th to express their concern about present uncertainties regarding government patent policy. This letter shall serve as confirmation of their visit scheduled for 1:30PM. Also enclosed for your information is a copy of a proposed bill which would provide to universities and small businesses patent rights to inventions resulting from Government-sponsored research together with related information.

The university sector, research foundations, research and training hospitals, and small business in the Boston area appreciate this opportunity to meet with you.

Very truly yours,

Lawrence Gilbert

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Visitors:

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It is anticipated that a representative from both Harvard University and Massachusetts Institute of Technology will be in attendance.

Enclosures