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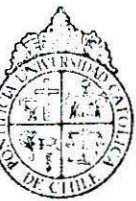
Dr. Donald J. Silvert  
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Dear Dr. Silvert:

Your inquire, dated last July 26, addressed to Dr. Manuel Rodríguez, Chairman of the Department of Cell Biology, was sent to the legal department for consultation.

For the moment, I can inform you the following:

1. Dr. Guido Mora is and has been a Faculty member of this University with a full time contract, for the last 10 years.
2. Dr. Mora is presently in U.S.A., with Dr. Felipe Cabello, on a sabbatical leave.
3. Dr. Felipe Cabello is not, and has not been, a Faculty member at this University. However, he has visited us occasionally and, sometime ago, a position was offered to him at the Faculty of Biological Sciences.
4. The work Dr. Mora has done on the characterization of Salmonella typhi porins, on their immunogenic capacity and in the recognition of their potential value as a diagnostic antigen, has been done at the Faculty of Biological Sciences, as a normal academic



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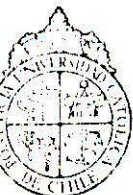
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activity which has involved him and several collaborators.

5. As a normal procedure, foundations will request from the University information about provisions governing patents and licenses, when grants in support of research are considered.

The Dirección de Asuntos Jurídicos of this University, will always answer that the right, title and interest in and to the inventions is the property of the University.

6. The Rector (President) of the University will decide, about patent application, patent licensing, release of the invention to the inventor (s) and the inventor (s) share in the net royalty income perceived by the University. The Rector has ample faculties, under the statutes of the Corporation, to approve different terms of agreements, always considering the best interest of the University.
7. If the research leading to an invention is financed jointly by the University and one or more third parties, the Rector has the authority to reach an agreement with such third parties to arrive to a mutually satisfactory agreement concerning ownership, licensing and use of inventions.
8. The Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile es applying for a patent concerning the use of outer membrane proteins of Salmonella typhi in the diagnosis and immune prevention of typhoid fever. In due time, Dr. Guido C. Mora will be contacted in relation with this application.
9. The University es pleased with your interest in inventions that stem from research initially carried on by one of our faculty members and his collaborators, research that now is being pursued in several of our labo



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ratories. The University is interested in reaching a satisfactory agreement, for the parties involved, in order to further support the development of this invention.

Sincerely yours,

  
PROF. JUAN DE DIOS VIAL CORREA  
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Pontificia Universidad Católica  
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