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REPLY TO
ATTN OF:

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SUBJECT:


Interim Report On Clinical Investigation Proposals #389 and #499 And
Proposal For Incorporation Into An Integrated Project

TO: SG

1. The attached interim report of projects #389 and #499 is forwarded with a request for fiscal year 1976 funding as an integrated clinical investigation proposal.
2. Both projects have been highly productive in establishing a real potential for the clinical and investigative evaluation of coronary artery disease. The need for greater sophistication in qualitative techniques has been established which requires advanced imaging equipment and the potential to investigate the newer imaging agents as they become available. Incorporation into a single project will simplify administrative procedures and improve the efficiency of the investigative effort.
3. To date more than 700 patient studies have been accomplished under these projects and there have been no immediate or long term complications or undesirable side effects. We have complied with AFR 169-8 in all cases.
4. We request \$50,000. funding in FY 1976 for the integrated protocol. Although this reflects a substantial increase in research funds over FY 1975, the requested investment equipment is required for objective quantitation, technical refinement, and realization of the full potential of this technique in the clinical and investigative study of coronary atherosclerosis.


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1. Proposal


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