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Dear Mr. Love:

Thank you for your recent letter addressing your concerns with transparency and oversight around the Biomedical Advanced Research and Development Authority's (BARDA) contracts with Moderna in relation to disclosure of federal funding in patents and patent applications.

The contracting officers responsible for the BARDA contracts with Moderna are reviewing the requirements to report the role of government-funding of inventions and identifying any Moderna patents or patent applications that may be associated with BARDA support.

Following this review, BARDA Contracting Officers will be in touch with the company and will ensure Moderna's compliance with its contractual requirements.

Sincerely,

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