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Federal Trade Commission
Premerger Notification Office
Bureau of Competition, Room 303
Sixth St. & Pennsylvania Ave., N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20580

Attention: Patrick Sharpe

Re: Request for Informal Interpretation Concerning
Section 7A(c)(4) of the Clayton Act

Dear Mr. Sharpe:

With reference to our telephone conversations of May 16, 1989, regarding the acquisition of all of the voting securities of a company from [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] it is my understanding that such acquisition would be exempt under Section 7A(c)(4) of the Clayton Act, 15 U.S.C. § 18a(c)(4). Section 7A(c)(4) exempts "transfers to or from a Federal agency or a State or political subdivision thereof." For purposes of such exemption, the Federal Trade Commission (the "FTC") has determined that the [REDACTED] is a Federal agency, and not a United States owned corporation.

It is my further understanding that a response to this letter will be made only if the preceding paragraph does not correctly reflect the policy of the FTC. If that is the case, I respectfully request a response at your earliest convenience.

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If you have any questions regarding the above-described transaction or you require further information, please call me at [REDACTED]

Very truly yours,
[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]
cc: [REDACTED]

I concur, I checked
this out with John Sipple
called [REDACTED]