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Federal Trade Commission
Room 303
6th Street & Pennsylvania Ave., N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20580

Re: Hart-Scott-Rodino Antitrust Improvement Act
1976 - Amended Request for

Dear Mr. [REDACTED]

AS you suggested during our [REDACTED] writing to [REDACTED]

... you gave me over the applicability of the HSR Act to a pension plan and a foreign corporate issuer, of partnership interests in an existing partnership. This letter supersedes the request which I sent you on June 3.

The parties to the [REDACTED] diagram attached [REDACTED] are set forth in the [REDACTED] In that diagram: "X" is an existing [REDACTED] recently completed commercial office building; the three partners of "X" are corporations "A", "B", and "C"; "C" is a wholly-owned subsidiary of "B"; "A" is unrelated to "B" and "C"; corporation "B" is a [REDACTED] wholly-owned subsidiary of corporation "D"; [REDACTED] corporation "D" is [REDACTED] wholly-owned subsidiary of [REDACTED] issuer;

corporations "B", "C", and "D" and has total assets and annual net sales in excess of \$100,000,000; "P-1" is a foreign pension plan

[REDACTED]

for employees of corporation "D"; "P-1" may be in the person of "Z" or may be its own person. "H" is a U.S. issuer which is proposed to be created by "P-1"; "E" is an existing foreign issuer, 100% of the outstanding voting securities of which are held indirectly by "Z"; further, "Y", a foreign issuer not within the person of "Z" also indirectly holds 50% of the outstanding voting securities of "E", with the result that "E" is within the persons of both "Z" and "Y"; and "M" is a U.S. issuer which is proposed to be created by "E".

The proposed transaction is the following: "P-1" will create "H" and hold all of the outstanding voting securities of "H". "P-1" will invest an aggregate of approximately \$20 million in "H", part by payment for voting securities and part by loan. "H" will use the \$20 million received from "P-1" to purchase partnership interests in "X" from "C". "E" will create "M" and hold all of the outstanding voting securities of "M". "E" will invest an aggregate of approximately \$20 million in "M" in payment for voting securities of "M". "M" will use the \$20 million received from "E" to

It is my understanding that the purchase by "M" and "H" of partnership interests in "X" will not be subject to the notification and waiting requirements of the HSR Act since upon conclusion of such purchase, interests in "X" will be held by at least two persons ("A" and "Z"). As you have explained to me, the FTC presently considers a transaction involving transfer of interests in a partnership at the conclusion of which the interests in the partnership are held by two or more or more "persons", to be neither a transfer of assets nor of voting securities. The creation of "H" by "P-1" would be exempt by virtue of the "intra-person" exemption of § 802.30, regardless of whether "P-1" is its own person or within the person of "Z". Similarly, the creation of "M" by "E" would be exempt under § 802.30.

discuss) these conclusions at your earliest convenience since it is intended that these transactions close as soon as possible.

Thanks in advance for your advice.

Very truly yours,

6/15/87
Advised [REDACTED] by TFC
message through his office that [REDACTED]
with the above [REDACTED]
and [REDACTED]

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EXHIBIT A

Diagram of Proposed Transaction

