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BY HAND

February 22, 1989

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Premerger Notification Office
Federal Trade Commission
Room 308
6th Street and Pennsylvania Avanua

Dear Victor:

The purpose of this letter is to request confirmation that the transaction described below would not be subject to the reporting or waiting period requirements of the Hart-Scott-Rodino Act.

The selling party consists of a parent corporation, two subsidiary corporations and three affiliated partnerships, all of which are collectively owned by three individuals.

Our client intends to acquire from the selling party some of the assets (including land, buildings, machinery and equipment, office equipment and leasehold improvements) of an

The client does not intend to acquire several assets of the selling party, including: (1) the approximately \$2.3 million of the businesses' accounts receivable /; (2) the approximately \$5 million of debt owed to one of the subsidiaries by the parent; and (3) other tangible and



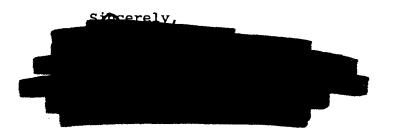
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It is our understanding that in the circumstances described above, the value of the assets of the selling party which will not be acquired by the purchaser (i.e. the accounts receivable the debt owed to the cubaiding by the parent and

acquisition price; that the total acquisition price for Hart-Scott-Rodino Act purposes will be approximately \$14.3

the transaction will not be subject to the Hart-Scott-Rodino Act because the acquisition price is less than \$15 million.

I would appreciate your calling me at your earliest



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