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Washington, D C 20555-0001

Att: Nima Ashkeboussi, Engineering Aide
Materials Safety & Inspection Branch – Division of Industrial & Medical Nuclear Safety
Office of Nuclear Material Safety and Safeguards

Ref: Registration Certificate NR-1040-D-101-E

Dear Mr. Ashkeboussi:

Reference is made to your letter dated December 9th.

While Hemisphere Forwarding was in possession of our Registration Certificate and license, we were never in possession of any smoke detectors imported for distribution. The Principal for whom we had obtained this license was never able to develop this market. Hence, nothing was ever received.

We hope this clarifies the above.

Very truly yours,

Michael Avnet
President

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