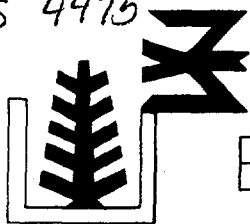


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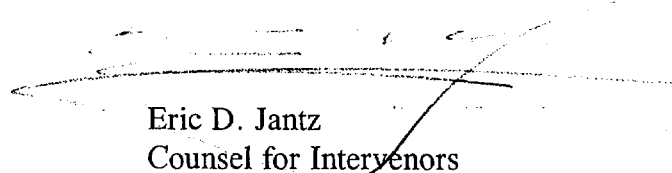
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Docket No. 40-8968-ML, ASLBP No. 95-706-01-ML

Dear Judge Moore:

I am writing to appraise you of the status of the settlement negotiations in the above-referenced matter. Although the parties agreed to hold a settlement conference call with Judge Farrar on May 15, 2002, as memorialized in your memorandum dated March 21, 2002, I have been informed that Judge Farrar is unavailable until May 28, 2002. It is my understanding that Judge Farrar will contact the parties at that time to reschedule the conference call for that week.

In the interim, the parties are continuing to discuss settlement options. I will be generating a settlement report to submit to Judge Farrar before the conference call, most likely by May 28.

Sincerely,


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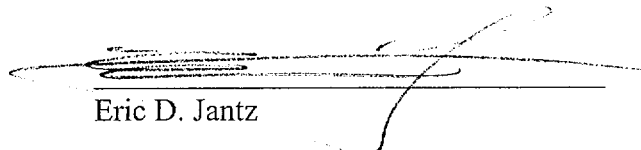
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