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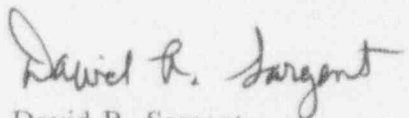
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Washington, DC 20555-0001

RE: Stand-by Trust Agreement, Dated September 27, 1990, Between Chemetron Corporation and The Chase Manhattan Bank, N.A. Regarding License Number No. SUB-1357

Dear Mr. Johnson:

In response to your letter of January 26, 1994 regarding the Stand-by Trust Agreement, I have confirmed that all unpaid fees have now been paid. It is the intention of Chemetron Corporation to maintain the Stand-by Trust Agreement in effect. Under the terms of the Stand-by Trust Agreement, a trustee may resign upon 90 days notice but any such resignation will not be effective until a successor trustee has been appointed. Chemetron will contact the existing trustee, The Chase Manhattan Bank, to discuss the situation and to attempt to convince it to remain as trustee. If that is not acceptable, Chemetron will make arrangements with another bank to perform that function. In any event, the Stand-by Trust Agreement will continue in effect.

Very truly yours,



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Vice President and
Associate General Counsel

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