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Attention: Mr. Steve Pingeton

Dear Mr. Pingeton:

This letter follows up on a telephone conversation you had last week with my assistant, Barbara Reres, regarding five notices that I have received regarding non-recei of lobbying reports. A copy of each letter is attached. There has been some confusion with regard to the preparation of these reports and I trust the following information will clearly explain what has occurred. I hope that after review of same the Legislative Resource Center will determine this letter sufficient to terminate Oppenheimer's registration on behalf of these entities.

I ceased employment with Oppenheimer Wolff & Donnelly as of May 24, 2001. Of the five organizations on which I had been filing lobbying reports, only three organizations remained clients at the new firm: National Basketball Association, Ciner Corporation, and Cook Group, Inc. Lobbying registration forms were filed with the Office of the Clerk on behalf of these clients when I began work at the Venable Law Firm.

There are no attorneys with Oppenheimer at the current time that are in a positic to file termination reports on these clients. Oppenheimer forwarded your letters to me and, in fact, the Oppenheimer Washington office closed its doors as of December 31, 2001.

Please advise what further action you deem necessary. Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

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VIA FAX

Re: Oppenheimer Lobbying Reports

Dear Ms. Reynolds:

This letter follows up on a telephone conversation my assistant had with Diana in your office regarding notices I have received regarding non-receipt of lobbying reports. A copy c each notice is attached. There has been some confusion with regard to the preparation of the reports and I trust the following information will clearly explain what has occurred. I hope t after review of same, the Office of Public Records will determine this letter sufficient to terminate Oppenheimer's registration on behalf of these entities. (As a matter of information am attaching a copy of the letter which I sent to the Legislative Resource Center in January 2002 regarding this same issue, although not necessarily the same clients.)

I ceased employment with Oppenheimer, Wolff & Donnelly as of May 24, 2001. Of th following organizations on which I had been filing lobbying reports (Illinois Tool Works, National Basketball Association, NISH, and Cinergy), only Cinergy remained a client at my firm. Lobbying registration forms were filed with the Office of Public Records on behalf of Cinergy when I began work at the Venable Law Firm.

There are no attorneys with Oppenheimer at the current time that are in a position to fil termination reports on these clients. In fact, the Oppenheimer Washington office closed its c as of December 31, 2001.

Please advise whether further action is necessary. Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

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