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**Via Federal Express**

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ENSR Doc. No: LPW/616

Hasmukh C. Shah, Ph.D.  
Manager  
Vinyl Chloride Panel  
Chemical Manufacturer's Association  
2501 "M" Street, N.W.  
Washington, DC 20037

Re: Settlement Agreement-Vinyl Chloride Study, ENSR- CMA Contract  
dated March 31, 1995

Dear Dr. Shah:

ENSR is most pleased to confirm that the settlement you have proposed as a result of our ongoing discussions is acceptable to ENSR. In this letter I have summarized ENSR's understanding of this settlement. Please confirm your acceptance by signing in the agreement section below.

The following summary provides a complete and final settlement of the issues which were raised by CMA in CMA's December 28, 1995 letter to ENSR regarding the contract referenced above; as discussed in numerous telephone conversations held between the parties; and as expressed in other previous correspondence exchanged between ENSR and CMA regarding this subject.

1. ENSR agrees to excuse CMA of ENSR's outstanding invoices relative to ENSR Project No. 1415-015, CMA Reference No. VCHC-5.0-EPI ENSR. (\$11,700.00)
2. ENSR agrees to pay CMA a cash settlement of \$14,000.00 by July 31, 1996. This would include \$10,000.00 for death certificates, \$1500.00 in state fees associated with tracking down death certificates when the certificate number is not known, and \$2500.00 for a nosologist to code the death certificates.
3. ENSR agrees to subcontract with Nancy Gordon pursuant to the May 6, 1996 Scope of Work (paragraph 2, sentence 4, and paragraph 3), to select the appropriate files off the CMA- Vinyl Chloride tape and convert the data sets from

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CMS-SAS format to PC- SAS data sets and then forward the tape to Applied Epidemiology, Inc., at no cost to CMA or Applied Epidemiology, Inc. The subcontract with Nancy Gordon will be deemed complete only after all the work has been completed in accordance with the terms of this letter.

ENSR and CMA agree that the above is a complete and final settlement of the issues which were raised by CMA in CMA's December 28, 1995 letter to ENSR regarding the ENSR- CMA contract referenced above. I have prepared two (2) originals of this letter. If you are in agreement with the above please so acknowledge by signing both copies, retaining one for your files and returning one original to the attention of Ms. Patricia McKee.

Sincerely,

Linnea P. Westberg  
Senior Contracts Administrator

Agreed and Accepted:

**Chemical Manufacturer's Association**

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

cc: Peter Rasco, ENSR/Alameda

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