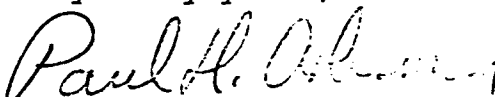


It was unfortunate that Mr. Londres was not available for the February 8, 1977 meeting with representatives of your company. Mr. Londres keeps a busy schedule and an urgent matter requiring his presence came up unexpectedly concurrent with your meeting.

Much of our achievement in the field of environmental control has been the result of cooperative negotiations with the industrial community. The spirit of cooperation that has been evident in our past relations with your company is regarded as a valuable asset in the effort to provide clean air for the citizens of New Jersey. We appreciate your expression of intent to work with us in the future on environmental matters and assure you we will do our part.

Any misunderstandings from the events cited should not hamper these efforts.

Very truly yours,



Paul H. Arbesman
Director

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Edward J. Londres

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