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Mr. Charles E. Shreve Acting Chief Counsel Division of Corporation Finance Securities and Exchange Commission Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Mr. Shreve:

I recall when I was informed you were to be the Acting Chief Counsel and I was to work for you in Mr. Cohen's absence, I went to see you and said "I understand we are to share a year working together. I hope it will be a pleasant one for both of us."

Now that a year has almost past I would like to tell you you have stood the test of time. The year has been indeed a gratifying one in this respect. I know that the accepted practice in government is for a supervisor to rate the performance of an employee, but, as you must know, unofficially employees rate their supervisors. In my book your rating is certainly excellent. You have always been clear in your directions, reasonable in your requests, courteous in manner, and have a wonderful sense of humor which helps lighten the many difficult situations which can and do arise in a working day.

I sincerely hope that I also have contributed my fair share to this pleasant working relationship.

Thank you for the opportunity of having worked for and with you.

Sincerely,

Mollie B. Zion