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Dear Sir or Madam:

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SEC WAW Enclosed are the original and seven (7) copies of the Application. Please file the Application in your usual fashion and return one (1) file-stamped copy to us in the enclosed envelope.

Also enclosed is a check in the amount of \$250.00 to cover the cost of filing the Application.

If you have any questions or comments, please call the undersigned.

Sincerely,

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