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The Honorable Charlie Rose Chairman, Subcommittee on Office Systems 722 H.O.B. Annex 1 Washington, D. C. 20515

Reference: Business Activity with the

Country of South Africa

Dear Chairman Rose:

Your letter dated July 23, 1985 to our Fairfax, Virginia Branch operation concerning the above matter was referred to my attention.

Neither A. B. Dick Company nor any of its subsidiaries has had any business dealings with the Government of South Africa.

Very truly yours,

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