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The Honorable Herbert H. Bateman Member, United States House of Representatives 739 Thimble Shoals Boulevard Suite 803 Newport News, Virginia 23606-2545

Dear Mr. Bateman:

This refers to your letter of June 1, 1988, in which you express an interest in the protest filed by E.L. Hamm & Associates, Inc., against the cancellation of request for proposals No. N00189-86-R-0062, issued by the Naval Supply Center, Norfolk, Virginia, for microfilming services.

By decision of today, copy enclosed, we have dismissed ELH's protest since, even if we were to sustain its protest, ELH would not be eligible to compete for the contract in question. Accordingly, ELH is not an interested party to protest this matter.

Sincerely yours,

Robert M. Strong
Deputy Associate
General Counsel

Enclosure