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General Accounting Office
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Office of the General Counsel

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Stine, Inc.
[Redacted]


Attention: Robert C. Stine, Jr.

Gentlemen:

We have received your letter of May 16, 1988 regarding the Forbes Avenue Showers project at the Army's Carlisle Barracks. You allege that during the course of your performance of the contract the contracting officer failed to comply with the payment schedules in the contracts, delayed approval of completed work, contacted associates of Stine to threaten default, and delayed the final payment.

The allegations that you have made concerning the Army's actions involve matters of contract administration, and as such are not reviewable by our Office. Disputes over incidents occurring during the performance of a contract, like yours, must be resolved pursuant to the contract's dispute provisions and the Contract Disputes Act of 1978. It appears from the material you submitted to our Office that you are aware of that requirement.

Sincerely yours,


Ronald Berger
Deputy Associate
General Counsel