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Iris Weinshall, Commissioner
June 6, 2002

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Subject: 10 SOUTH STREET
Battery Maritime Building

Dear Mr. Radhakrishnan:

Thank you for your letter of May 3, 2002 offering to include 10 South Street (a/k/a the Battery Maritime Building) in your agency's Cleaning Program.

The asbestos cleaning for the Battery Maritime Building is no longer necessary since this building is scheduled for a full external restoration and will be stripped-down. However, it has recently come to our attention that there is asbestos on the second floor interior space of this same building. Considering the timing of this information, coupled with the invitation to participate in your agency's Cleaning Program I would like to know if funding is available for interior asbestos cleanup.

If you would like to discuss this matter in more detail my telephone number is, 212-442-8072.

Thank you in advance for considering this request and I look forward to your response.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Dolores Barbieri", is written over the typed name and title.

Dolores Barbieri
Assistant Commissioner
Facilities Management

D/C Laura Chasin