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Re: *MUR 5026*

Dear Ms. Abely:

Please be advised that I will be representing Richard A. Zimmer in the above matter. A copy of the Statement of Designation of Counsel is enclosed. Patton Boggs will no longer be representing Mr. Zimmer. Please direct all future correspondence to me.

Sincerely,



David Debold

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The above-named individual is hereby designated as my counsel and is authorized to receive any notifications and other communications from the Commission and to act on my behalf before the Commission.

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