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WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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RE: MUR 5342  
Household International, Inc.

Dear Ms. Laham:

This is in response to your letter dated January 17, 2003, which we received on that day, requesting an extension an extension until February 11, 2003, to respond to the complaint filed in the above-noted matter. After considering the circumstances presented in your letter, the Office of General Counsel has granted the requested extension. Accordingly, your response is due by the close of business on February 11, 2003.

If you have any questions, please contact me on our toll-free telephone number, (800) 424-9530. Our local telephone number is (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Alva E. Smith".

Alva E. Smith, Paralegal  
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