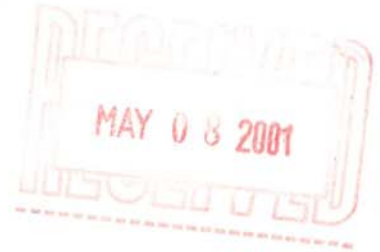




May 4, 2001

Timothy J. Roper
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Dear Tim:

I just wanted to drop you a note to thank you for services you have recently provided to our corporation and several of our clients. As you know, we've relied on AWT for our emergency response work for the past several years and we have relied on your organization to provide "value added" services to our Fortune 500 chemical company customers.

I have always found your personnel to be extremely professional and efficient in their activities. Your corporation's pricing and service are unmatched in our experience. I continue to have absolutely no concerns in recommending your corporation to those customers of ours who request various hazmat services which we cannot provide. I look forward to continuing our relationship and to expanding it in the area of "value added" services for our customers.

Tim, I just wanted to give you a "heartfelt" thank you. Due to your professionalism and flexibility, Brook Warehousing continues to shine in the eyes of its customers.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "John C. Auger".

John C. Auger
Vice President, Engineering & Regulatory Compliance

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Cc: S. Hardgrove