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Office of General Counsel

Mr. Jerry Anfinson Bowlby, Anfinson, Crandall & Haedt, Ltd. P.O. Box 217 Austin, MN 55912

Dear Mr. Anfinson:

I apologize for the inordinate delay in responding to your letter concerning payments to Federal credit union officials for spouses' expenses at credit union conferences.

Attached is our response to a Federal credit union that recently raised this issue. I believe it adequately presents our position and is responsive to the your questions.

Sincerely

Again, I am sorry for the delay and thank you for your patience.

JAMES J. ENGEL Deputy General Counsel