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Hugh A. Butler  
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363 South Fifth East  
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Re: ~~Sunbelt Computer Systems~~ (Your January 23,  
1992, Letter)

Dear Mr. Butler:

You have drawn our attention to an advertisement by Sunbelt Computer Systems which states that its software was "selected by NCUA." You ask about the procedures by which Sunbelt was selected and our views on the company's use of "NCUA" in its advertisement.

According to Joseph Visconti, Director of NCUA's Office of Information Systems, Sunbelt's system was selected by NCUA in the early 1980's for certain in-house applications. The standard procedures were followed in its selection, including a review of the system by an evaluation committee. NCUA has been quite satisfied with Sunbelt and has continued to use its products and services. In addition, ~~NCUA has permitted Sunbelt to use NCUA's name in its advertising as long as the advertisement does not state that NCUA endorses the product~~

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and does not quote any NCUA employees. In our view, the advertisement you enclosed with your letter is within those guidelines.

Sincerely,



Hattie M. Ulan  
Associate General Counsel

cc: Christopher Kerecman, Executive Assistant to  
Board Member Swan  
Joseph Visconti, Office of Information Systems Director

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