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Mr. Mike Eastland
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Via Email

Re: Analysis of July 31, 2006 Report Prepared by Alvaro A. Linero, P.E.
Titled "Trip Report on SCR Experiences at Solnhofer Portland Zementwerke,
Cementeria di Monselice, and ASM Brescia Waste-to-Energy Plant

Dear Mr. Eastland:

Under cover of this letter, please find a report entitled: "Analysis of July 31, 2006 Report Prepared by Alvaro A. Linero, P.E. Titled 'Trip Report on SCR Experiences at Solnhofer Portland Zementwerke, Cementeria di Monselice, and ASM Brescia Waste-to-Energy Plant'." This report has been prepared by Schreiber Yonley & Associates ("SYA") on behalf of the Portland Cement Association ("PCA"). The report compares and contrasts the paper recently prepared by Alvaro A. Linero, P.E., on his trip to the Solnhofer Cement Plant in Germany against the paper prepared by SYA titled "The Experience of SCR at Solnhofen and Its Applicability to US Cement Plants."

The attached report concludes that whereas the major factual assertions in the two papers are similar, some of the conclusions derived from those facts differ. Most significantly, the Linero Paper does not specifically relate the Solnhofen experience with SCR and SNCR to the cement kilns in Ellis County, Texas and offers a more optimistic picture of Solnhofen's possible future use of SCR than is offered in the SYA Report. The SYA Report simply did not speculate on the possible future return to operation of the SCR system at Solnhofen.

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Please do not hesitate to call if you have any questions on the attached report.

Sincerely,



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