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## RE: FOOD ADDITIVE PETITION 3B3700

Dear Dr. Herrman:

In reference to our telephone conversation on September 19, 1983, I would like to summarize and confirm our discussion as follows:

We agreed to limit the condition of use for fatty foods to E through H (176.170(C), Table 2) in our above referenced peition for the use of pentanoic acid, 4,4-bis[gamma-omega-perfluoro  $C_8 - C_{20}$  alkyl)thio] derivatives, compounds with diethanolamine as an oil and water repellent for paper and paper board. This limitation is to exclude from our peition the previous proposed conditions of use C & D (176.170(C), Table 2).

Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely yours,

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