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Attention: Chuck Green, president

Dear Chuck,

Over the past year I completed two major underground projects involving several thousand cubic yards of placed shotcrete. My role consisted of consulting and supervising operations at the Tren Urbano subway station in San Juan, Puerto Rico and the Walkback tunnel at Dulles airport in Virginia.

Both projects have been successfully completed and I thank you very much for your participation. The Kel-Crete shotcrete admixture was initially used for its water retaining qualities. Thereby reducing or eliminating the need for external curing. As a bonus we also experienced that the mixes were easier to pump and that our mostly overhead applications had noticeably less rebound.

As you can see from the enclosed typical compressive test results, we managed very well. All breaks came in over our specifications of 5000 psi for over 200 tests made. Quite impressive for tunnel projects where the tough environment frequently means quality problems.

Thank you again for your assistance. I am looking forward to work with you on future projects.

Very Truly Yours,



Jan A. Blanck

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