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TO/A Mr. Bob B6gin

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Our file: A-14-425

Re: Agreement regarding research and development
B.A.T and Imasco

Please find attached copies of the recent draft of the agreement proposed for B.A.T.

You will notice that we have added the words "and related costs" in paragraph B. We believe the inclusion of these words will help identify the authority of Imasco to predetermine the extent of its contribution.

As you know, we have been particularly concerned about this agreement in light of our current application to the Foreign Investment Review Agency for a exempt status ruling.

Senior members of B.A.T are conscious of our efforts and their importance to us in obtaining a favourable ruling.

Once you have obtained approval from the Management Committee, please let us know.

RSA/jc

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