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July 13, 1998

Bob K~~~~~
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Dear Bob:

In response to your fax dated July 3, 1998, Don Meurer, our controller, sent you a letter July 1 in response to your request for a financial breakdown. He gave me a copy of his letter and I noticed that the address he used is different from the address I've been using. In case you didn't receive it, a copy is enclosed.

You asked for the dollar amount of cash incentives given in Montreal and the dollar amount of incentives contemplated to be received in 2000. At the 1985 International Convention in Montreal, the provincial government of Quebec contributed \$75,000 toward rental costs of the stadium and convention center, following negotiations with the Convention and Tourist Bureau in which we apparently expressed concern about the high rental rates for these facilities. At our request, the Quebec government paid the money to the Montreal Convention and Tourism Bureau to be applied to the rental costs.

In 1975, in Denver, we received a one dollar "room rebate" per room to offset bussing costs.

With regard to the 2000 International Convention in Minneapolis, in March 1991 the Minneapolis Convention and Visitors Association, as part of the bid proposal, provided for "a subsidy of \$100,000 toward bussing costs."

Bob K~~~~ Contd.
July 13, 1998

Regarding your request that we send you copies of Bill Wilson's letters of November 11, 1957 and December 31, 1957, I have forwarded your request to our archivist.

As always, please let us know if we can be of further service.

Sincerely yours,
/signed/
Lois Fisher
General Service Staff

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cc: Judit Santon, Archivist
Donald Meurer, Controller
Gary Glynn, Chairman of the General Service Board