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DELISTING PETITIONS, PROCEDURES FOR PROCESSING

JUL 28 1987

Mr. Omar Muniz-Diaz, P.E.  
Manager-Safety, Health and  
Environmental Affairs  
Union Carbide Caribe Incorporated  
Ponce, Puerto Rico 00731

Dear Mr. Muniz-Diaz:

We have received your June 24, 1987 letter asking the Agency to place Union Carbide Caribe's delisting petition on hold until it can provide additional data to the Agency. As a matter of policy, we do not allow delisting petitions to remain inactive or on "hold". Union Carbide Caribe may withdraw the petition and resubmit a new petition at such time as it can supply the additional data. Our March 19, 1987 letter to you, indicated the reasons we believe your petition should be denied and stated that we would publish our decision to deny the petition in the Federal Register unless we received a written notice of Union Carbide Caribe's intent to withdraw the petition. We will allow you two additional weeks to withdraw the petition if you so choose before we proceed with our decision to deny.

If you have any questions regarding the above decision, please contact Mr. Myles Morse of my staff at (202) 382-4788.

Sincerely,

Original Document signed (S. Bromm)

for Bruce R. Weddle, Director  
Permits and State Programs Division