

SNIBBE ENTERPRISES, INC.

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Ms Karen Beyer
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Re: SNIBBE ENTERPRISES, INC. reference number 462870
and
AEOLUS, INC. reference number P97000101757

Dear Ms Beyer,

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Thank you very much for the breath of positive approach in our phone conversation this afternoon.

The above referenced corporations are tiny entities used to handle some shared administrative expenses for tax purposes and one equipment lease situation. I get into writing checks and clearing bills for these entities infrequently. I had misplaced the forms for the 1999 Annual Report and mailed the respective Annual Reports and filing fee checks during the week ending June 11, 1999.

I was notified of a late fee of \$400 for each of the above corporations. Each corporation paid the late fee. At this date, both corporations are shown as having fully complied. The late fee of \$400 per corporation is enormous relative to the overall operations of each of these corporations.

I believe the department intended to allow a grace period for late Annual Report filers as defined by the "2ND NOTICE 1999 PROFIT CORPORATION ANNUAL REPORT PACKET" which has the following notation on the bottom:

This notice is being given to all corporations that have not filed their 1999 annual report as of June 11, 1999. If you feel your report and this notice have crossed in the mail, you may call (850) 488-9000 to verify the filing. You may disregard this notice if the 1999 annual report has been filed.

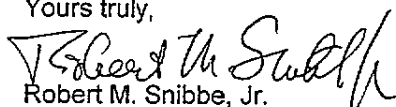
I can assure you that both Annual Reports and checks were in the mail on or before 11 June 1999. I enclose copies of the checks with endorsements that paid the original filing fees. The check for the filing fee of Aeolus was dated Sunday 6 June 1999 and the check for the filing fee for Snibbe Enterprises was dated Friday 11 June 1999.

As the filing of the Annual Reports with checks were in the mail on or before 11 June 1999 and as it is the apparent intent of the Department to allow grace to the late filers whose filings were in the mail as of the eleventh of June, I believe that the late fees paid by Snibbe Enterprises, Inc. and Aeolus, Inc. should be refunded.

Please be so kind as to arrange for the refund of \$400 late fee to Snibbe Enterprises, Inc. and \$400 late fee to Aeolus, Inc.

Thank you.

Yours truly,


Robert M. Snibbe, Jr.