

AVON BROACH & PRODUCTION CO.

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November 10, 2008

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Gentlemen,

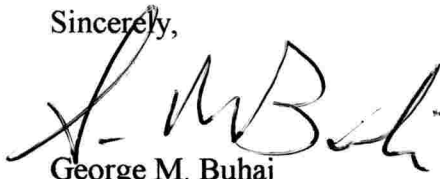
Regarding Avon Broach & Production Company's participation in Michigan's Tool & Die Economic Recovery Zone.

I thank you for your previous action in 2006 allowing Avon Broach's participation in the Recovery Zone. At that time Avon requested and was granted a five year abatement which began in 2007. Beginning next year, the abatement phases out at 25% each year until ending in 2012. I am requesting your consideration for a five year extension to the current abatement period. With this extension, Avon's status will be better aligned with the majority of members in our collaborative.

Accompanying this letter is additional information including how Avon has re-invested the tax savings to be better positioned for future business. If you have any questions, please contact me.

Thank you for your consideration,

Sincerely,



George M. Buhaj
President

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