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December 21, 2004

Emily Reynolds
Secretary
United States Senate
Office of Public Records
232 Hart Senate Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

Reminder of 2003 Termination of "Capitolink LLC"

Dear Madam:

I am writing to remind your office that the lobbying firm, "Capitolink LLC" (Senate #43252) no longer exists. I continue to receive mailings for "Capitolink LLC" from your office and the Clerk of the House. Please update your records to reflect the termination of all business by "Capitolink LLC" (Senate #43252).

Almost exactly one year ago I informed your office by letter that the assets of my Virginia-based lobbying business of ten years, "Capitolink LLC," had been sold and I would no longer be doing business as of December 31, 2003. With that letter I listed all my former clients and their Congressional Registration numbers. We closed our office, and distributed our assets as of December 31, 2003.

Recently I received a letter from your office stating that you had not received a midyear report for the American Meat Institute (43252-253) -- addressed to my old company "Capitolink LLC." This letter was forwarded by my old landlord. The fact that your office sent this letter to "Capitolink LLC" (#43252) at my old office address worries me that your records are not up to date.

In your 2003 files you will find my letter from December 2003, announcing the sale of the business and termination of all business under the name "Capitolink LLC" (Senate #43252). Please contact me at 202-508-8962 if you have questions.

Sincerely,

John Thorne

