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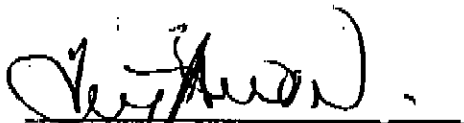
TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

On February 29, 1980 at the Hacienda Hotel in the City of El Segundo, our Department conducted operational tests involving BOMANITE-GRASSCRETE.

Our Department's Fire Prevention Bureau required an apparatus access drive servicing the Hotel and for aesthetic purposes the Hotel paved that access drive with BOMANITE-GRASSCRETE. The apparatus we used in the test was our Department's Crown 75' TeleSquirt, which fully loaded weighs approximately 50,000 pounds. We drove our rig on the access lane and put the apparatus through a full range of operations. Even though this test occurred just seven days after a series of very heavy rain falls, the BOMANITE-GRASSCRETE provided a sure surface for our apparatus.

It is my opinion that BOMANITE-GRASSCRETE, as installed at the Hacienda Hotel in our City, is an acceptable material for fire lanes and additionally, is an attractive land scape amenity.

Sincerely,


Thomas J. Baron
Fire Chief

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