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Mr. Ricardo R. Pesquera Annexy
Assistant United States Attorney
District of Puerto Rico
Hato Rey, Puerto Rico

Dear Mr. Pesquera:

It gives me a great deal of pleasure to recognize your exemplary prosecutive efforts in connection with five different Theft from Interstate Shipment cases involving Martin George Thuna.

This prosecution, spanning two years and three separate trials, resulted in 13 felony convictions with fines and restitutions totalling more than \$552,000. This noteworthy success is attributable, in large measure, to the perseverance with which you pursued the prosecution of these cases in spite of the principal defendant's \$1/2 million defense. You have every reason to be proud of the role you played which contributed to the outcome of this matter in the Government's favor. I understand that your efforts were ultimately responsible for the reported drop in thefts of merchandise at the international airport in San Juan from \$2 million in 1983 to less than \$5,000 in 1986.

My associates in San Juan join me in congratulating you on this praiseworthy accomplishment. We extend our warmest best wishes for continued success throughout your career.

Sincerely yours,

William H. Webster
Director