April 18, 1996

Mr. John L. Fisher Manager of Regulations SACHEM, INC. 2311 Pipeline Road Cleburne, Texas 76031

Re: Ethyl Chloride Storage Cleburne, Johnson County Account ID No. JH-0147-W

Dear Mr. Fisher:

This is in response to your letter dated February 27, 1996 concerning your plans to add a storage tank for ethyl chloride at your Cleburne facility. After evaluation of the information which you have furnished, we have determined that your project is exempt from the permit procedures under Standard Exemption No. 83 if constructed and operated as described in your letter. However, please note that ethyl chloride is not a compound we use for the auditory, visual, olfactory (AVO) program.

This standard exemption was authorized by the Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission (TNRCC) Executive Director pursuant to 30 TAC Section 116.211(a) (Regulation VI). A copy of the standard exemption in effect at the time of this determination is enclosed. You must operate in accordance with all requirements of the enclosed standard exemption.

You are reminded that regardless of whether a permit is required, these facilities must be in compliance with all air quality rules and regulations of the TNRCC and of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency at all times.

If you have any questions concerning this standard exemption, please contact Ms. Lara House of our Office of Air Quality, New Source Review Division at (512) 239-5708.

Sincerely,

Tammy Villarreal Manager, Chemical Section New Source Review Division

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Enclosure

cc: Mr. Jesse Macias, Air Program Manager, Arlington

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