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Mr. R. John Street  
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225 West Wacker Drive  
Chicago, Illinois 60606-1229

Dear Mr. Street:

This acknowledges the receipt of your letter dated January 16, 2002, requesting an amendment of 49 CFR 178.801(c) to be rewritten to read "Design requalification tests must be conducted at least once every 36 months upon FIBC's, and at least once every 12 months upon all other intermediate bulk containers."

Your request has been assigned number P-1421. This number is for tracking purposes only. Your request has not been assessed for merit. If accepted under 49 CFR 106.31 as a petition for rulemaking, it will be considered for a future rulemaking action.

If you write or call us regarding this petition, please make refer to this number.

Sincerely,

Gail L. Twitty  
Transportation Assistant  
Office of Hazardous Materials Standards