Internal Revenue Service

District Director

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Middlesex Canal Association, Inc. P.O. Box 333 Billerica, MA 01821 Department of the Treasury 35 Tillary St., Brooklyn, NY 11201

Date:

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Person to Contact Clifton G. Belnavis Contact Telephone Number (718) 780-4501 Re: 51-0176731

Dear Sir or Madam:

Reference is made to your request for verification of the tax exempt status of Middlesex Canal Association, Inc.

A determination or ruling letter issued to an organization granting exemption under the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 or under a prior or subsequent Revenue Act remains in effect until exempt status has been terminated, revoked or modified.

Our records indicate that exemption was granted as shown below.

Sincerely yours,

Eileen Japhazzo

District Disclosure Officer

Name of Organization: Middlesex Canal Association, Inc.

Date of Exemption Letter: January 1976

Exemption granted pursuant to 1954 Code section 501(c)(3) or its predecessor Code section.

Foundation Classification (if applicable): Not a private foundation as you are an organization described in section 509(a)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code.