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(with a copy of Mr. Tron's letter  
 of May 3, 2004)

(with a copy of the Claimant's letter of  
 April 29, 2004 and of Mr. Tron's letter  
 of May 3, 2004)

Ref: Corn Products International, Inc. v. United Mexican States  
(ICSID Case No. ARB(AF)/04/1)

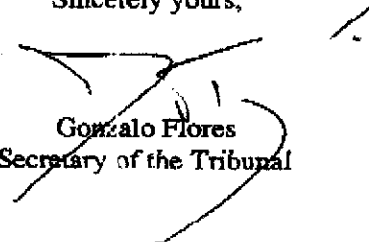
Dear Madam and Sirs,

I confirm our receipt on April 30, 2004 of a letter from counsel for the Claimant dated April 29, 2004. We have today received a letter dated May 3, 2004 from Mr. Manuel E. Tron.

In his above-mentioned letter, Mr. Tron conveys to us his resignation as an arbitrator in this case. In accordance with Rule 14(3) of the ICSID Additional Facility Arbitration Rules is to the Tribunal to decide whether it consents to this resignation. We are therefore transmitting Mr. Tron's letter of resignation to the other members of the Tribunal.

We will be writing to you shortly on the next steps to be taken in this regard.

Sincerely yours,

  
 Gonzalo Flores  
 Secretary of the Tribunal

Attachments

c.c. (with incoming correspondence):

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