



Letter of Agency

April 7, 2003

TUV Rheinland of North America
762 Park Avenue
Youngsville, NC 27596

To Whom It May Concern:

Please be advised that Elster Electricity, LLC authorizes TUV Rheinland of North America to act on our behalf.

We certify that we are not subject to denial of federal benefits, that includes FCC benefits, pursuant to Section 5301 of the Anti-Drug Abuse ACT of 1988, U.S.C. 862. Further, no party, as defined in 47 CFR 1.2002(b), to the application is subject to denial of federal benefits, that includes FCC benefits.

Thank you for your attention in this matter.

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Robert T. Mason".

Robert T. Mason
Supervisor, Meter Development
Elster Electricity, LLC