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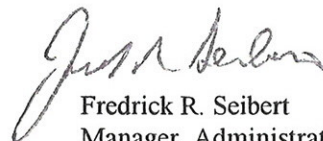
Dear Mr. Missner,

As you are aware, Mallinckrodt Veterinary, Inc unitized your company in order to renovate a laboratory facility in Mundelein, IL., prior to our occupancy . The building totals 64,000 sq. ft. with approximately 25,000 sq. . ft. of dedicated laboratory space. It was necessary to establish 3 separate laboratory functions; pharmaceutical, biological and parasiticide, each with their own unique set of demands, within the lab space. This fairly extensive renovation/retrofitting consisted of, but was not limited to:

- Analyzing laboratory functions for determining electrical, plumbing and HVAC demands.
- Establishing area use plans based upon their facility analysis.
- Making both retrofit and replace recommendations. These were all presented in formats that allowed for cost effective decisions to be made.
- Clean room specifications, design and construction. Facility had an existing class 10,000 room that required extensive rework to meet our requirements.
- Overall project coordination.

I would like to take this opportunity to express to you how pleased both myself and Mallinckrodt Veterinary was with your companies performance. The work performed by The Missner Group, under the direction of Joe Hayes, was timely, cost effective and, of most importance, performed in accordance with all state and local regulations. If I had a question, I received an answer. Whenever there was a problem, there was always a proposed solution. If return business is any indication of customer satisfaction, we are now starting a second renovation , using The Missner Group.

Sincerely,



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