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May 16, 2000

SYNSORB Biotech Inc.
c/o

Attention: Paula Mckenzie

Dear Sirs/Mesdames:

**Re: SYNSORB Biotech Inc.
Sedar Project # 264934
Annual Information Form**

I am pleased to advise you that your renewal annual information form dated **May 10, 2000** has been accepted under National Policy Statement No. 47.

Yours very truly,

Heidi Franken

Manager, Corporate Finance