APPENDIX A - RESOURCES

The U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) published an in-depth and comprehensive Guidelines for the Evaluation and Control of Lead-Based Paint Hazards in Housing. The Guidelines are available for a small fee from HUD by calling 1(800)245-2691. The Guidelines will be revised as new information becomes available.

Additional questions and/or information may be answered by contacting the following sources of public information:

A. HUD Office of Lead-Based Paint Abatement and Poisoning Prevention
   1(800)743-5232

B. EPA Lead Information Hotline 1(800)LEAD-FYI
   The Hotline also provides many materials, including Lead Poisoning and Your Children.

C. National Lead Information Center Clearinghouse, operated by the National Safety Council 1(800)424-LEAD. They provide a list of laboratories that can analyze paint and dust samples for lead. The Clearinghouse also answers specific questions over the phone and provides single copies of information pamphlets. For technical information, call: Doreen Cantor, Environmental Protection Agency, Office of Pollution Prevention and Toxics, 1(202)260-1777, FAX 1(202)160-0770; or Ken Giles, Consumer Product Safety Commission, 1(301)504-0580, FAX 1(301)504-0862.

D. Government Printing Office 1(202)512-1800. GPO will send multiple copies of the information pamphlet Protecting Your Family From Lead In Your Home, GPO stock number 055-000-00507-9, with a fee of $26.00 for 50 copies. Copies may also be downloaded from the internet at http://www.epa.gov.opptintr/lead.

E. National Conference of State Legislatures 1(303)830-2200. They provide information about the current state regulations for disposing of lead waste.

F. Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA), Department of Job Safety and Health 1(202)219-8151. They provide information on respirators and protective clothing for safely doing renovations, among other things.

G. Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Hotline 1(202)554-0551, for general information on lead poisoning prevention.