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Attachments: 1. Board Letter, 2. Attachment A - Agreement for Legal Services, 3. Executed Agreement, 4. Minute Order

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