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Exhibit H
January 10, 2002
Joseph H. Chivers, Esq.
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## Dear Mr. Chivers:

According to the Power of Attorney with Agreement for Retainer and Contingent Fee that I signed to retain your services in "intervention," I am obligated to provide a written notice of termination of your representation of me. Consider this as such.

At this point, after receiving a rejection from AK regarding my demands for an out-of-court settlement, your actions in "intervention" as described in the above-mentioned document, have been unsuccessful.

After lengthy consideration, including some problems detailed in a letter to you dated 12-3-01, it is not in my best interest to have you file a lawsuit and represent me in litigation against AK Steel.

In a phone conversation in December, you verbally agreed to remedy the problems (detailed in the letter dated 12-03-01) within the week, yet they were not done, and now, in January you have attempted to talk me out of the resolutions to which you agreed.

It is obvious that any rapport you and I may have had initially has diminished, and my confidence in you has waned. Apparently the feeling is mutual, as well.

As I detailed in my letter of 12-3-01, your actions in negotiations with AK's attorney $0^{\prime}$ Conner on my behalf clearly did not represent my interests, and may have compromised my case.

According to the Power of Attorney with Agreement for Retainer and Contingent Fee, as of this termination notice and the dissolution of our relationship, I am not obligated to you financially for any past service, and you are no longer entitled to any future settlement I may receive.

Additionally, I am releasing you from the obligation to file the complaint in court on my behalf, which is noted under "FEES" in the Power of Attorney. Do not file the complaint on my behalf.

Please send a written acknowledgement of this termination notice. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,


