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December 18, 2002

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VIA REGISTERED MAIL

Federal Trade Commission
Bureau of Competition - Room 394
6th Street & Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.
Washington, DC 20580

Re: American Natural Soda Ash Corp. – Webb-Pomerene Annual Report

Dear Sirs:

Pursuant to Section 5 of the Webb-Pomerene Act and applicable FTC procedures and rules of practice, enclosed please find the Annual Report to the Federal Trade Commission of American Natural Soda Ash Corp. for the year ending December 31, 2002.

Sincerely yours,



Charles H. Critchlow

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Enclosure

AMERICAN NATURAL SODA ASH CORP.

**Annual Report to the Federal Trade Commission
for the Year Ending December 31, 2002**

In accordance with Section 5 of the Export Trade Act of April 10, 1918 (15 U.S.C. § 65) and Section 1.42 of the Federal Trade Commission Procedures and Rules of Practice (16 C.F.R. § 1.42), AMERICAN NATURAL SODA ASH CORP. ("ANSAC"), a corporation organized and existing under the laws of Delaware, hereby files this Annual Report. ANSAC is engaged solely in export trade in soda ash, defined as alkali product designated by the chemical formula Na_2CO_3 , whether manufactured by Solvay process, Trona refining, brine evaporation and purification, or any other means.

LOCATION OF OFFICES OR PLACES OF BUSINESS

The statutory office of the ANSAC is located at 32 Loockerman Square, Suite L-100, Dover, Delaware 19901.

ANSAC's main office is located at 15 Riverside Avenue, Westport, Connecticut 06880.

ANSAC has two liaison offices located at 9100 South Dadeland Boulevard, Datan Center, Suite 912 Miami, Florida; and at 152 Beach Road, #13-04 Gateway West, Singapore.

NAMES AND ADDRESS OF STOCKHOLDERS OR MEMBERS

ANSAC is a non-stock corporation and has no stockholders.

The names and addresses of ANSAC's current Members are:

AMERICAN SODA, LLP
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NAMES AND ADDRESSES OF OFFICERS

The names and addresses of ANSAC's Officers and Directors are:

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Vice-Chairman: J. F. Tancredi
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Officers: J. M. Andrews, President
T. D. Dullinger, Vice President – Finance and Treasurer
D. D. Gardner, Vice President-Administration and Secretary
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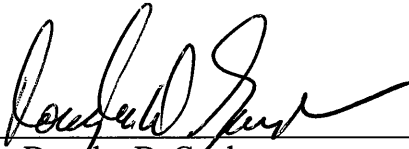
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AMENDMENTS TO AND CHANGES IN ARTICLES OR
CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION, BY-LAWS,
ARTICLES OR CONTRACT OF ASSOCIATION

Since its Annual Report for the year ending December 31, 2001, there have been no amendments to or changes in ANSAC's Certificate of Incorporation, Membership Agreement or By-Laws, copies of which, including such amendments as have been adopted with respect to all such documents in prior years, are on file with the Federal Trade Commission as exhibits to ANSAC's prior Annual Reports and are hereby incorporated by reference.

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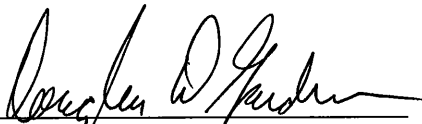
By 

Douglas D. Gardner
Vice President-Administration and Secretary

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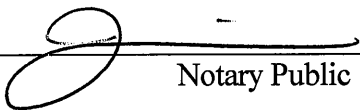
STATE OF CONNECTICUT)
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CITY OF WESTPORT)

DOUGLAS D. GARDNER, being first duly sworn, on oath deposes and says that he is an officer, to wit, Vice President-Administration and Secretary of the above-named corporation; that he has read the foregoing report for the year ending December 31, 2002, and that it is in all respects true and correct.



Douglas D. Gardner

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 17TH day of December, 2002



Notary Public

JANICE L. O'SULLIVAN
NOTARY PUBLIC
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES AUG. 31, 2006