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VIA FACSIMILE AND OVERNIGHT DELIVERY

August 12, 2002

Securities and Exchange Commission
450 Fifth Street, NW
Washington, DC 20549
Attention: Jonathan G. Katz, Secretary

Re: Arrow Electronics, Inc. Sworn Statements

Dear Mr. Katz:

Pursuant to Order of the Securities and Exchange Commission requiring the filing of sworn statements pursuant to Section 21(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (File No. 4-460), enclosed please find a sworn statement from each of Stephen P. Kaufman, Principal Executive Officer, and Paul J. Reilly, Principal Financial Officer, of Arrow Electronics, Inc.

Please acknowledge receipt of this letter and the attached statements by stamping and returning the enclosed copy of this letter in the self-addressed stamped envelope provided.

If you have any questions, please contact me at 516-391-8960.

Yours truly,

Peter S. Brown

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Statement Under Oath of Principal Executive Officer and Principal Financial Officer Regarding Facts and Circumstances Relating to Exchange Act Filings

I, Stephen P. Kaufman, state and attest that:


(1) To the best of my knowledge, based upon a review of the covered reports of Arrow Electronics, Inc., and, except as corrected or supplemented in a subsequent covered report:

- no covered report contained an untrue statement of a material fact as of the end of the period covered by such report (or in the case of a report on Form 8-K or definitive proxy materials, as of the date on which it was filed); and
- no covered report omitted to state a material fact necessary to make the statements in the covered report, in light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading as of the end of the period covered by such report (or in the case of a report on Form 8-K or definitive proxy materials, as of the date on which it was filed).

(2) I have reviewed the contents of this statement with the Company's audit committee.

(3) In this statement under oath, each of the following, if filed on or before the date of this statement, is a "covered report":

- Annual Report of Arrow Electronics, Inc. on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2001;
- all reports on Form 10-Q, all reports on Form 8-K and all definitive proxy materials of Arrow Electronics, Inc. filed with the Commission subsequent to the filing of the Form 10-K identified above; and
- any amendments to any of the foregoing.



 Stephen P. Kaufman
 August 12, 2002

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of August 2002

/s/ Pamela Marino

My Commission Expires:

PAMELA MARINO
NOTARY PUBLIC, State of New York
No. 01MA5045376
Qualified in Suffolk County
Commission Expires June 19, 2003

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