

**National City Corporation** 

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Mr. Jonathan G. Katz Secretary Securities and Exchange Commission 450 Fifth Street, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20549

Re: Certifications By Principal Executive Officer and Principal Financial Officer Pursuant to Securities and Exchange File No. 4-460

Dear Mr. Katz:

Filed herewith are the separate certifications by David A. Daberko, principal executive officer of National City Corporation, and Jeffrey D. Kelly, principal financial officer of National City Corporation, required by the Order of the Securities and Exchange Commission issued June 27, 2002 as part of the Securities and Exchange Commission File No. 4-460.

We would appreciate your acknowledging receipt for filing of each of the enclosed certifications by file stamping the enclosed copy of this letter and returning it to the undersigned in the enclosed envelope.

Should you have any question or require additional information, please contact the undersigned at the above address and telephone number.

Very truly yours,

**Enclosures** 

c: David A. Daberko Jeffrey D. Kelly

## STATEMENT UNDER OATH OF PRINCIPAL EXECUTIVE OFFICER REGARDING FACTS AND CIRCUMSTANCES RELATING TO EXCHANGE ACT FILINGS

## I, David A. Daberko, state and attest that:

- (1) To the best of my knowledge, based upon a review of the covered reports of National City Corporation, 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 Audit Committee of the Board of Directors of National City Corporation.
- (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 on Form 10-K for 2001 dated January 23, 2002, filed January 29, 2002 of National City Corporation.
  - All reports on Form 10-Q, all reports on Form 8-K and all definitive proxy materials of National City Corporation filed with the Commission subsequent to the filing of the Form 10-K identified above.

Any amendments to any of the foregoing.

David A. Daberko August 12, 2002

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Notary Public

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My Commission Expires:
CARLTON E. LANGER, Attorney At Langue
Notary Public - State of Ohio
My commission has no expiration date.
Section 147.03 R. C.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this