

National Service Industries, Inc.  
NSI Enterprises, Inc.

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November 15, 2002

Jonathon G. Katz, Secretary  
Securities and Exchange Commission  
Judiciary Plaza  
450 Fifth Street, N. W.  
Washington, D.C. 20549

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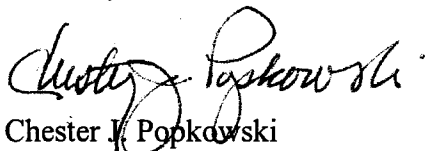
Re: National Service Industries, Inc.  
Commission File No. 1-3208  
Sworn Statements Pursuant to Securities  
Exchange Commission Order No. 4-460

Dear Mr. Katz:

We are enclosing herewith sworn statements under oath of each of the Principal Executive Officer, Brock A. Hattox, and Principal Financial Officer, Chester J. Popkowski.

If you have any questions concerning the enclosed sworn statements, please call the undersigned at (404) 853-1205.

Sincerely,



Chester J. Popkowski  
Senior Vice President, Chief Financial Officer  
And Treasurer

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**STATEMENT UNDER OATH OF  
PRINCIPAL FINANCIAL OFFICER REGARDING FACTS AND  
CIRCUMSTANCES RELATING TO EXCHANGE ACT FILINGS**

I, Chester J. Popkowski, state and attest that:

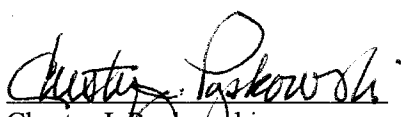
(1) To the best of my knowledge, based upon a review of the covered reports of National Service Industries, Inc., and, except as corrected or supplemented in a subsequent covered report:

- 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).

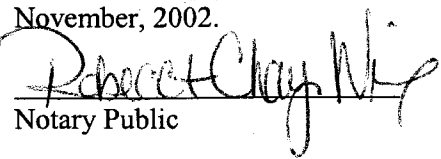
(2) I have reviewed the contents of this statement with the Company's audit committee.

(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 on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended August 31, 2002 of National Service Industries, Inc.;
- All reports on Form 10-Q, all reports on Form 8-K and all definitive proxy materials of National Service Industries, Inc., filed with the Commission subsequent to the filing of the Form 10-K identified above; and
- any amendments to any of the foregoing.

  
Chester J. Popkowski  
November 15, 2002

Subscribed and sworn to  
before me this 15 day of  
November, 2002.

  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

**REBECCA CHAY WIX**  
Cherokee County, State of Georgia  
Commission Expires July 7, 2003