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

Re: Applied Materials, Inc.
File No. 4-460: Order Requiring the Filing of Sworn Statements Pursuant
to Section 21(a)(1) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Dear Sir:

In accordance with the June 27, 2002 Order referenced above, please find enclosed the signed and notarized Statements of James C. Morgan, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of Applied Materials, Inc. dated September 6, 2002, and of Joseph R. Bronson, Executive Vice President, Office of the President and Chief Financial Officer of Applied Materials, Inc. dated September 6, 2002.

Please acknowledge receipt of the enclosed by file stamping (a) the enclosed copy of this letter; and (b) each copy of the enclosures to this letter and returning them to my attention in the enclosed envelope.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (408) 748-5420.

Very truly yours,

Joseph J. Sweeney
Group Vice President
Legal Affairs and Intellectual Property
and Corporate Secretary

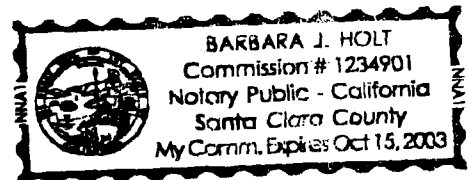
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STATEMENT UNDER OATH OF PRINCIPAL EXECUTIVE OFFICER AND PRINCIPAL FINANCIAL OFFICER REGARDING FACTS AND CIRCUMSTANCES RELATING TO EXCHANGE ACT FILINGS

I, Joseph R. Bronson, state and attest that:

- (1) To the best of my knowledge, based upon a review of the covered reports of Applied Materials, 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":
 - Applied Materials, Inc. Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended October 28, 2001;
 - all reports on Form 10-Q, all reports on Form 8-K and all definitive proxy materials of Applied Materials, Inc. filed with the Commission subsequent to the filing of the Form 10-K identified above; and
 - any amendments to any of the foregoing.



Joseph R. Bronson
 Joseph R. Bronson
 Executive Vice President,
 Office of the President and
 Chief Financial Officer
 Applied Materials, Inc.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this
6th day of September 2002.

Barbara J. Holt
 Notary Public

Date: September 6, 2002

My Commission Expires:
October 15, 2003

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