Dear CMS Candidate:

I have included your CMS Packet. Your Packet includes, an introduction about CMS, applications, sample test questions and many other items. I am pleased to know that you are interested in becoming a Certified Metric Specialist.

The USMA Certified Metrication Specialist program, which is known as the CMS program, is designed to provide documentary evidence for individuals who can qualify as a metric specialist because of their education and experience in the use of the modernized metric system which is known as SI (for Systeme International d'Unites).

The CMS program is structured to help maintain professional standards in the field of metrication. With U.S. conversion to SI, companies, schools, agencies, businesses and other facilities will seek personnel who, in addition to their job skills, are knowledgeable about SI. The USMA CMS program is designed to give both employers and employees the documented evidence that an individual's qualifications have been carefully screened to verify that he or she has the background and ability to use the SI version of the metric system correctly.

We now have over 100 certified metric specialists in South Carolina. I look forward to hearing from you soon. If you have questions or need more information, please call me at (803) 777-7007 or FAX (803) 777-4396 or email at djordan@sc.edu. Check the web at www.cas.sc.edu/cse, click on Other Programs and click on Metric Activities.

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Don Jordan, Professor USC
Director for CMS - Program

PS. Please return the white copy of the Guide To The Use of The Metric System [SI Version] after you take your CMS Exam. Note: the CMS-Exam can be administered close to your home, usually within 80km.