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TEMPORARY AUTHORIZATION REQUEST FOR THE CONTAINERIZATION PLAN
IMPLEMENTATION, EXIDE TECHNOLOGIES, VERNON, CALIFORNIA CAD 097 854
541, DATED NOVEMBER 11, 2014, REVISED JANUARY 14, 2015

Dear Mr. Strang:

In accordance with California Code of Regulations Title 22, Section 66270.42(e)(3), the Department of Toxic Substances Control (Department) hereby approves Exide Technologies (Exide) request for Temporary Authorization, dated November 11, 2014, to implement the **Revised Detailed Containerization Plan, Reverb Feed Room**, Exide Technologies, prepared by Advanced GeoServices, dated January 14, 2015 (Plan). This Temporary Authorization expires on July 22, 2015.

Exide shall immediately commence removal of hazardous waste with Free Liquids from designated Secondary Containment Areas in the Containment Building in accordance with the Plan. If the hazardous waste which initially did not contain free liquids (passed the paint filter test) and is subsequently found to release any liquids, then Exide shall remove the portion of the hazardous waste releasing the liquids and manage it in accordance with the Plan with respect to the removal of hazardous waste from the Secondary Containment Areas.

If the hazardous waste from the Secondary Containment Areas is removed from the Exide Facility, it must be transported as a hazardous waste and managed at a properly authorized facility in accordance with all applicable laws and regulations. If the hazardous waste from the Secondary Containment Areas is stored at the Exide Facility, it must be stored in accordance with the Plan, the Department requirements and with all applicable laws and regulations. All hazardous waste stored on site in accordance with the Plan shall be monitored and inspected daily. The Department must authorize

placement of hazardous waste with Free Liquids on the floor of the Secondary Containment Areas only after Exide has demonstrated to the Department that the Secondary Containment Areas are in compliance with all applicable Title 22 requirements. Exide must obtain certification by a qualified registered professional engineer that the containment building design meets the requirements of paragraph (a)(2) of California Code of Regulations, Title 22, §66264.1101, for purposes of storing hazardous waste in the containment building prior to repairs and reconstruction.

If you have any question regarding this letter please call Bill Veile at 916-255-3605.

Sincerely,



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