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TECHNICAL COMPLETENESS DETERMINATION, FINAL CLOSURE PLAN FOR
BUILDING 419, LAWRENCE LIVERMORE NATIONAL LABORATORY, MAIN SITE,
LIVERMORE, CALIFORNIA, EPA ID NO CA2980012584

Dear Mr. Wuthrich and Mr. Hill:

On March 27, 2009, the Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) received a revised closure plan for the Building 419 hazardous waste management units at the Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory (LLNL), Main Site, in Livermore, California. The revised closure plan titled "Final Closure Plan for Building 419" and dated March, 2009 (Closure Plan), was prepared in response to a Notice of Deficiency (NOD) issued by DTSC on August 14, 2008.

The Closure Plan consists of three (3) volumes. In addition, the following documents are incorporated into the Closure Plan via reference:

1. LLNL Response to DTSC NOD dated August 14, 2008,
2. Electronic mail from V. Salvo dated April 22, April 30, May 5 (2), May 20, and May 22, and May 26, 2009.

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The Closure Plan was reviewed by DTSC project management and technical staff. Based on the findings of the review, DTSC has concluded that the Closure Plan adequately addresses comments in the NOD and finds the Closure Plan technically complete. Section 9.0 of the Closure Plan titled "Site Safety and Health Plan" states that the subcontractor retained by LLNL to implement the Closure Plan will prepare a contractor specific health and safety plan following LLNL's general health and safety requirements. As a condition of this technical approval, DTSC requests that LLNL submit the contractor specific health and safety plan to DTSC for review and concurrence.

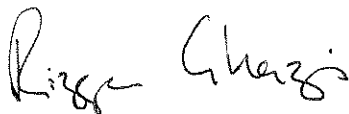
DTSC has made preparations to public notice the Closure Plan in accordance with California Code of Regulations, title 22, section 66265.112 (5). This letter serves as notification that DTSC intends to open a 45-day public comment period on June 8, 2009. Following the close of the public comment period DTSC will consider any comments received and render a final decision on approval of the Closure Plan.

This letter also serves as a transmittal for the following California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) and Public Participation documents:

- Public Notice,
- Fact Sheet,
- CEQA Initial Study,
- Draft CEQA Negative Declaration.

If you have any questions relating to this letter please contact Mr. Ryan Batty of my staff at (916) 255-6699.

Sincerely,



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Enclosures (4)

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