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Dear Mr. Haet:

The Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) received the 2020 Groundwater Sampling Results Technical Memorandum (Memorandum) for the University of California, Berkeley, Richmond Field Station site located at 1301 South 46th Street, Richmond, California. The Memorandum, dated October 6, 2020, was prepared by Tetra Tech, Inc. on behalf of the University of California, Berkeley and describes historic and the most recently collected groundwater measurement in October 2019. The April 2020 groundwater level and sampling event was not performed due to COVID-19 restrictions that were place at that time. In addition, documentation of repairs to monitoring wells B280 A and PZ-8 which had damaged upper casings as a result of local traffic are included in the Memorandum. DTSC has reviewed the Memorandum and has no comments; therefore, it is approved.

Groundwater level measurements were collected in October 2020, and groundwater level measurements and sampling will next occur in April 2021.

If you have any questions, please contact Lynn Nakashima via email at Lynn.Nakashima@dtsc.ca.gov.

Sincerely,

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