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Greg Haet, P.E. EH&S Associate Director, Environmental Protection Office of Environment, Health & Safety University of California, Berkeley University Hall, 3rd Floor, #1150 Berkeley, California 94720

Dear Mr. Haet:

The Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) received the response to comments on the *Draft 2018 Groundwater Sampling Results Technical Memorandum* (Technical Memorandum) for the University of California, Berkeley (UC Berkeley), Richmond Field Station Site, located at 1301 S. 46th Street, Richmond, California. The Technical Memorandum was prepared by Tetra Tech, Inc. on behalf of UC Berkeley and provides the results of the annual groundwater monitoring and maintenance activities conducted during the October 2017 to April 2018 time period. DTSC has reviewed the response to comments and found that they adequately address our October 25, 2018 comments. The Technical Memorandum is conditionally approved based upon submittal of a revised memorandum that includes the additional text described in the response to comments.

Please submit the revised memorandum within 30 days of the date of this letter.

If you have any questions, please contact Lynn Nakashima at (510) 540-3839 or lynn.nakashima@dtsc.ca.gov.

Sincerely,

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