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Greg Haet 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 revised Corporation Yard, Building 120 Concrete Sampling Approach letter (Sampling Letter), dated August 15, 2018, for the University of California Berkeley, Richmond Field Station, located at 1301 South 46th Street, Richmond, California. The proposed concrete sampling is being done in response to recommendations from the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency after review of data collected during the implementation of the Corporation Yard soil removal activities. The Sampling Letter was revised in response to comments provided by DTSC in a letter dated May 7, 2018. The sampling methodology to collect a concrete core rather than concrete powder for analysis was also included.

DTSC has reviewed the revised Sampling Letter and found that all of our previous comments have been addressed; therefore, the document is approved. Please provide DTSC with at least three weeks notification before beginning fieldwork.

If you have any questions, please contact Lynn Nakashima at (510) 540-3839 or

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Sincerely,

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