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Mr. Mark Malinowski  
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Re: Hazardous Waste Management Facility (HWMF) Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA)  
Closure Plan

Dear Mr. Malinowski:

Please find attached to this letter the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) Closure Plan for the Buildings T029 and T133 which are buildings within the Hazardous Waste Management Facility (HWMF). These units are operating under a RCRA Part A Permit for Treatment and storage facilities. The HWMF is located within the former Energy Technology Engineering Center (ETEC) of Area IV of the Santa Susana Field Laboratory (SSFL) in Ventura County, California.

The HWMF infrastructure is owned by the Department of Energy (DOE), with the land being owned and the facility being previously operated by The Boeing Company. On September 30, 2014, the period of performance for Boeing's ETEC Closure Contract DE-AC03-99SF21530 with the DOE was completed. North Wind assumed responsibilities for ETEC Closure activities under contract DE-EM0000837.

The HWMF has been in a safe shutdown mode since 1997, currently inactive and in a safe configuration.

This Closure Plan was submitted to DTSC and approved in December 2003. The Decommissioning and Demolition (D&D) activities were suspended until the completion of an Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) for Area IV. This revised RCRA Closure Plan is a product of close interactions with the DTSC staff to address any concerns that the DTSC previously communicated and is submitted for your review and approval.

If you have any questions, please give me a call at (805) 416-0992. Best regards.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "John B. Jones".

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