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Monthly Progress Report – October 2009

Date:
November 11, 2009

Dear Ms. Barraza:

Contact:
John C. Brussel, PE

On behalf of Bayer MaterialScience LLC (Bayer), enclosed is the October 2009 monthly progress report for the above-referenced site. The report was prepared in accordance with reporting requirements outlined in Paragraph IV of the December 2002 Order on Consent (File #R1-20011022-212) between Bayer and the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (NYSDEC).

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If you have any questions regarding the attached report, feel free to contact Ramon Simon of Bayer at 281.383.6149 or the undersigned.

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Sincerely,

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MONTHLY PROGRESS REPORT – OCTOBER 2009

RCRA CORRECTIVE ACTION PROGRAM BAYER MATERIALSCIENCE LLC 125 NEW SOUTH ROAD HICKSVILLE, NEW YORK

ACTION THIS MONTH

- Preparation of the *Corrective Measures Study Report* (“the CMS Report”) and the *Interim Corrective Measure Additional PCB Soil Removal Certification Report* (“the ICM Report”) continued.

DELIVERABLES THIS MONTH

- The validated analytical results for the Phase IV soil vapor investigation (data tables, figure, and validation report) were submitted to the New York State Department of Health (NYSDOH) under a transmittal dated October 5, 2009.
- In response to a request from the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (NYSDEC) related to preparation of a Fact Sheet, Bayer prepared e-mail correspondence dated October 21, 2009 that summarizes the weights of PCB-impacted materials removed from the site under each of the previous remedial actions.

ACTION NEXT MONTH

- The ICM Certification Report will be finalized and submitted to the NYSDEC.
- The CMS Report will be further revised to address a request from the NYSDEC as presented in e-mail correspondence to Bayer dated November 3, 2009 (i.e., to include an additional alternative that involves removal of soil containing PCBs at concentrations greater than 10 parts per million).
- A conference call will be held, if needed, to discuss the Phase IV soil vapor investigation results.

SCHEDULE CHANGES

- There were no significant schedule changes in October 2009.