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Subject:

Bayer MaterialScience LLC 125 New South Road Hicksville, New York USEPA ID#: NYD002920312 Monthly Progress Report – April 2012

Dear Mr. Scharf:

On behalf of Bayer MaterialScience LLC (Bayer), enclosed is the April 2012 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).

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

Sincerely,

ARCADIS of New York, Inc.

John C. Brussel, PE Principal Engineer

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### **MONTHLY PROGRESS REPORT - APRIL 2012**

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

## **ACTION THIS MONTH**

- The public review period for the Proposed Remedial Action Plan (PRAP) continued through April on a 30-day extension granted by the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (NYSDEC). The final review day for the PRAP is April 30, 2012.
- Bayer and the NYSDEC continue to negotiate the terms of a new "draft" Order on Consent (Consent Order) to complete remaining site closure activities under the Inactive Hazardous Waste Disposal Site Remedial Program instead of the RCRA Corrective Action program.
- ARCADIS continued preparing the Corrective Measure Implementation (CMI) Work Plan (Remedial Design) and anticipates discussing the proposed work plan with Bayer and the NYSDEC in early May followed by submittal to the NYSDEC.

### **DELIVERABLES THIS MONTH**

 No project-related deliverables were submitted to the NYSDEC or New York State Department of Health in April 2011.

# **ACTION NEXT MONTH**

Complete the Remedial Design and submit it to the NYSDEC after the Record of Decision is issued.

# **SCHEDULE CHANGES**

 There were no significant schedule changes in April 2012 that may impact the existing overall project schedule.