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Mr. Stephen Scharf
New York State Department of Environmental Conservation
Division of Solid & Hazardous Materials
Bureau of Solid Waste and Corrective Action
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Dear Mr. Scharf:

Re: February 2014 Progress Report

Order on Consent and Administrative Settlement Index #A1-0799-12-10 Operable Unit 5, RUCO Polymer Corp, Hicksville, NY (Site # 130004)

Conestoga-Rovers & Associates (CRA), on behalf of Bayer Material Science LLC (BMS) and Glenn Springs Holdings, Inc. (GSH), has prepared this submittal which provides the monthly progress report for February 2014. This submittal covers Operable Unit 5 (OU-5) activity. The OU-5 Order on Consent became effective on September 30, 2013.

Actions performed during the Reporting Period

- 1. The January progress report for OU-5 was submitted to the NYSDEC on February 5.
- 2. The final December 2013 Phase 1 soil vapor sample results and the evaluation thereof were submitted to the NYSEDC on February 5.

Actions anticipated to be performed in the Next Month

- 1. Review the Phase 1 results with the NYSDEC and obtain approval of the Phase 2 recommendations.
- 2. Finalize the installation locations of the Phase 2 probes.
- 3. Continue to work with the neighboring property owners to obtain access permission for the Phase 2 probe installations.

Approved Modifications to Work Plans/Schedule

1. There were no modifications to the Work Plan or Schedule during the reporting period.





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Analytical and Testing Results

1. The final December 2013 Phase 1 analytical results, QA/QC review thereof, and a CD copy of the Electronic Data Deliverable package were submitted to the NYSDEC on February 5.

Unresolved Delays

1. No delays are anticipated at this time.

Citizen Participation Plan

1. No activities were performed during the reporting period.

Should you have any questions on the above, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned at 519-884-0510 or email kschmidtke@craworld.com

Yours truly,

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