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January 15, 2013

Mr. Thomas Bauhs  
Chevron Environmental Management Company  
6101 Bollinger Canyon Road  
San Ramon, CA 94583

**Re: Determination of Potentially Liable Person Status**

Dear Mr. Bauhs:

On September 27, 2012, the Department of Ecology (Ecology) sent Chevron Environmental Management Company (Chevron Environmental) written notice regarding its proposed status as a potentially liable person (PLP) for a release of hazardous substances at the following site:

- **Site Name:** Boeing Field Chevron
- **Site Address:** 10805 East Marginal Way South, Tukwila, WA
- **King County Assessor's Parcel Number:** 0323049064
- **Facility/Site Number:** FSID 2551

The 30-day comment period on this preliminary notice was to expire on October 27, 2012. On November 2, 2012, Ecology received your October 31, 2012, letter. Your letter acknowledges receiving the preliminary PLP notice letter.

In your October 31 letter, you indicated that Chevron Environmental had made a request on October 30 for the Ecology files referenced in our September 27 PLP notice letter. In your October letter, you also asked for the opportunity to supplement your response to Ecology's preliminary PLP notice letter and stated that Chevron was challenging its status as a PLP for the Boeing Field Chevron Site. On November 27, Ecology contacted the individual who made the request, Chevron Environmental's consultant Russell Shropshire from SAIC, to make an appointment when he could review Ecology's files for the Boeing Field Chevron Site. However, Ecology has not heard back from the requester and no appointment has been made for a review of the Site's documents. It has been almost three months since Ecology's sending of its September 27 PLP notice letter to Chevron Environmental. Rather than wait for some unsettled time for a document review to occur and Chevron Environmental to provide comments to Ecology, Ecology is moving forward with a formal agreement (i.e., Agreed Order) for a remedial investigation with the PLPs at the Boeing Field Chevron Site.

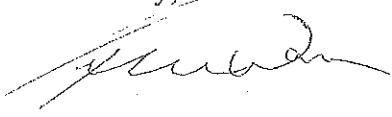
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Based on the information available to date, Ecology finds that credible evidence exists that support Chevron Environmental's status as a PLP for releases at the Boeing Field Chevron Site. On the basis of this finding, Ecology has determined that Chevron Environmental is a PLP with regard to the Boeing Field Chevron Site. Chevron Environmental may still provide comments to Ecology concerning what contamination at the Site is associated with Chevron's activities.

Your rights and responsibilities as a PLP are outlined in Chapter 70.105D RCW, and Chapter 173-340 WAC. Ecology's site manager for the facility, Carrie Pederson, will contact you with information about how Ecology intends to proceed with the cleanup at this Site.

If you have any questions regarding this notice, please contact Carrie Pederson at (425) 649-7254 or by email at [carrie.pederson@ecy.wa.gov](mailto:carrie.pederson@ecy.wa.gov).

Sincerely,



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