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August 9, 2011

Mr. Mac Seyhanli
Vice President & Plant Manager
Columbia Gorge Aluminum
85 John Day Dam Road
Goldendale, WA 98620-9302

Re: Determination of Potentially Liable Person Status

Dear Mr. Seyhanli:

On January 25, 2011 the Department of Ecology (Ecology) sent you written notice regarding your proposed status as a potentially liable person (PLP) for a release of hazardous substances at the following site:

- Name: Columbia Gorge Aluminum Smelter Facility
- Address: 85 John Day Dam Road, Goldendale, WA 98620
- Facility/Site Number 95415874 EPA # WAD990828642

Ecology received your letter assuming its status as a PLP without admitting liability on February 11, 2011. The thirty day comment period on this preliminary notice expired on February 24, 2011.

Based on the information available to date, Ecology finds that credible evidence exists which supports your status as a potentially liable person for the release at Columbia Gorge Aluminum Smelter Facility. On the basis of this finding, Ecology has determined that you are a Potentially Liable Person (PLP) with regard to Columbia Gorge Aluminum Smelter Facility.

Your rights and responsibilities as a PLP are outlined in Chapter 70.105D RCW, and WAC 173-340. Ecology's Industrial Section site manager for the facility Paul Skillingstad 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 Mr. Skillingstad in Olympia (360) 407-6949 or paul.skillingstad@ecy.wa.gov.

Sincerely,

Paul Skillingstad
Industrial Section

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