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February 14, 2018

Lisa Morden Senior Director, Global Sustainability Kimberly-Clark Worldwide, Inc. 1400 Holcomb Bridge Road Roswell, Georgia 30076-2190

Re: Applicable State and Federal Laws for Demolition Waste at the K-C Worldwide Site

• Site Name: Kimberly-Clark Worldwide

• Facility Site ID: 9

• Site Address: 2600 Federal Avenue, Everett, Washington

Dear Ms. Morden,

The Washington State Department of Ecology (Ecology) has received and read your February 12, 2018 response to our letter dated January 24, 2018 regarding our determination of applicable and relevant local and state laws and requirements for the demolition waste at the Kimberly-Clark Worldwide Site (Site). In your letter, you indicate that Kimberly-Clark (K-C) will provide us with a more detailed response on or before February 28, 2018 that will include recycling and/or disposal solutions for the demolition waste. In our January 24, 2018 letter, we indicated "...that there is no viable path which allows the demolition waste to remain on-site and still be in compliance with applicable local, state, and federal laws..." Therefore, it is our expectation that all recycling and/or disposal solutions brought forth by K-C as part of your more detailed response will entail full removal of the demolition waste from the Site.

Ecology does not object to your request to extend the time needed to respond to our January 24, 2018 letter (now due on or before February 28, 2018). However, you made a verbal request for extension a few days prior to the 20 day deadline for submitting your response. Requests for extension should be submitted in a timely fashion and in writing. In the future, if you need an extension of the time to respond to Ecology for a matter involving the Site, please follow the "Extension of Schedule" protocol found in the Agreed Order. See Agreed Order No. DE 9476 at 19-20, § J.

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We appreciate your efforts and look forward to working with you in a collaborative manner to develop options for the removal of the demolition waste on your Site. If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact me by phone at (360) 407-7259 or by email at akal461@ecy.wa.gov.

Sincerely,

Andy Kallus Site Manager

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