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October 16, 2008

Mr. Phil Hutmaker
Acrowood Corp. Inc.
4425 South 3rd Avenue
Everett, Washington 98203-2515

Re: Termination of VCP Agreement for the following Site:

- **Site Name:** Acrowood Corp.
- **Site Address:** 4425 South 3rd Avenue, Everett, WA
- **Facility/Site No.:** 22755667
- **VCP Project No.:** NW1720

Dear Mr. Hutmaker:

The Department of Ecology (Ecology) is terminating the VCP Agreement governing Project No. NW1720. The project involved the cleanup of the above-named site (Site). The effective date of termination is the date of this letter. We are providing this notice in accordance with the terms of the Agreement.

Reason: Ecology is terminating the Agreement because we understand that you are not actively cleaning up the Site. On August 15, 2008, we sent you a letter requesting an update on the status of your cleanup and your plan for completing the cleanup. You did not respond to that request. Since we have not heard from you, we have decided to terminate the Agreement.

Next Steps: Based on this decision, Ecology may take one of the following steps:

1. Send you an invoice for any costs remaining on your account. In accordance with the terms of the Agreement, you remain responsible for any costs incurred by us before the effective date of termination.
2. Conduct a site hazard assessment (SHA) and rank the Site for further action.
3. Identify those persons we find potentially liable for cleanup of the Site.
4. Initiate discussions for an agreed order or consent decree that will govern further action at the Site.

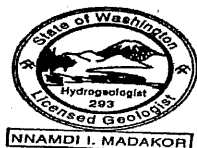
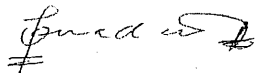
You may apply to reenter the VCP if you decide to conduct further action at the Site.



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Contact Information: Ecology is committed to working with you to accomplish the prompt and effective cleanup of the Site. If you have any questions about this notice, please contact me at (360) 407-7244.

Sincerely,



Nnamdi Madakor, P.G., P.Hg.
Statewide VCP Coordinator
Toxics Cleanup Program, HQ

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cc: Russ Olsen, NWRO VCP Unit Manager
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