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James Warram
Ste Michelle Wine Estates Columbia Crest Winery
PO Box 231
Paterson, WA 99345

**RE: New Facility Permit Manager for Permit No. ST0009276 for
Ste Michelle Wine Estates Columbia Crest Winery**

Dear James Warram:

I am writing to introduce myself as your new facility permit manager for the Department of Ecology's (Ecology) Water Quality Program. My name is Matt Durkee.

Your permit sets certain limits for the discharge of wastewater and requires monitoring and reporting as specified intervals. I will be reviewing your discharge monitoring reports and contacting you regarding any irregularities that may be found.

As your permit manager, I am available to answer any questions you may have regarding your permit or general questions about the Water Quality permitting program. You should also contact me regarding problems you may encounter, such as spills or equipment failures which impact your wastewater discharge.

Your facility is also subject to routine inspections several times during the life of each permit. Should you be experiencing a wastewater or permit problem for which you believe Ecology could be of assistance, please feel free to contact me.

I am pleased to be your permit manager and look forward to developing a rewarding relationship. Should you have any immediate questions regarding my role or the content of this letter, please contact me at (509) 575-2821 at your earliest convenience. I may also be reached by email at matthew.durkee@ecy.wa.gov.

Sincerely,

Matthew Durkee, LHG
Senior Hydrogeologist/Facility Manager
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