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Jerome Jackson, General Manager
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Re: State Waste Discharge Permit No. ST 6255

Dear Michael Stevens:

The Department of Ecology (Ecology) has completed processing your state waste discharge permit application. Enclosed for your review are a draft permit and fact sheet. The purpose of sharing these drafts with you at this time is to identify any factual errors prior to the draft permit and fact sheet being released for public comment. Please submit written information on any factual errors you find in these documents no later than 15 days from the date of this letter to:

Melinda Wilson
Permit Administrator
Water Quality Program
Southwest Regional Office
P.O. Box 47775
Olympia, WA 98504-7775

If you would like to meet to discuss permit requirements, or if you have questions on permit requirements and their basis, please call Jacek Anuszewski at 360-407-6288, or by e-mail at jacek.anuszewski@ecy.wa.gov.

Ecology plans to start the formal public comment period on your draft permit approximately 30 days after the date of this letter. At that time, you will receive a copy of the public review draft of the fact sheet and permit. You should carefully review the draft documents and submit comments during the 30-day public review period.

Following the 30-day public review period, Ecology will consider all comments received; we will then prepare a final permit and responsiveness summary to all comments received. The responsiveness summary will become an appendix to the fact sheet which accompanies the final permit. Changes may be made to the draft permit as a result of the public review process.

Sincerely,

Melinda Wilson
Permit Administrator
Water Quality Program
Southwest Regional Office

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Enclosures