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RE: Time to Reapply for Conditional No Exposure Exemption

Dear Walt Mahoney:

Washington State Department of Ecology (Ecology) records show that the facility listed above has a Conditional No Exposure (CNE) exemption. Facilities with a CNE exemption do not require coverage under the Industrial Stormwater General Permit because industrial activity and materials are not exposed to precipitation based on 11 criteria set forth in federal stormwater regulations.

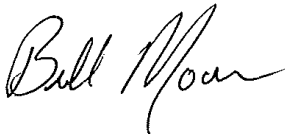
All facilities with a current CNE exemption are required to reapply by October 1, 2013. To reapply, you must submit an application using Ecology's online application system, WQWebPortal, by October 1, 2013. The enclosed Focus Sheet has step-by-step instructions on how to sign up for a SecureAccess Washington (SAW) account and complete the online CNE application process.

Questions? Please direct any SAW or WQWebPortal questions to Ecology's technical assistance staff at WQWebPortal@ecy.wa.gov, or (360) 407-7097 (Olympia area), (800) 633-6193/option 3.

If you no longer operate the facility, want to update Ecology's records, or have an administrative question, please contact Clay Keown at clay.keown@ecy.wa.gov, or (360) 407-6048.

If you have general questions about CNE exemptions or the Industrial Stormwater General Permit, please contact Jeff Killelea at jeff.killelea@ecy.wa.gov, or (360) 407-6127.

Sincerely,



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Enclosure

cc: File, Ecology HQ