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Leo Hellested, Chief Office of Waste Management Department of Environmental Management 235 Promenade Street Providence, Rhode Island 02908-5767

RE: Elementary and Middle Schools on Springfield Street in Providence (Case #99-018)

Dear Mr. Hellested:

This office serves as legal counsel to several of the City agencies involved in the above-referenced case. We recently received a copy of the letter dated December 1, 2000 which your office sent to Mr. Alan Sepe, Director of Public Property for the City of Providence, pertaining to the status of many outstanding issues in this case.

This office can immediately address the status of Items 1 (recorded Order of Approval) and 2 (draft ELUR). The June 4, 1999 Order of Approval was recorded on January 12, 2001, and a time-stamped copy of that recorded document is included herein. Attached too please find of draft copy of the ELUR which is missing Exhibit B (Remedial Action Work Plan and Soil Management Plan). ATC, the City's environmental consultant, will be forwarding copies of those two plans to this office in the near future, at which time, we will forward a completed draft ELUR to your attention.

On behalf of the City, this office is following up with ATC regarding the status of the remaining items (3 & 4) listed in your letter of December 1, 2000 and will forward that information as soon as the same becomes available.

Please do not hesitate to contact this office if we may be of further assistance. Thank you.

Very truly yours,

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