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VIA FACSIMILE AND REGULAR MAIL

Anna Krasko
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Re: Centredale Manor Restoration Project Superfund Site, North Providence, Rhode Island

Dear Ms. Krasko:

I am writing on behalf of Emhart Industries, Inc. ("Emhart") to request a thirty (30) day extension in the time given to review and comment on EPA's "Final Engineering Evaluation/Cost Analysis" which was prepared by Tetra Tech NUS, Inc. The additional time is needed to enable Emhart's environmental consultant to review the document and background information. Emhart would provide EPA with its comments on Monday, December 4, 2000.

Thank you in advance for your consideration. Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions concerning this matter.

Sincerely,



Laura A. Ford

cc: Catherine Garypie
Linda H. Biagioni