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Mr. Brian Rakvica, P.E.
Nevada Division of Environmental Protection
1771 East Flamingo Road, Suite 121-A
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Dear Mr. Rakvica:

Subject: Kerr-McGee ECA Quarterly Report – 1st Quarter 2005 - Revised

Pursuant to Section XIII of the Consent Agreement, signed September 5, 1996, between Nevada Division of Environmental Protection (NDEP) and Kerr-McGee Chemical LLC (Kerr-McGee), formerly Kerr-McGee Chemical Corporation (KMCC), Kerr-McGee submitted a quarterly status report for the Henderson facility's Environmental Conditions Assessment (ECA) on April 15, 2005. This correspondence revises and supplements that status report.

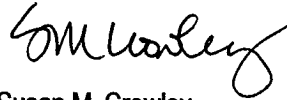
Activities Conducted 1-1-05 to 3-31-05

- January 6th – Kerr-McGee and NDEP meet to review ECA status.
- January 14th – Kerr-McGee submits a request to delay delivery of Conceptual Site Model until February 28th.
- January 14th – Kerr-McGee submits the *Kerr-McGee ECA Quarterly Report – 4th Quarter 2004* to NDEP.
- January 19th – Kerr-McGee provides response to NDEP October 26, 2004 comments regarding the *Characterization of GW-11 Pond Contents*.
- January 24th – NDEP transmits the *BMI Common Areas Phase III AOC draft version 4a* to the BMI companies.
- January 25th – Kerr-McGee submits the *Kerr-McGee Semi-Annual Performance Report – Chromium Mitigation Program – July to December 2004* to NDEP.
- January 28th – Kerr-McGee submits the *Kerr-McGee Quarter Performance Report – Perchlorate Recovery System – October to December 2004* to NDEP.
- February 9th – NDEP provides comments on Kerr-McGee's *Semi-Annual Report – Chromium Mitigation Program: July – December 2004*.
- February 17th – Kerr-McGee and NDEP meet to discuss ECA activities.
- February 22nd – Kerr-McGee provides response to NDEP's February 9th comments regarding the *Semi-Annual Report – Chromium Mitigation Program: July – December 2004*.
- February 25th – Kerr-McGee submits the *Kerr-McGee Conceptual Site Model* for the Henderson site to NDEP.
- February 25th – Kerr-McGee transmits *Table 18 – Mn Ore Composition (from the Conceptual Site Model)* electronically to NDEP.
- March 1st – The BMI companies and NDEP meet to discuss the Common Areas ECA activities as well as selected individual companies' activities.
- March 2nd – NDEP provided further comment on the Kerr-McGee February 22nd response to NDEP's February 9th comments regarding the *Semi-Annual Report – Chromium Mitigation Program: July – December 2004*.
- March 16th – Kerr-McGee and NDEP meet to discuss ECA activities.
- March 29th – Kerr-McGee submits the *Back ground Study Workplan Groundwater and Soils* to NDEP.

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Please note that attached is Kerr-McGee's ECA "*Deliverable Schedule*" which tracks recent activities as well as lists expectations for future activities. Feel free to call me at (702) 651-2234, if you have any questions. Thank you.

Sincerely,



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Attachment

ENVIRONMENTAL CONDITIONS ASSESSMENT DELIVERABLE SCHEDULE

KERR-McGEE CHEMICAL LLC
Henderson, Nevada
April 15, 2005

Deliverable	Date
Project Organizational Chart / Resumes * Revision 1: Response to NDEP Comments of June 11, 2004	May 15, 2004 – Submitted July 6, 2004 – Approved 7-9-04
KM Response to NDEP Comments (2-11-04 Letter) * Revision 1: Response to NDEP Comments of June 11, 2004	June 1, 2004 – Submitted July 12, 2004 – Approved 7-13-04
Deliverable Schedule * KM Response to NDEP Schedule Comments of 6-29-04 * KM Submits Revised Schedule in 3 rd Quarter Report	April 8, 2004 – Submitted July 14, 2004 – Submitted October 12, 2004
Site-Related Chemical List (Report) * Revision 1: Response to NDEP Comments of June 21, 2004 * Revision 2: Response to NDEP Comments of August 5, 2004 * Revision 3: Response to NDEP Comments of September 29, 2004	June 15, 2004 – Submitted July 22, 2004 – Submitted September 27, 2004 – Submitted October 26, 2004 – Approved 10-27-04
Summary of Groundwater Monitoring * Revision 1: Response to NDEP Comments of 8-11-04	August 15, 2004 – Submitted September 13, 2004 – Approved 9-16-04
Characterization of GW-11 Pond Contents * KM Response to NDEP Comments of September 20, 2004 * KM Response to NDEP Comments of October 26, 2004 * Additional Characterization	August 30, 2004 – Submitted October 18, 2004 – Submitted November 29, 2004 – Submitted Pending
Conceptual Site Model	February 28, 2005 – Submitted
Data Quality Objectives	March 30, 2005 – Delayed to delivery following development of NDEP's CSM comments.
Data Usability Evaluation (including review of <i>Supplemental Phase II Report</i>)	May 30, 2005 – Pending
Source Area Evaluation Workplan	August 31, 2005
BACKGROUND STUDY	
Background Study Work Plan	March 30, 2005 – Submitted
Background Study Field Sampling	120 days following NDEP approval of Work Plan
Background Study Report	120 days following field sampling completion
PERIODIC MONITORING AND REPORTING	
ECA Phase II Status Report (Quarterly)	April 15; July 15 and October 15, 2005
Perchlorate Remediation Performance Report (Quarterly)	April 28; July 28 and October 15, 2005
Chromium Remediation Performance Report (Semi-Annually)	July 28, 2005