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Dr. Weiquan Dong, Ph.D. Bureau of Industrial Site Cleanup Nevada Division of Environmental Protection 2030 E. Flamingo Rd, Suite 230 Las Vegas NV 89119

RE: Treatability Study Modification No. 1 Nevada Environmental Response Trust Henderson, Nevada

Dear Dr. Dong:

The Nevada Environmental Response Trust (NERT) is pleased to present the Treatability Study Modification No. 1 for Nevada Division of Environmental Protection (NDEP) review. NERT requested that Tetra Tech prepare the attached modification to address a comment received from NDEP in approval of the Unit 4 Source Area In-Situ Bioremediation Bench-Scale Treatability Study Work Plan and to address preliminary findings of the ongoing bench-scale work. The results from the additional testing will be utilized in the Unit 4 In-Situ Source Area Bioremediation Treatability Study and ultimately the Feasibility Study.

Upon receipt of comments and/or approval from NDEP, the NERT will prepare a budget for implementation.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding this matter, feel to contact me at (702) 960-4309 or at steve.clough@nert-trust.com.

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