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Ms. Shannon Harbour, P.E. NDEP – Bureau of Corrective Actions 901 S Stewart St Carson City, Nevada 89701

## Subject: Excavation Plan for Phase B Soil Remediation of RZ-D and Response to the Nevada Division of Environmental Protection's July 2, 2010 Comments Tronox LLC, Henderson Nevada: NDEP Facility ID # 000539

Dear Ms. Harbour:

Please find the enclosed Excavation Plan for Remediation Zone D (EP) and Response to Comments memorandum, prepared by Northgate Environmental Management, Inc. on behalf of Tronox LLC (Tronox). An initial version of this EP was submitted June 22, 2010; comments were received from the Nevada Division of Environmental Protection (NDEP) July 2, 2010. The EP and Response to Comments memorandum have both been prepared based on NDEP's comments. The EP is an addendum to the *Removal Action Work Plan* (RAW) that was issued on May 12, 2010 and approved by the Nevada Division of Environmental Protection (NDEP) on May 12, 2010.

Additional comments that are pertinent to the EP for Remediation Zone D were raised by NDEP on a conference call held between Tronox and NDEP on July 23, 2010. Tronox is looking into addressing NDEPs comments; however, they have not been addressed in this document. It is anticipated that these additional comments will be addressed in an errata to this document.

I hereby certify that I am responsible for the services described in this document and for the preparation of this document. The services described in this document have been provided in a manner consistent with the current standards of the profession and, to the best of my knowledge, comply with all applicable federal, state and local statutes, regulations and ordinances.

Please contact me at (702) 592-7727 or Keith Bailey at (405) 216-9213 if you have any comments or questions concerning this correspondence. Thank you.

Sincerely,

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