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Mr. Robert F. Van Voorhees Bryan Cave L.L.P. 700 Thirteenth Street, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20005-3960

RE: Request for Correction concerning correction of Enforcement and Compliance History Online (ECHO) Information Pursuant to Environmental Protection Agency Quality Guidelines (RFC #06003, Sterling Chemicals)

Dear Mr. Van Voorhees:

I want to provide you with another status update regarding your November 3, 2005, Request for Correction (RFC) submitted under the Environmental Protection Agency's Information Quality Guidelines. These guidelines state that EPA's goal is to respond to each request within 90 days of receipt, either by providing a decision on the request or if the request will require more than 90 days to resolve, informing the requestor that more time is required.

Due to the complexity of this RFC, additional time is needed to complete the steps necessary to finalize EPA's response. An extensive internal review of the proposed response is being conducted. We anticipate that a response will be forwarded to you within 90 days, although we continue to expect that it will be sooner. Thank you for your interest in environmental information quality.

Sincerely,

Reggie Cheatham Director, Quality Staff