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Mr. Arthur Lenox Environmental Remediation The Boeing Company Santa Susana Field Laboratory 5800 Woolsey Canyon Road Canoga Park, CA 91304-1148

Dear Mr. Lenox:

APPROVAL OF AMENDMENT TO THE FINAL INTERIM SOURCE REMOVAL ACTION (ISRA) WORK PLAN INCLUSION OF A2LF-1 AND A2LF-3 AREAS WITH IN THE WATERSHED OF OUTFALL 009, CALIFORNIA WATER CODE SECTION 13304 ORDER (NPDES NO. CA0001309, CI NO. 6027, SCP NO. 1111, SITE ID NO. 2040109)

Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board (Regional Board) staff has reviewed the October 14, 2009, document submitted to respond to comments to the Email amendment to the Final Interim Source Removal Action (ISRA) Work Plan. As stated previously Regional Board staff concur that the inclusion of A2LF-1 and A2LF-3 in the current ISRA action is appropriate.

Regional Board and Department of Toxic Substances Control staffs have reviewed the response to comments and the Work Plan amendment. The ISRA activity at A2LF-1 is targeting the removal of dioxins in the vicinity of Outfall 009. Work at A2LF-3 is targeting elevated concentrations of lead in the surface soils. The ISRA activity in these areas will result in an estimated volume of 153 cubic yards of soil removed and the depth of excavation at both areas is approximately 2 feet. The plans to proceed with the activities stipulated in the amendment to the Final ISRA Work Plan at A2LF-1 and A2LF-3 are approved based on the amendment to the work plan and the response to comments.

If you have any questions regarding this activity, please telephone Mr. Peter Raftery at (213) 576-6724 or Cassandra Owens at (213) 576-6750.

Sincerely.

Tracy J. Egoscue Executive Officer

- Enclosures: (1) October 14, 2009, Response to Comments regarding Email Requesting approval of Additional Work in the Outfall 009 Watershed, Email amendment to the Final Interim Source Removal Action (ISRA) Work Plan
 - (2) September 18, 2009, Email from Steve Slaten of NASA, Re: Additional Removals
 - (3) Email from Paul Carpenter at DTSC dated November 4, 2009; Subject: DTSC Concurrence with Proposal for Additional Outfall 009 Soil Removals.

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