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Re: US EPA Docket No. RCRA-06-2022-0956
In the Matter of West Louisiana Health Services, Inc.
Certification

Ms. Johnson:

Pursuant to Compliance Order paragraph 28 and Termination and Satisfaction paragraph 36 of the Consent Agreement and Final Order entered in the referenced matter ("CAFO"). West Louisiana Health Services, Inc. ("Respondent") hereby certifies the following.

Paragraph 28.A.:

Respondent certifies that it has assessed all its solid waste streams at its Facility¹ to determine the accurate waste codes and has developed and implemented standard operating procedures ("SOPs") to ensure that Respondent is operating the Facility in compliance with RCRA and the regulations promulgated thereunder and alleged to have been violated in the CAFO (a) making hazardous waste determinations; (b) managing hazardous wastes; (c) reporting, transporting, and disposing of hazardous waste; and (d) preparing its manifests.

Paragraph 28.B.:

Respondent certifies that it complies with its RCRA Section 3010 notification obligations at the Facility at the time of this certification.

Paragraph 36:

Respondent certifies that it believes it has complied with all the requirements in the CAFO, including compliance with the Compliance Order and payment of the civil penalty.

¹ The definition of "Facility" in CAFO paragraph 1 is incorporated wherever used in this letter by this reference.

I certify under the penalty of law that this document was prepared by me or under my direct supervision in accordance with a system designed to assure that qualified personnel properly gathered and evaluated the information submitted. Based on my inquiry of the person or persons who manage the system, or those persons directly responsible for gathering the information, the information submitted is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true, accurate, and complete. I am aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false information, including the possibility of fine and imprisonment for knowing violations.

Thank you.

West Louisiana Health Services, Inc.

By: Traci Thibodeaux

Traci Thibodeaux, President & CEO