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RE: I/M/O Penneco Environmental Solutions, LLC, Permit No. PAS2D701BALL

Appeal No. UIC 18-02

Ms. Durr,

In response to the April 10, 2018 Environmental Appeal Board ("EAB") letter offering alternative dispute resolution ("ADR") in this matter, EPA has contacted counsel for the Petitioner, Borough of Plum as well as counsel for the permit applicant, Penneco Environmental Solutions, LLC ("Penneco"). EPA and the Borough of Plum are interested in engaging in ADR. Counsel for Penneco has indicated that Penneco does not believe that ADR is likely to be effective or efficient for this matter, but that Penneco would like to participate should ADR be initiated.

Respectfully,

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