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Re: Freeport-McMoRan Sierrita Inc. Air Quality Operating Permit #6067

Minor permit revision dated June 29, 2010 for the re-routing of 8D/8B Transfer Point and modifications to the Compliance Assurance Monitoring Plan. Our Ref: 6067-7P, &
Minor permit revision dated June 21, 2010 for changes to Sierrita Generator List and Installation of a Biosulfate Pilot Plant. Our Ref: 6067-9P

Dear Mr. Chew:

Pursuant to Title 17 of the Pima County Code (§17.12.255.F.1), we are enclosing the Freeport-McMoRan Sierrita Inc., proposed final revised permit for your review. This revised permit accommodates the above two minor permit revisions. The minor permit applications were submitted by the source and the changes to the permit are highlighted in the permit document.

We would appreciate prompt notification if you determine, prior to the end of the 45-day review period, that you have no objection to our issuing the permit.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact Rupesh Patel or me at (520) 243-7400.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Mukonde Chama".

Mukonde Chama, P.E.
Air Permits Supervisor

Enclosures: Proposed Final Revised Permit and TSD for Freeport-McMoRan Sierrita Inc.