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AEROJET SUPERFUND SITE BOUNDARY OPERABLE UNIT RECORD OF DECISION CONCURRENCE

Dear Mr. Lyons:

The Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) hereby concurs with the United States Environmental Protection Agency's (USEPA's) proposed remedy for the Boundary Operable Unit (BOU) at the Aerojet Superfund Site in Rancho Cordova, Sacramento County, California as presented in the USEPA Superfund Record of Decision *Internal Copy* dated May 2015. The remedy proposes to clean up contaminants in soil and soil vapor that may present a threat to human or ecological health or that may present a threat to surface water or groundwater quality. Eighty one (81) areas in BOU require an action. USEPA has selected institutional controls for three areas, containment and engineering controls for 11 areas, and source removal/reduction for 51 areas. The contaminated groundwater beneath the Aerojet site including groundwater beneath BOU is being addressed and managed on a site wide basis as part of the interim and final remedial actions selected for the Western and Perimeter Operable Unit Record of Decisions (RODs).

Pursuant to the *Internal Copy* ROD, land use covenants are an essential element of the remedy to prevent sensitive uses of impacted properties and protect remediation systems. USEPA will conduct a statutory review within five years after initiation of remedial action to ensure the remedy is protective of human health and the environment.

DTSC appreciates the opportunity to review and comment on the previous drafts including this *Internal Copy* ROD. If you have any questions regarding the foregoing, please contact me at (916) 255-6442 or at Charlie.Ridenour@dtsc.ca.gov.

Sincerely,

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