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Ms. Kelli Sobel, Administrative Services Deputy Michigan Department of Natural Resources P.O. Box 30028 Lansing, MI 48909-7528

SUBJECT:

CANCELLATION OF SUPERSEDED STATEMENT OF INTENT DATED

SEPTEMBER 5, 1995

Dear Ms. Sobel:

This letter is to inform you of the cancellation of your Statement of Intent, dated September 5, 1995, that had accompanied an amended license application for the MDNRowned portion of the Hartley and Hartley Landfill. This financial assurance document was superseded by the Statement of Intent, dated February 3, 1997. If you have any questions, please contact me at (301) 415-6619.

Sincerely,

Sherry C. Wu, Project Manager

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Safeguards

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ROLAND HARMES, Director

Statement of Intent to Accompany Amended

License Application for the MDNR Owned Portion

of the Hartley and Hartley Landfill

I, Roland Harmes, am the Director of the Michigan Department of Natural Resources, the public licensee applicant for a license with respect to the MDNR Owned Portion of the Hartley and Hartley Landfill located in Kawkawlin Township, Bay County, Michigan. In my capacity as the Director of the Michigan Department of Natural Resources, I possess the authority of the State of Michigan to sign this Statement of Intent.

This Statement of Intent is submitted to the Nuclear Regulatory Commission together with an amended license application and an estimate of the costs for the predecommissioning activities regarding the MDNR Owned Portion of the Hartley and Hartley Landfill. The Michigan Department of Natural Resources' cost estimate to conduct the site characterization activities leading to the development and preparation of a Decontamination and Decommissioning (D&D) plan is in the amount of 2.5 million dollars. The costs of implementation of the final D&D plan will be addressed in future timely license amendments and Statements of Intent.

Under the Constitution of the State of Michigan, the operation of the Michigan Department of Natural Resources is supported by the General Fund of the State of Michigan, which can only be constitutionally appropriated by the Michigan Legislature. Funds for decommissioning the MDNR Owned Portion of the Hartley and Hartley Landfill will be sought from the Michigan Legislature through the appropriations process commencing at a point in time when there is a clear defined concept of what the cost will be for properly handling this site based on final decisions of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission. The funds for predecommissioning costs will be requested from the Michigan Legislature in the amount of 2.5 million dollars, sufficiently in advance of the outlined work to prevent the delay of required activities.

Roland Harmes, Director

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