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*Delegation of Authority Attachment only

**RE: Union Carbide Corporation (UCC) – WV Operations
Responsible Official Documentation**

The purpose of this letter is to notify you that the role of West Virginia Operations (WVO) Responsible Care Leader (RCL) has been assigned to Ms. Jennifer L. Bowman.

The WVO Responsible Care Leader has policy and decision making authority regarding environmental, health and safety issues affecting the three WVO Facilities: Institute, South Charleston, and Technical Center. This authority has been delegated by the UCC Vice President. Attached are copies of the delegation statements for the Agency files. For purposes of WV DAQ Regulation 13 permitting, an Authority of Corporation statement designating J. L. Bowman, WVO RCL, as authorized representative is also attached for Mr. Benedict.

If there are any questions, please call me at (304) 747-3713.

Sincerely yours,

F. A. Sizemore
WVO EH&S Regulatory Affairs Specialist

Attachments

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DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY

Pursuant to the Authorization Policy of The Dow Chemical Company, the undersigned, Allan E. Fowler, Vice President of Union Carbide Corporation, hereby delegates to Jennifer L. Bowman, West Virginia Operations Responsible Care Leader, the authority to execute and provide all necessary certifications or verifications of health, safety, and environmental permit applications, reports, agreements, and information request responses to federal, state, and local government agencies for West Virginia Operations.

In further accordance with the Authorization Policy, I explicitly stipulate that the Responsible Care Leader identified above is restricted from re-delegating any authority granted by this Delegation unless that delegation is executed by me or my successor in writing.

November 1, 2006

Date

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Allan E. Fowler", written over a horizontal line.

A. E. Fowler
Vice President
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