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Yana Garcia Secretary for Environmental Protection

Date

Name Title CUPA Address City, California ZIP

Dear Name:

The CUPA Certified Unified Program Agency (CUPA) performance evaluation begins upon receipt of this letter. The evaluation will assess the implementation of the Unified Program during the timeframe of Month Day, Year, through Month Day, Year.

An evaluation team consisting of a representative from CalEPA, the Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC), CAL FIRE - Office of the State Fire Marshal (OSFM) and the State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board), led by a CalEPA evaluator, will conduct a remote assessment of administrative documentation, review of regulated facility file documentation, information from the local data management system (if applicable), and information reported to the California Environmental Reporting System.

The CUPA evaluation may also include one or more oversight inspections for one or more of the following Unified Program elements:

- California Accidental Release Prevention (CalARP) Program
- Hazardous Materials Business Plan (HMBP) Program
- Hazardous Waste Generator (HWG) Program
- Underground Storage Tank (UST) Program

If an oversight inspection will occur, you will be contacted by the corresponding evaluation team representative from CaIEPA, DTSC, and/or the State Water Board to coordinate a scheduled inspection.

To facilitate the assessment process, the information requested in Enclosure 1 and Enclosure 2 should be electronically provided to CalEPA by **Date**.

The CalEPA evaluation team lead, Lead, will soon contact you to schedule meeting dates for establishing the evaluation workplan (Enclosure 3) and to provide information on how to access CalEPA's Microsoft SharePoint site (Enclosure 4), to electronically provide the information requested in Enclosure 1 and Enclosure 2. If for any reason access to the SharePoint site is not possible, please contact the CalEPA evaluation team lead to arrange for the requested documentation to be submitted via other secured means of file transfer, or by email to Lead@calepa.ca.gov.

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Should you have any questions regarding the CUPA performance evaluation process, please contact Melinda Blum at <u>Melinda.Blum@calepa.ca.gov</u>.

Sincerely,

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