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Re: Order on Consent ("Catalum Order"), (DEC Case #D007-0001-11, Appendix A, VI. Environmental Review and Application to Modify Permit)

Modification Request

Dear Ms. Levine:

The New York State Department of Environmental Conservation ("Department") acknowledges receipt on November 6, 2017 from the New York City Department of Environmental Protection ("DEP") of a Request to modify the milestone for DEP to prepare and submit to DEC its draft of a draft environmental impact statement (DEIS).

In the Modification Request, DEP requested an extension to the milestone to enable DEP to include feedback from the FAD OST Expert Panel and data from field work being conducted in 2018 in the DEIS.

The Department has reviewed the schedule and the Modification Request and determined that the extension is justified and hereby approves a modification of Paragraph 3 of Section VI in Appendix A, entitled Environmental Review and Application to Modify Permit to read:

3. By May 31, 2019, the City shall prepare and submit to DEC its draft environmental impact statement (DEIS) consistent with the Final Scope, in accordance with 6 NYCRR section 617.9. ...

If you have any questions, please feel free to call me at (518) 402-9495.

Sincerely,

Mary vonWergers