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TO: Arthur L. Rivera, Dep. Dir.

SUBJECT: Request for Emergency Waiver of Standards for Asbestos Containing Waste (ACW) at Victorville Sanitary landfill, SWIS# 36-AA-0045

DATE: September 27, 2016

On September 27, 2016, the Local Enforcement Agency (LEA) received your letter, dated September 26, 2016 requesting an emergency waiver of the permit terms and conditions at the Victorville Sanitary landfill. The waiver is being requested in order to accept ACW from the Blue Cut Fire clean-up process. The waiver is in conjunction with the emergency proclamation issued on 8-16-2016 by Governor Jerry Brown (17210.2a).

The emergency waiver does not request to waive any additional standards such as hours of operation, daily tonnage exceedances, or storage time. The operator will follow the guidelines for disposal in accordance with California Code of Regulations, Title 14, Section 17897.18 "Design and Operating Requirements" for solid waste facilities that dispose of asbestos-containing waste.

Based on this review and pursuant to the California Code of Regulations (CCR), Title 14, Division 7, Chapter 3, Article 3, Emergency Waiver of Standards, Section 17210, et. seq. a waiver of the Permit Terms and Conditions as requested above is hereby granted for a period up to one hundred twenty (120) days of receipt of this letter, with the following conditions:

1. All other State Minimum Standards and permit conditions which are not subject to the waiver shall remain in effect.
2. The effective period of the waiver shall not exceed one hundred twenty (120) days without prior approval from the LEA.
3. The waiver may be modified or cancelled by the LEA without advance notice should any of the following occur:

A. The use of such waiver shall cause or contribute to a public health and safety hazard or environmental problem.

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B. The terms of the waiver are not being used expressly to handle the state of emergency and are not in the best interest of the public health and safety

C. The waiver is no longer necessary

D. The solid waste facility operator is not utilizing disaster debris diversion programs to the extent feasible

4. The operator shall comply with the reporting requirements as outlined in CCR Title 14, Article 3, Emergency Waiver of Standards, Section 17210.5, Reporting Requirements for a Solid Waste Facility Operator.
5. The operator shall obtain all other necessary clearances and/or approvals from all other regulatory agencies as is necessary (i.e. Air Board, Dept. of Toxic Substances, OSHA)

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact me at 800-422-2283

Respectfully yours,



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