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Tonya Jackson
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Dear Mr. Brewer and Ms. Jackson:

Thank you for your response to our letter dated September 19, 2005, regarding an effort by the California Integrated Waste Management Board (CIWMB) and the Department of General Services (DGS) to establish an environmentally preferable product (EPP) standard for printer and duplication cartridges. Your contribution to date in developing the standard has been invaluable. We will keep you informed as we progress towards establishing the EPP standard for printer and duplication cartridges.

In our previous correspondences with you we had indicated that CIWMB staff would schedule conference calls and/or workshops at any time during the process as needed. Based on our communications with you and other interested parties over the past six months, we feel that we have achieved consensus on major aspects of the EPP standard for printer and duplication cartridges. Therefore, it is time to bring all of the stakeholders together to discuss the outstanding issues and finalize the standard. Consequently, we have scheduled a workshop for Monday, December 12, 2005 at our Cal-EPA building at 10th and I Street in Sacramento. The meeting will be held in the Conference Room 230, 2nd floor from 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. We ask you to respond via e-mail to Mr. Fareed Ferhut at fferhut@ciwmb.ca.gov and indicate whether you will attend this workshop.

I would like to thank you again for responding to our letters during this process with helpful comments and suggestions. I look forward to continuing our dialogue and working together towards establishing an environmentally preferable standard for printer and duplication cartridges. We will be sending out our next letter to the interested parties on November 17, 2005, and would like to encourage you to continue your assistance in this effort.

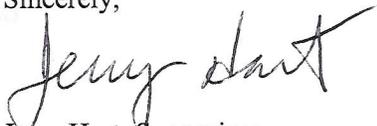
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If you have any questions or comments, please contact Mr. Fareed Ferhut at fferhut@ciwmb.ca.gov or (916) 341-6482. I hope to see you at the workshop.

Sincerely,



Jerry Hart, Supervisor
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Cc: Bill Orr, CIWMB
Fareed Ferhut, CIWMB
Gene Erbin

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