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Mr. Douglas Tomchuk Hudson River PCBs Site Project Manager U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Region II - Room 747 26 Federal Plaza New York, New York 10278

Dear Mr. Tomchuk:

Enclosed are GE's comments on EPA's Phase 1 Report for its Hudson River Reassessment. Please place these comments in the Agency's administrative record for the Hudson River site.

I recognize that our comments are voluminous and in some instances highly technical. I therefore recommend that GE be given the opportunity to give you and your consultants a verbal presentation that will capture the essence of our points. I look forward to your response to that proposal.

In the meantime, if you or your consultants have any questions about our comments or require additional information, please call me or John Haggard.

Sincerely, John H. Claussen

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