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Re: Hudson River PCBs Reassessment RI/FS

Dear Liaison Group Officers:

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) National Remedy Review Board (NRRB or Board) will review the proposed alternative for the Reassessment of the Hudson River PCBs Superfund site prior to issuance of the Proposed Plan for public comment in December 2000. Consistent with the protocols for community involvement, EPA may, in its discretion, offer community groups the opportunity to submit written comments or concerns to the Board concerning site-specific issues.

In light of the significant involvement of the four liaison groups of the Community Interaction Program during the Hudson River PCBs Reassessment, EPA invites each liaison group to submit written comments or concerns, not to exceed five (5) pages in length, to be included with the informational package that EPA Region 2 submits to the NRRB.

Please consult with your respective Liaison Group members to ascertain a fair and accurate representation of your group's comments and concerns, and send your Liaison Group's submittal no later

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than Friday, October 6, 2000 to me at the following address:

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Information regarding the NRRB review process is enclosed. Additional information can be found at the EPA website at www.epa.gov/superfund/programs/nrrb.

If you have any questions, please contact Ann Rychlenski, Community Relations Coordinator for this site at (212) 637-3672.

Sincerely yours,



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