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**Re: USS Lead Superfund Site - Requests for Opportunity to Confer  
UAO for Zone 2 Remedial Action, CERCLA Docket No. V-W-18-C-001  
UAO for Zones 2 and 3 Interior Removal Action, CERCLA Docket No. V-W-18-C-002**

Dear Steve and Leo:

I am writing on behalf of the following respondents to the above Unilateral Administrative Orders ("UAOs"): the Atlantic Richfield Company, the Chemours Company, FC, LLC, E.I. Du Pont de Nemours and Company and United States Metals Refining Company ("ASAOC Respondents") to request an opportunity to confer pursuant to Paragraph 11 of both UAOs. Although the UAOs require the conference to be held no later than five days after this request, per our discussions and due to the holidays we are not available to meet the week of December 26. We request that we schedule the conference to be held in Chicago on January 5, 2018. We understand that as a result of the date of the conference, the effective date of the UAO will be January 16. While the ASAOC Respondents plan to meet with you collectively, some of these companies may want the opportunity to meet with you individually on that same day.

If you have any questions, please contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'David L. Rieser', with a stylized flourish at the end.

David L. Rieser

cc: Annette Lang  
Sparsh Khandeshi,  
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