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Mr. Syed Arif, P.E. Florida Department of Environmental Protection Twin Towers Office Building 2600 Blair Stone Road Tallahassee, FL 32399-2400

Subject:

IMC Phosphates MP, Inc. (New Wales) Multifos Plant - Kiln C Permit Revision No. 1050059-024-AC, PSD-FL-244

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Dear Mr. Arif:

This is a notification, as a follow up to your telephone conversation with Pradeep Raval, regarding IMC's proposal to try using a venturi throat section in addition to the current scrubbing system in the above referenced project.

As you know, IMC has tried several different approaches in trying to resolve the air emissions issue, including some alternatives suggested by FDEP. We are hopeful that the installation of a venturi throat section leading into the existing caustic scrubber, using the same recirculating scrubbing medium, will reduce air emissions. As mentioned to you, this approach will be implemented immediately as the kiln is currently down for maintenance. If the approach works, full details of the arrangement will be forwarded to FDEP soon. Thank you for your continued assistance and suggestions in this matter.

If you have any questions, please call Pradeep Raval or me.

Very truly yours,

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