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January 14, 2009

Jack W. Huggins, Facilities Manager AVX Corporation 801 17th Avenue South P.O. Box 867 Myrtle Beach SC 29578-0867

Dear Mr. Huggins:

The Bureau of Air Quality (BAQ) has reviewed your December 12, 2008, letter with milestones and dates for the source testing and refined air toxics modeling analysis we requested on October 14, 2008. The BAQ is currently reviewing the site-specific test plan that was submitted on December 19, 2008. It is imperative that any requested additional information be provided as soon as possible so the test plan can be approved prior to the proposed test date below.

The BAQ agrees to the following milestone dates for source testing:

AVX Submits Testing Date Notification to BAQ

February 6, 2009 (at least 2 weeks prior to the test date; notification of test date can be submitted prior to BAQ approval of the test plan)

AVX Conducts Testing

AVX Submits Test Results Report to BAQ

February 24, 2009

AQ March 27, 2009

The BAQ agrees to the following milestone dates for refined air toxics modeling:

AVX Submits Modeling Report to BAQ

March 27, 2009

Please continue to work closely with our source testing and modeling staff. If AVX is not able to meet any of the milestone dates specified above, please notify us immediately. The BAQ is also requesting that AVX provide a milestone date for submitting the revised operating permit renewal application.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (803) 898-4391 or at thompsrb@dhec.sc.gov.

Singerely,

Rhonda B. Thompson, P.E. Assistant Bureau Chief Bureau of Air Quality

cc: Max Justice, J.D. Larry Ragsdale, EQC Region 6, Myrtle Beach Permit File (1340-0002)