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April 9, 2020

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RE: Request for Compliance Extension Environmental Response Actions Wisconsin Air National Guard – Truax Field BRRTS # 02-13-581254

## SENT VIA E-MAIL

Dear Col. Philpot,

The Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (DNR) is in receipt of your Memorandum dated April 7, 2020, requesting an extension to complete certain environmental response actions specified in our letter to you dated March 13, 2020. Those response activities and the associated timelines are repeated follows:

- By May 4, 2020, WANG will submit a site investigation workplan to the DNR for determining the degree and extent of PFAS contamination coming from WANG.
- By August 17, 2020, WANG will submit to the DNR the results of the site investigation and plan for proposed interim remedial actions to stop the ongoing contaminant discharge of PFAS contamination from the WANG facility.
- By November 30,2020, WANG will have in place and operating the DNR-approved response actions to eliminate the discharge of PFAS contaminants and environmental pollution to the Starkweather Creek watershed from the contaminated groundwater known to exist beneath Truax. This includes mitigating and treating stormwater runoff and groundwater migration into surface waters on, and off-site of the Truax property.

You have indicated that the reason for your request for a timeline extension is that your contracting resources are tied up in addressing and responding to COVID19 issues in response to the national COVID19 emergency. You have indicated you intend to comply with all these requirements, but you request an extension of 60 days to complete each of these tasks.

In light of the COVID19 emergency and the associated impacts to your operations, the DNR grants your request to extend the timelines to complete the response actions by 60 days. We also ask that you notify us as soon as possible if you are unable to meet the new timelines.



If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 608-576-0183 or via e-mail at Michael.Schmoller@wisconsin.gov.

Sincerely,

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