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Lalit Sharma, Division Chief
Office of Environmental Quality
City of Alexandria
301 King Street, Room 3000
Alexandria, VA 22314

Re: Clean Water Act Section 308 Information Request

Dear Mr. Sharma:

The United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) received your letter dated September 6, 2013. With your letter, you provided inflow data from the continuous monitoring of CSO Outfall 002 from June 22, 2013 to August 20, 2013 as required by the EPA information request letter dated April 16, 2013. EPA requested an initial monitoring period of ninety days, which ends on September 21, 2013.

EPA reviewed the inflow data and acknowledges the sustained reduction in inflow at Outfall 002, following the July 31, 2013 manufacturer's inspection and maintenance adjustments, from an average of 53,576 gallons per day, to an average of 5,119 gallons per day. Based on the data, EPA believes that this reduction in inflow should be consistent going forward and therefore will not require monitoring beyond September 21, 2013. This letter terminates the City's continuous monitoring requirement for Outfall 002 as of September 21, 2013. If you have any questions about this matter, you may contact Mr. Matthew Colip of my staff at (215) 814-5439, or your attorney may contact Judith Hykel, Senior Assistant Regional Counsel, at (215) 814-2646.

Sincerely,

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Water Protection Division

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