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Subject: Central Sands Dairy, LLC (CSD) – WPDES Permit No. WI-0063533-02-1

Dear Attorney Crass:

The department received your August 25th, 2017, letter including an ammonia source investigation plan prepared on behalf of CSD by RJN Environmental Services, LLC, pursuant to Paragraphs 8 and 9 of the Settlement Agreement effective July 27, 2017.

The department provides this letter as an interim response, pursuant to Paragraph 10 of the Settlement Agreement, in which it agreed to respond to the Ammonia Source Investigation Plan within 30 days of its submittal. This letter memorializes our conversation today in which DNR and CSD agreed it may be beneficial to meet for a technical conversation regarding the ammonia source investigation plan before the department formally responds to the Ammonia Source Investigation Plan. DNR and CSD agree that a discussion is worthwhile even though as a practical matter, it will delay DNR's formal response to the plan beyond the 30 days contemplated in Paragraph 10 of the Settlement Agreement. As we discussed today, we will plan to be in touch soon to coordinate a conversation that includes our respective hydrogeologists before the DNR formally responds to the August 25th plan.

We will look forward to talking with you soon.

Regards,

/s/
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