POWERTECH (USA) INC.

December 9, 2016

Darcy O'Connor
Assistant Regional Administrator
Office of Water Protection
US EPA Region 8
1595 Wynkoop St.
Denver CO 80202

**Re: UIC Permit Application, Class V Non-Hazardous Injection Wells, Powertech (USA) Inc., Dewey-Burdock Project, Custer and Fall River Counties, South Dakota**

Mrs. O'Connor:

In reference to our discussion held on December 6, 2016, Powertech would like to provide this letter in response. Powertech would like to voluntarily retract a portion of its Class V Underground Injection Control application submitted in March 2010 and revised in January 2012. This application previously proposed installation of wells and injection operations into the Deadwood Formation. Powertech is no longer requesting approval and consideration of the Deadwood formation for these purposes. For the purposes of approval of the applied for Class V UIC permit, the proposed installation of wells and injection operations in the application would remain solely within the Minnelusa Formation.

Sincerely

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