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Mr. Peter R. Karasik
Department of Environmental Protection
16101 Frederick Road
Derwood MD 20855

Dear Mr. Karasik:

The Maryland Department of the Environment (the "Department") received your July 20, 2015 letter and enclosed temporary piezometer installation plan for the Gude Landfill. The Department has reviewed and hereby accepts the plan. Piezometers must be developed with submersible pumps unless the Department approves another method of development.

If there are any questions, please contact Mr. Ed Carlson, Head of the Investigations and Remediation Section, at (410) 537-3315.

Sincerely,

Martha Hynson, Chief
Solid Waste Operations Division

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