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MEMORANDUM

TO: Angie Garcia, US Environmental Protection Agency Region III

FROM: Tony Allred, Maryland Department of the Environment – Science Services Administration

RE: Review of the Approval Letter and Decision Rationale for the Liberty Reservoir,

Mercury in Fish Tissue Water Quality Analysis.

DATE: May 14, 2013.

The Maryland Department of the Environment (MDE) has reviewed the Approval Letter for the following Water Quality Analysis (WQA):

"Water Quality Analysis of Mercury in Fish Tissue in Liberty Reservoir in Baltimore and Carroll Counties, Maryland"

As a result of this review, the following changes are requested:

Approval Letter

The 1st sentence of the 1st paragraph gives the submission date of the draft-final WQA document as being "June 22, 2013". Our records show that the actual submission date (the date stamped on the submission letter from MDE) was "July 22, 2013." This is the submission date that should have been referenced in the Approval Letter.

No other changes are requested.

