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Mr. Karl D. Gurr
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RE: Sediment Ponds

Dear Mr. Gurr:

The Division recently met with the Division of State Health concerning the design of decant systems for sediment ponds. The Division of State Health compromised their previous position somewhat by allowing the decant pipe to be placed three feet above the elevation equal to the level obtained when 60% of design sediment storage level is reached. In other words, the decant pipe can be placed three feet above the clean-out level. As you recall, sediment must be removed when 60 percent of the design sediment storage volume is reached.

Design of the decant system based on this concept is acceptable to the Division.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "K. Michael Thompson".

K. MICHAEL THOMPSON
ENGINEERING GEOLOGIST

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