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State of Delaware – DNREC Compliance & Enforcement Branch Surface Water Discharge Section Attention: Brian Churchill, Environmental Scientist 89 Kings Hwy Dover, DE 19901

RE: Renewal of Agricultural Ground Utilization State Permit Number: AGU 1901-K-03

Dear Mr. Churchill:

On behalf of Kent County Levy Court, the Department of Public Works respectfully requests renewal of the Agricultural Ground Utilization Permit #: AGU 1901-K-03 for disposal of Class B sludge.

There is no update to the original Project Development Report, these permitted sites have not been utilized for Class B. The report details the methods used to produce the Class B bio-solids product, the vector control method, and the Nutrient Management Plans for each field.

There are no proposed changes to our Agricultural Ground Utilization Permit at this time. An engineering firm is currently designing our new bio-solids processing facility, and all major equipment has been purchased for the Biosolids Capacity Expansion Project. It is the hope of the County that through this project, Class B biosolids will be a thing of the past and there will be no need to use these permitted fields in the future.

Sincerely

Colby Harrington

Assistant Director of Public Works

cc: Diana T. Golt, P.E., Public Works Director