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TEXAS COMMISSION ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

Protecting Texas by Reducing and Preventing Pollution

October 27, 2011

Mr. Ed Tokarski etokarski@dow.com Remediation Project Manager The Dow Chemical Company 3100 State Street Croydon, PA 19021

Re:

August 31, 2011 Enhanced Anaerobic Bioremediation Work Plan, Charlie Burch Pits Site, Richards Road, Spring, Montgomery County, TX; Voluntary Cleanup Program (VCP) No. 421

Dear Mr. Tokarski:

The VCP of the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) has reviewed the above-referenced submittal. The TCEQ has no objections to the work plan; however, please note that this TCEQ concurrence is not a statement that the intended response action will be effective in attaining the objective. The concurrence is based upon an evaluation that the intended response action may obtain or assist in obtaining the response action objective and is, therefore, a performance-based concurrence. A response to this comment is not required. However, should you elect to reply, the response should be submitted to my attention at the TCEQ at the letterhead address using mail code MC-221. If you elect to respond, your response should be received on or before December 28, 2011. Should you need additional information or wish to discuss this comment or the due date, please call me at (512)239-6753.

Sincerely,

Joe Bell, P.G., Project Manager

VCP-CA Section

Remediation Division

Texas Commission on Environmental Quality

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cc:

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