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Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19103-2029

March 28, 2014

Robert L. Casselberry, Jr.
The DOW Chemical Company
3100 State Road
Croydon, PA 19021

RE: RCRA CAP Closure Request

Dear Mr. Casselberry:

The EPA has received and reviewed your November 21, 2013 request for closure of the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) Corrective Action Permit (CAP) PAD075485995 issued on November 4, 1992 for the Rohm and Haas Chemicals LLC (Rohm and Haas) Spring House Technical Center. The request for closure of the RCRA CAP PAD075485995 is approved.

Rohm and Haas' rationale for this request is acceptable per Permit Condition II.E.3.g of the CAP. The reason for the request is because the current constituents of concern, tetrachloroethene and trichloroethene, concentrations in each well site wide have been below the Maximum Contaminant Level (MCL) or non-detect for a period of 2 or more years or have a 95% Upper Confidence Level of less than the MCL. In summary, the EPA agrees with the rationale for RCRA CAP closure presented by Rohm and Haas, has determined that all the requirements of the CAP have been satisfied, and considers the CAP to be terminated as of today's date.

The request to abandon the remaining monitoring wells is also approved. All of the wells being abandoned must be done so in accordance with the Pennsylvania Department of Protection well abandonment procedures as detailed in Rohm and Haas' November 21, 2013 request.

Should you have comments or questions about the contents of this letter, please contact Kevin Bilash at (215) 814-2796 or bilash.kevin@epa.gov.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Paul Gotthold".

Paul Gotthold, Associate Director
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Office of Pennsylvania Remediation

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