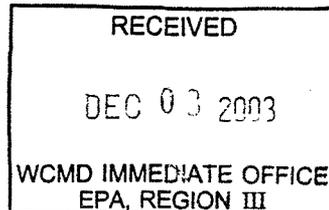


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Dear Mr. Welsh:

We are pleased to submit our authorization revision application for changes to Delaware's hazardous waste management program. This application comprises an addendum to the August 8, 2002 Program Description (consisting of this letter), Streamlined Attorney General's Statement, Abbreviated Statutory Checklist, Memorandum of Agreement and a copy of the amendments to the *Delaware Regulations Governing Hazardous Waste*.

On December 14, 1983, Delaware was granted final authorization for its base hazardous waste management program. Subsequent revisions to the base program were authorized on October 7, 1996, October 19, 1998, September 11, 2000, and August 8, 2002.

Revisions to Delaware's hazardous waste management program are considered minor and qualify for EPA's new Express Authorization procedure. This letter is being submitted as the Program Description for Delaware's fifth revision application, and it describes the scope of additional authority for which Delaware is seeking authorization. It is an addendum to the Program Description submitted with Delaware's fourth revision application, for which Delaware received authorization on August 8, 2002.

This application package has been developed to maintain Delaware's equivalency with the Federal Program as defined by Subtitle C of the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act. Authorization of these revisions by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency ensures the interests of Delaware industry and citizens continue to be well represented by the "First State".

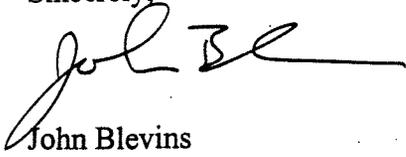
The State of Delaware seeks authorization for the revisions associated with RCRA Checklists 189, 193, 195, and miscellaneous non-RCRA revision checklist related changes to its hazardous waste program as evidenced in Attachment 1.

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I look forward to your approval to continue the implementation of this vital environmental program in Delaware.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "John Blevins". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke at the end.

John Blevins
Director

Attachment