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Dear Mr. Herrmann,

The Department of Environmental Protection's Division of Solid and Hazardous Waste is in receipt of a proposed amendment to the Essex County District Solid Waste Management Plan (County Plan) dated April 25, 2017. This amendment to the County Plan proposes County Plan inclusion of the temporary diversion of up to 300 tons per day (tpd) of solid waste type 10 from the Essex County Resource Recovery Facility to either the Covanta Totowa Transfer Station or the Covanta Paterson Transfer Station for a limited period from April 10 to May 20, 2017. This diversion is necessary in order to allow for the completion of a major overhaul of the turbine, air cooled condenser and three boilers at the Essex County Resource Recovery Facility.

Pursuant to N.J.A.C. 7:26-6.11(b)14, the inclusion of the temporary diversion of up to 300 tpd of solid waste type 10 from the Essex County Resource Recovery Facility to either the Covanta Totowa Transfer Station or the Covanta Paterson Transfer Station is hereby approved as an administrative action pursuant to N.J.A.C. 7:26-6.11(f).

If you have any questions relative to this matter, please contact Dawn Slawsky of my staff at (609) 292-4393 or by e-mail at dawn.slawsky@dep.nj.gov.

Sincerely,

Edward A. Nielwocki, Contract Administrator 3
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