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From: DWADSWORTH@REPSOLYPF.COM [mailto:DWADSWORTH@REPSOLYPF.COM]

Sent: Friday, October 31, 2003 8:12 AM

To: Mack, J. Alan

Cc: SGALLEYR@REPSOLYPF.COM; SGALLEYR@REPSOLYPF.COM

Subject: RE: Company Identification

Alan,

I am not aware of the incident you mention in your e-mail. In any event, either Sara or I will pass along your request to the folks at Tierra Solutions.

David

-----Original Message-----

From: J._Alan_Mack@oxy.com [mailto:J._Alan_Mack@oxy.com]

Sent: Thursday, October 30, 2003 5:32 PM

To: WADSWORTH ADAMS, DAVID; GALLEY ROBERTS, SARA

Subject: Company Identification

David, Sara -- Oxy would like to request Maxus' renewed cooperation on an issue that has recurred over the years. With the increased publicity surrounding the Lower Passaic River, and continuing coverage of the Hudson County chrome sites, Oxy requests that its name not be put forth in public statements regarding these matters. Oxy does not believe that it is appropriate that it be identified other than in the narrow context of legal proceedings and filings where it is necessary to identify Occidental Chemical's involvement as the legal entity which is the successor to DSCC.

Oxy acknowledges that, over the years, Maxus has been responsive to Oxy's concerns in this regard. However, as peoples' responsibilities change over time we want to reiterate our request in this regard.

One recent episode highlights our current concern. On a recent news segment on a New Jersey television station regarding the Lower Passaic River, an individual who we presume is employed by either Maxus or Tierra (or perhaps a consultant for one of them) was presented on the broadcast as a "representative of Occidental". The clear impression was made that he was an employee of Occidental, as was the impression that no company other than Occidental Chemical is involved in addressing the Diamond Alkali facility, and its impact on the Lower Passaic River. In light of this episode, Oxy requests, specifically, that no