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Dear Ms. van Genderen:

On July 28, 2009, the Department of Environmental Protection's (Department) Solid and Hazardous Waste Program received the July 23, 2009 Burlington County administrative action to amend the Burlington County Solid Waste Management Plan (County Plan). The July 23, 2009 administrative action was developed in response to the February 2, 2009 certification by the Department of the July 23, 2008 County Plan amendment which responded to the requirements of the updated Statewide Solid Waste Management Plan.

The February 2, 2009 certification noted areas in the County Plan that needed further attention. These areas were: timeline for approval/rejection for the inclusion of solid waste and recycling facilities; and, elements of the Sludge Management Plan as noted by the Bureau of Pretreatment & Residuals.

The July 23, 2009 administrative action successfully addressed the deficient area noted in the July 23, 2008 certification that required further attention.

Pursuant to <u>N.J.A.C.</u> 7:26-6.11(b) 14., the Department considers modifications to the updated response to the Statewide Solid Waste Management Act an approvable administration action. Therefore, this request is hereby approved as an administrative action pursuant to <u>N.J.A.C.</u> 7:26-6.11(f).

If you have any questions relative to this action, please contact Najwa N. Ali of my staff at (609) 984-9773 or email at <u>Najwa.Ali@dep.state.nj.us</u>.

Sincerely,

Guy Watson, Chief Bureau of Recycling and Planning