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Dear Mr. Herrmann:

The Department of Environmental Protection's Division of Solid and Hazardous Waste is in receipt of a request for administrative action to the Essex County District Solid Waste Management Plan (County Plan) dated November 21, 2017. The request proposes to include a Research, Development and Demonstration (RD&D) project for the fermentation of source-separated organics to be conducted by Industrial Organic located at 139 Orange Street in the City of Newark. This project will involve Industrial Organic accepting up to 12 tons per day of Class C source-separated food waste for a period of twelve (12) months commencing upon issuance of the RD&D Approval by the Bureau of Recycling and Hazardous Waste Permitting.

Pursuant to N.J.A.C. 7:26-6.11(b)13, the inclusion of an operation of a RD&D project can be accomplished via an administrative action. Therefore, the County Plan inclusion of the RD&D at Industrial Organic 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,

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