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LETTER FROM U S EPA REGION I REGARDING EXTENSION REQUEST FOR REVIEW OF
FEASIBILITY STUDIES TANK FARMS 4 AND 5 NS NEWPORT RI
9/20/2012
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Re: Extension request for the review of the Feasibility Studies for Tank Farms 4 and 5

Dear Mr. Pagtalunan:

As discussed briefly yesterday, I am writing to request an extension of the review periods for the draft final Feasibility Studies for both Tank Farms 4 and 5. I hereby request until October 2, 201~~1~~² and October 15, 201~~1~~² respectively, to complete EPA's review. EPA will make every attempt to complete its review before that date, however. I am also willing to send partial comments in advance if you think that would be helpful.

I look forward to working with you and the Rhode Island Department of Environmental Management toward the cleanup of the Tank Farms. Please do not hesitate to contact me at (617) 918-1385 should you have any questions. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Kymerlee Keckler, Remedial Project Manager
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