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Subject: [External] Chemours - Potential HFPO Dimer Acid Spill

Trent:

Chemours is notifying you of a spill of wastewater which occurred on June 10, 2018, that may have contained a small amount of HFPO Dimer Acid. Chemours is making this report (i) even though the incident did not result in the exceedance of any applicable reportable quantity, (ii) even though reporting is not required by any applicable permit or regulation, but (iii) in the interests of continued cooperation and transparency given DEQ's ongoing focus on the handling of HFPO Dimer Acid at the Fayetteville Works. Chemours estimates that the total mass of HFPO Dimer Acid that may have been included in the water spilled was 0.0001 lb. Chemours has removed the soil that was possibly impacted by this release and will dispose of this soil at an out-of-state disposal facility.

The incident occurred as follows. On June 10, 2018, personnel were performing the weekly transfer of accumulated water from the Vinyl Ethers South Water Retention Basin to the site's Water Collection System for out-of-state disposal. During the transfer from the Retention Basin, a pinhole leak was discovered in a weld on the transfer pipe. The transfer was stopped and the pump and piping were locked out so that repairs could be made. Personnel who witnessed the leak estimate that approximately two (2) gallons of water were released to the ground in the vicinity of the Vinyl Ethers South Process.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

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