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Mr. Brian D. Long
Plant Manager
Chemours Fayetteville Works
22828 NC Highway 87 W
Fayetteville NC 28306

Re: Approval of Geosyntec for PFAS Mass-loading Modeling and Fate & Transport Study pursuant to Consent Order Paragraphs 12(b), 12(c) and 27

Dear Mr. Long,

Pursuant to paragraphs 12(b), 12(c) and 27 of the Consent Order, the N.C. Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) approves the third-party (Geosyntec) that Chemours has selected to undertake certain obligations in the Consent Order. The Consent Order requires that these selected contractors be approved by DEQ.

Paragraphs 12(b) and 12(c) requires Chemours to fund development by a third party of a model accounting for all sources of PFAS (including identification and mass loading of all PFAS) from the Facility contributing to the loading of PFAS into the Cape Fear River, Willis Creek, Georgia Branch, and Old Outfall 002. Paragraph 27 requires Chemours to fund development by a third party of a study, based on the best available data and information, analyzing the fate and transport of identified PFAS originating from the Facility in air, surface water and groundwater.

DEQ received information about Geosyntec's expertise and qualifications, to include the CVs of the engineers and scientists at Geosyntec who would be expected to lead the projects. This letter provides DEQ approval for the selection of Geosyntec as described above, but it does not provide DEQ approval of any work performed by Geosyntec. Use of alternative consulting firms other than Geosyntec to fulfill obligations under paragraphs 12(b), 12(c) and 27 of the Consent Order, will require the submittal of supporting documentation and approval by DEQ prior to implementation.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Michael E. Scott".

Michael E. Scott, Director
Division of Waste Management

