

VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL TO <u>The.Secretary@hq.doe.gov</u> ORIGINAL TO FOLLOW BY US POSTAL SERVICE

December 12, 2014

The Honorable Ernest Moniz Secretary of Energy United States Department of Energy 1000 Independence Avenue, SW Washington, DC 20585

> Re: Notification Under Section 5(g)(2)(B) of Public Law No. 110-414, The Mercury Export Ban Act of 2008

Dear Mr. Secretary:

The purpose of this letter is to provide you with a notification, in accordance with the provisions of Section 5(g)(2)(B) of the Mercury Export Ban Act of 2008 (MEBA), that Heritage Environmental Services, LLC plans to store elemental mercury that cannot be utilized in the United States at its facilities in Indianapolis, Indiana (USEPA Identification Number IND 093 219 012) or Coolidge, Arizona (USEPA Identification Number IND 093 219 012) or Coolidge, Arizona (USEPA Identification Number AZD 081 705 402). Both of these facilities operate under permits issued in accordance with Section 3005(c) of the Solid Waste Disposal Act [42 USC §6925(c)] and are authorized for the storage of hazardous waste.

Heritage Environmental Services, LLC understands that should the Secretary be unable to accept elemental mercury at a facility designated by the Secretary for reasons beyond the control of the owner or operator of the permitted facility, a permitted facility may store the elemental mercury and it will not be subject to the storage prohibition of Section 3004(j) of the Solid Waste Disposal Act [42 USC §6924(i)].

In accordance with the requirements of Section 5(g)(2)(B)(ii) and 5(g)(2)(B)(iii) of the MEBA, Heritage Environmental Services, LLC certifies that it will ship the stored elemental mercury to the U.S. Department of Energy's designated facility when the Secretary is able to accept the elemental mercury. Heritage Environmental Services, LLC further certifies that it will not sell the stored elemental mercury or place the elemental mercury into commerce. In the event that an alternative elemental mercury treatment or disposal provision is authorized by the United States Environmental Protection Agency, Heritage Environmental Services, LLC retains its right to exercise such option in lieu of shipment to the facility designated by the Secretary.

The two Heritage Environmental Services, LLC facilities are located at the following addresses:

Heritage Environmental Services, LLC 7901 West Morris Street Indianapolis, Indiana 46231 (IND 093 219 012) Heritage Environmental Services, LLC 284 East Storey Road Coolidge, Arizona 85128 (AZD 081 705 402)

14CH4042_I18

www.heritage-enviro.com

The Honorable Ernest Moniz December 12, 2014 Page 2

Please feel free to contact me by telephone at (317) 486-2783 or by electronic mail at <u>craig.hogarth@heritage-enviro.com</u> if you have any questions, comments, or require further assistance. Sincerely,

Heritage Environmental Services, LLC

Craig Hogarth Director of Safety & Compliance

14CH4042_118

www.heritage-enviro.com

The Honorable Ernest Moniz December 12, 2014 Page 3

cc: V. Windle, Indiana Department of Environmental Management
A. Leverock, Arizona Department of Environmental Quality
S. Danenman, INI
W. Hamrick, INI
C. Ray, INI
A. Vasquez, INI
File, Corp., Mercury Export Ban Act of 2008

14CH4042_I18

www.heritage-enviro.com

PEOPLE PROVIDING SOLUTIONS

Secretary Moniz

From:Hogarth, Craig <Craig.Hogarth@heritage-enviro.com>Sent:Friday, December 12, 2014 6:53 PMTo:Secretary MonizSubject:Notification of Storage at a Permitted Hazardous Waste Facility for Elemental MercuryAttachments:Heritage Environmental Services LLC Notification of Elemental Mercury Storage
12-12-2014.pdf

Mr. Secretary,

Attached is a notification that Heritage Environmental Services, LLC will be storing elemental mercury required under the Mercury Export Ban Act of 2008 until such time as the Department of Energy is able to receive these materials. Please contact me if you have any questions or comments. Thanks.

1

Craig Hogarth

Director of Safety & Compliance Heritage Environmental Services, LLC 7901 West Morris Street Indianapolis, Indiana 46231 (317)) 486-2783 Office (317) 439-2965 Cell craig.hogarth@heritage-enviro.com