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**CLARIFICATION OF
2002 GROUNDWATER SAMPLING PLAN FOR RESIDENTIAL AND
NON-RESIDENTIAL WELLS**

Former DuPont Barksdale Works
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Dear Mr. Saari:

As discussed in our telephone conversation on May 2, 2002, E. I. du Pont de Nemours and Company, Inc. (DuPont) is providing clarification for the proposed non-residential and residential sampling plan transmitted to the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (WDNR) on April 26, 2002. The sampling event addressed by the April 26th sampling plan will be the first of two sampling events that will occur in 2002.

The April 26th sampling plan covers non-residential and residential work that will occur between May 13, 2002 and early June 2002. The subsequent sampling event for non-residential and residential wells will occur in either October or November 2002. DuPont anticipates that the scope for the October/November non-residential well sampling will be more comprehensive than the plan proposed for the May/June event. Details regarding the scope of the second sampling event will be developed in August 2002 with WDNR.

If you have further questions or comments regarding the upcoming sampling, please contact me at (502) 569-2148.

Sincerely,

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