

## c/o Three Rivers Management, Inc. (Agent for Beazer East, Inc.) 1910 Cochran Road, Manor Oak One, Suite 200, Pittsburgh, PA 15220-1273

November 1, 2016

Judy Fassbender Section Chief Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources 101 South Webster Street Madison, WI 53703

Re: Non-Hazardous Waste Determination for Off-Property Soil/Sediment

Former Koppers Inc. Facility - Superior, WI

Dear Ms. Fassbender,

On July 7, 2016, Beazer East, Inc. (Beazer) submitted to the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (WDNR) a letter presenting Beazer's position and rationale for a non-hazardous waste determination for soils and sediments that may be generated from the off-property portion of the above-referenced Site as part of future corrective actions. Beazer's July 7 letter stated that "Beazer has applied this same rationale for non-hazardous waste determinations at several other sites across the country and received approval from both USEPA and state regulatory agencies." In an email to Beazer dated July 12, 2016, you requested "additional information related to these sites and the conditions under which the rationale was accepted." In response to your request, the following table summarizes the other sites where Beazer has proposed and received approval on non-hazardous waste determinations:

| Site Name/<br>Location                    | Material Type   | Date of<br>Approval            | Approval Agency   |
|---|---|--------------------------------|---|
| Former Koppers<br>Company, Inc.<br>Site – | Soil and sediment from the "South Tidal                   | May 22, 2002                   | United States Environmental<br>Protection Agency (USEPA)<br>Region 4          |
| Charleston, SC                            | Marsh"  | August 27, 2002                | South Carolina Department of<br>Health and Environmental<br>Control (SC DHEC) |
|   | Stockpiled soil<br>from the<br>"Northwest<br>Corner Area" | June 27, 2003<br>July 17, 2003 | SC DHEC USEPA Region 4  |
| Koppers Inc.<br>Facility –                | Soil and soil/bentonite                                   | March 3, 2004                  | Alabama Department of Environmental Management                                |

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|--|-----------------------------|---------------------|---|
| Montgomery,<br>AL                                      | slurry                      |                     |   |
| Koppers Inc. Wood-Treating Site – Guthrie, KY          | Sediments and DNAPL         | May 26, 2004        | Kentucky Department for<br>Environmental Protection |
| Former Koppers<br>Wood-Treating<br>Site – Wauna,<br>OR | Excess soil and wood debris | December 8,<br>2004 | Oregon Department of<br>Environmental Quality       |

If you should have any additional questions or concerns regarding this matter, please feel free to contact me at (412) 208-8813.

Sincerely,

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## Enclosure

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