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April 17, 1997

Cambridge Water Treatment Plant
250 Fresh Pond Parkway
Cambridge, MA 02138

ATTN: Timothy MacDonald

RE: DETERMINATION OF ADMINISTRATIVE COMPLETENESS
Application for: PERMIT TO PROCEED WITH RESPONSE ACTIONS

AT: CAMBRIDGE - Cambridge Water Treatment Plant
250 Fresh Pond Parkway, Cambridge, MA 02138 RTN 3-10139

Transmittal Number: 123933

Dear Mr. MacDonald:

The Department of Environmental Protection (the Department) has completed its Administrative Review of the permit application listed above and has determined that the application is administratively complete. This letter serves to notify you that the Department will proceed with the Technical Review.

According to 310 CMR 4.04, the Department has 75 days from the date of this letter to complete its Technical Review. Pursuant to 310 CMR 40.0722 (2), a Public Comment Period (PC-1) of 20 days shall run concurrently with this T-1 review period for those individuals who have notified the Department of their interest to review the application and submit written comments.

The Technical Review (T-1), may result in a decision to grant or deny the permit, a Proposed Permit Decision to grant or deny a permit, the issuance of a Statement of Technical Deficiencies, or a determination that the above site does not need a permit.

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The issuance of a Statement of Technical Deficiencies would end the T-1 review period. Pursuant to 310 CMR 40.0722 (2) and 310 CMR 4.04 (2)(b), the applicant must respond to the Department within 30 days of issuance of such Statement of Deficiencies.

The submission of a copy of this Determination of Administrative Completeness to the Cambridge Board of Selectman and the Board of Health constitutes the Department's compliance with the requirements of 310 CMR 40.0721 (5).

Pursuant to 310 CMR 4.04 (2) and 310 CMR 40.0721 (6), a Determination of Administrative Completeness shall not constitute any finding with respect to the technical suitability, adequacy or accuracy of the materials submitted, and shall be no bar to a request to amend, revise, replace, or supplement such materials based on technical suitability, adequacy or accuracy. The Department may request additional information during the course of the Technical Review.

In accordance with 310 CMR 4.04 (2) and 310 CMR 40.0720 (3), the applicant and the Department may, by written agreement, extend any schedule for timely action or any portion, thereof.

Withdrawal of the permit application shall be subject to the provisions of 310 CMR 4.04 (3)(d).

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Christopher Pyott at the letterhead address or by calling (617) 932-7600.

Sincerely,



Christopher Pyott
Environmental Analyst



for Iris W. Davis
Section Chief,
Permits/Risk Reduction
Bureau of Waste Site Cleanup

cc: Board of Health, Town Hall, 10 Mudge Way, Cambridge, MA 02139
Attention: David Black

Board of Selectmen, 795 Massachusetts Ave., Cambridge, MA 02139

Camp Dresser & McKee, 10 Cambridge Center, Cambridge, MA 02142
Attention: William Swanson

Consent Communication #5

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Communication was received from the Department of Environmental Protection, transmitting notification that the permit application for Cambridge water Treatment Plant is administratively complete and the Department of Environmental Protection will proceed with the Technical Review.

In City Council May 5, 1997

*Referred to the
City Manager*

Copies sent

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