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Dear Mr. Scott:

EPA has completed its review of the Division of Water's draft Reasonable Potential Procedures, dated June 14, 2000 (as amended in your July 5, 2000 electronic submittal) for the use in KPDES permits and hereby approves them. I appreciate the cooperation provided by you and your staff in getting these finalized and in resolving this longstanding issue.

Sincerely,

Douglas F. Mundrick, P.E., Chief

Permits Grants and Technical Assistance Branch

Water Management Division