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November 15, 2016

Ms. Annette Paluh  
Project Manager  
Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection  
Southwest Regional Office  
400 Waterfront Drive  
Pittsburgh, PA 15222**RE: Former Westinghouse Electric Corporation Facility  
One Tuscarawas Road  
Vanport Township, Beaver County, Pennsylvania  
LRP No. 5-4-807-19073**

Dear Ms. Paluh:

Curtiss-Wright Corporation (Curtiss-Wright) is in receipt of your letter dated October 24, 2016 requesting information related to the above-referenced site. Your letter was sent to the attention of Mr. David Adams and has been forwarded to me for response. I am the Corporate Director, Environmental, Health and Safety for Curtiss-Wright and would like to request that future communications regarding this topic be directed to me.

In response to your letter, a search for information and documents was conducted by Curtiss-Wright. Specifically, we reviewed the company indexes of current and archived records and interviewed Curtiss-Wright personnel located at our Cheswick, PA plant (which was formerly owned by Westinghouse Electric Corporation) who we believed would have knowledge about the referenced location. We did not find any records or documents that would be responsive to your request nor did we identify any information related to hazardous substances, which were generated, treated, stored, disposed of, transported to, or released from the above-referenced site into the environment.

We also conducted a search and review of Internet records and determined that Curtiss-Wright allegedly operated a propeller plant at the above-referenced site from 1942 to 1945. Please note that Curtiss-Wright donated its historical records to the National Air and Space Museum of the Smithsonian Institution and several other aviation museums. As a result, we are unable to corroborate the information posted on the Internet about a former Curtiss-Wright facility located in Beaver County, PA.

I trust that you will find this letter responsive to your request for information concerning the referenced site. Should you have any questions for follow up, feel free to call me at 973-541-3758.

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Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Carolyn J. Straton". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

Carolyn J. Straton  
Corporate Director, EHS

cc: David Maivald, Curtiss-Wright  
Lisa Lamantia, Curtiss-Wright