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Dear Mr. Termaath:

**SUBJECT:** Extension of Dispute Resolution Concerning the Former Wurtsmith United States Air Force Base and Response to Impacts to Drinking Water from Per- and Polyfluoroalkyl Substances (PFAS); Site ID No. 35000058

I am writing in follow-up to the January 24, 2018, letter the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality (MDEQ) sent to the United States Air Force (USAF) proposing an extension of the time frame for discussion of this dispute, currently under Section IV.A.2 of the Defense and State Memorandum of Agreement.

In the January 24, 2018, letter, the MDEQ anticipated providing a written follow-up on the issues in dispute by Thursday, February 1, 2018. However, in order to provide additional detail and greater focus for each of the seven issue areas discussed as part of this dispute, the MDEQ needs more time to develop its responses. The MDEQ proposes an extension of the time frame for discussion of this dispute until Friday, February 16, 2018. The MDEQ anticipates providing its written follow-up on the issues in dispute to the USAF on Thursday, February 8, 2018.

Please let us know if this time frame is acceptable to the USAF. We look forward to continuing discussions on the issues of concern and working toward resolution of the dispute.

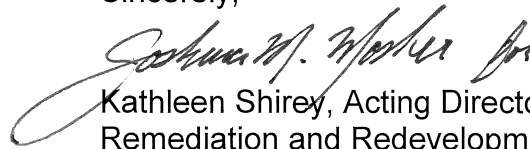
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Please contact Mr. Robert Delaney, Superfund Section, Remediation and Redevelopment Division at 517-284-5085; delaneyr@michigan.gov; or MDEQ, P.O. Box 30426, Lansing, Michigan 48909-7926, if you wish to arrange a call or meeting to discuss any or all of this communication.

Sincerely,



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