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Ms. Mimi Snyder  
President  
The A.R.K. Enterprises, Inc.  
A W.B.E. Hub Zone Manufacturing Company  
P.O. Box 725  
Peculiar, Missouri 64078

Dear Ms. Snyder:

We have received and reviewed the information you submitted on your company's sorbent "P.O.L. Sorb." Our review indicates that this product meets the definition of a "sorbent" as specified in Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations (CFR), sections 300.5 and 300.915(g) of the National Contingency Plan (NCP). Based on this review, "P.O.L. Sorb" is not required to be listed on the NCP Product Schedule.

So that you may be prepared to provide On-Scene Coordinators with a certification as referenced in section 300.915(g)(4) of the NCP, the following statement should be reproduced, dated, and signed on your corporate letterhead:

[SORBENT NAME] is a sorbent material and consists solely of the materials listed in section 300.915(g)(1) of the NCP.

Enclosed for your review is a copy of section 300.915(g) from the NCP. Should you have questions, please contact me at the EPA Oil Program at (703) 603-9065.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Leigh E. DeHaven".

Leigh E. DeHaven  
EPA Oil Program Center (5203G)