Citizens Advisory Council

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June 20, 2014

Ms. Joyce E. Epps
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Dear Ms. Epps:

Pursuant to the requirements of Section 7.6 of the Air Pollution Control Act, on May 6, 2014, staff from the Bureau of Air Quality briefed the Citizens Advisory Council (Council) Policy and Regulatory Oversight Committee on two draft proposed regulations designed to reduce VOC emissions from certain industrial processes. These rulemakings included the following:

- Industrial Cleaning Solvents
- Automobile and Light-Duty Assembly Coatings

On the recommendation of the Committee, Council voted at their June 17, 2014, meeting to concur with advancing the above-referenced draft proposed regulations to the Environmental Quality Board for action.

Council appreciates the Bureau’s cooperation in providing detailed briefings on air regulations and is particularly appreciative of the additional research the Bureau conducted to answer Council’s questions concerning the Industrial Cleaning Solvents draft proposed rulemaking. If you have any questions regarding Council’s action on the above-referenced regulations, please contact me at 717-787-8171 or at mtate@pa.gov.

Sincerely,

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