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**Subject:** RE: Spring Farm Mod 6 - Revised Industrial Liquid Processing Capability  
**Attachments:** 0505960 SUEZ Spring Farm ARRT Facility.pdf

Dear Trevor,

Further to Phil's email below, please find attached an Odour Assessment prepared by ERM to support SUEZ's Modification 6.

With advice from our consultant ERM, SUEZ has considered EPA's concern and has further limited our application from a broader "industrial liquid waste" including nine waste codes, to just seeking approval for grease trap waste (K110) as part of this Modification 6. This is a further withdrawal of waste codes we sought in Phil's email below (J120 and M250). We hope this provides additional comfort to the EPA around the waste compatibility with the tank farm treatment system.

I understand you have spoken with Jane from ERM and requested a standalone report. The attached report is prepared as a standalone assessment to support revised Mod 6 proposal for grease trap liquid waste. For clarity, this report supersedes previous information provided related to seeking approval for the broader "industrial liquid waste", with the aim of enabling the EPA to assess the revised proposal without having to reference previous information provided by SUEZ.

We hope this is sufficient for the EPA to make its assessment of Mod 6, and advice DPIE of its conclusions. SUEZ and ERM will make ourselves available if you have any technical questions regarding the report. Please do not hesitate to reach out directly to Jane (ERM - 02 8584 8836) or any member of the SUEZ team.

Best regards  
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**Subject:** Spring Farm Mod 6 - Revised Industrial Liquid Processing Capability

Trevor

Thank you again for your time today. As discussed, SUEZ has considered EPA's concerns and is willing to **withdraw** our application for the receipt and processing of several industrial liquids which may be perceived to have a higher risk profile. These are: **J100, F100, N140, N205, T120** and **F110**. We believe that the removal of these industrial liquids will address EPA's concern around potential mixing and any associated risks.

Upon review of the industrial liquid market, we believe there is strong demand for the following low-risk industrial liquids with known sources. We therefore **continue to seek approval** from DPIE and EPA to receive and process the following industrial liquids as part of this modification:

- **K110 Grease trap waste** – from SUEZ customer base of restaurants and shopping centres. We expect to receive up to 15,000 tonnes per annum.
- **J120 Waste oil / hydrocarbons** – from our airport contracts, services contracts with gas infrastructure companies and workshops. We expect to receive up to 5,000 tonnes per annum.
- **M250 Surface activity agents** – from Sydney Airport and airport operations such as plane washing and manufacturing customers. We expect to receive up to 5,000 tonnes per annum.

Acknowledging EPA's ongoing concern about the potential for odour generation associated with the increased liquid waste treatment capability at the Spring Farm site, we have engaged ERM to prepare an updated technical memo to update the odour assessment and provide commentary on the operating systems. To ensure we are aligned on expectations, we would appreciate a call with you and our technical consultant (ERM) to understand what EPA would like to see in the assessment.

I understand the challenges associated with the tight timeframes and therefore will make ourselves available tomorrow for a call with you (and your team). Could please advise of your availability. Once we clarify the EPA's requirements, we will aim to provide the technical memo by mid-next week to the EPA and DPIE.

Please contact me should you have any queries, however if I am not immediately available, please contact Carol Ng on 0439 449 380 or Kelly Gee on 0429 808 696 in order to arrange a time for a phone meeting.

Regards

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