



NORTH CAROLINA
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Mr. Brian D. Long
Plant Manager
Chemours Fayetteville Works
22828 NC Highway 87 W
Fayetteville NC 28306

Re: Consent Order Paragraph 19- Public Water Feasibility Analysis- For Cumberland County Residences on the West Side of the Cape Fear River

Dear Mr. Long,

Paragraph 19 of the Consent Order states that “Chemours shall establish and properly maintain permanent replacement drinking water supplies in the form of public water or whole building filtration system for any party (household, business, school, or public building) with a private drinking water well that has been found through testing validated by the NC Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) to be contaminated with concentrations of GenX compounds in excess of 140 ng/L, or any applicable health advisory, whichever is lower.” DEQ has reviewed the Feasibility Study Report for Public Water Services, Chemours Fayetteville Works prepared by Parsons on behalf of Chemours submitted in June 2018 and updated in January of 2019. DEQ also reviewed the report with representatives from Cumberland and Bladen Counties and requested their feedback.

The feasibility study report focuses on four distinct areas around the Chemours Plant: Bladen County west of the Cape Fear River, Bladen County east of the Cape Fear River, Cumberland County west of the Cape Fear River and Cumberland County east of the Cape Fear River. This letter addresses the area in Cumberland County west of the Cape Fear River where private well sampling continues.

Paragraph 25 of the Consent Order allows for Chemours to seek one or more extensions of up to three months for such deadlines for good cause. DEQ received a request from Chemours on January 21, 2020 for an extension of the deadline. DEQ understands that several replacement water supply options are under review. Therefore, DEQ hereby grants an extension of 3 months,



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until May 25, 2020 for the company to comply with the requirements of paragraph 19 of the Consent Order for the affected wells in Cumberland County west of the Cape Fear River.

Sincerely,



Sheila Holman
Assistant Secretary for the Environment

