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Ms. Rachel Leiton, Director Division of Energy Employees Occupational Illness Compensation U.S. Department of Labor 200 Constitution Avenue, N.W., Room C-3321 Washington, District of Columbia 20210

Dear Ms. Leiton:

On behalf of the Secretary of the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), and as required by 42 C.F.R. § 83.17(d), I am notifying you of the final effect of the HHS decision to designate a class of employees from Vitro Manufacturing in Canonsburg, PA, as an addition to the Special Exposure Cohort (SEC) under the Energy Employees Occupational Illness Compensation Program Act of 2000. On October 18, 2011, as provided for under 42 U.S.C. § 7384q(b), the Secretary of HHS designated the following class of employees as an addition to the SEC:

All Atomic Weapons Employees who worked at Vitro Manufacturing in Canonsburg, Pennsylvania, from January 1, 1960 through September 30, 1965, for a number of work days aggregating at least 250 work days, occurring either solely under this employment or in combination with work days within the parameters established for one or more other classes of employees in the Special Exposure Cohort.

This designation became effective on November 17, 2011, as provided for under 42 U.S.C. § 7384*l*(14)(C). Hence, beginning on November 17, 2011, members of this class of employees, defined as reported in this notice, became members of the SEC.

Sincerely,

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Stuart L. Hinnefeld, Director Division of Compensation Analysis and Support National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health