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Tom Mueller, Chief
Department of the Army
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Seattle District, Regulatory Branch
P.O. Box 3755
Seattle, WA 98124

Dear Mr. Mueller:

Re: Corps Reference Number 1996-4-02325, Port of Seattle

Pursuant to 15 CFR § 930.60 the Washington Department of Ecology (Ecology) and the Port of Seattle (Port) are writing to inform you that they have mutually agreed to extend the six-month review deadline for Ecology's review of the Port's Certification of Consistency with the Washington State Coastal Zone Management Program.

Ecology and the Port have agreed to extend the review period until December 27, 2001. The additional time is necessary to allow Ecology to complete its review.

If you have any questions regarding this matter please contact Ann Kenny of the Department of Ecology at 425-649-4310 or Elizabeth Leavitt of the Port of Seattle at 206-433-7203.

Sincerely,

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