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Ms. Sarah Porter, Conservation Agent
New Bedford Conservation Commission
133 William Street
New Bedford, MA 02740

**RE: *Permanent Solution Statement
302 Herman Melville Blvd
New Bedford, Massachusetts
MADEP RTN # 4-25440***

Dear Sir or Madam:

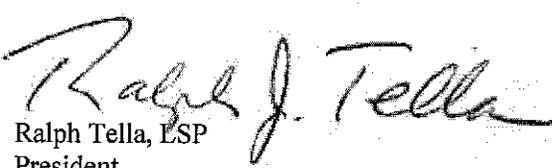
Lord Associates, Inc. has recently completed an environmental cleanup on the above referenced Site in accordance with applicable regulations of the Massachusetts Contingency Plan (310 CMR 40.0000).

A release of petroleum occurred on January 5, 2015 in New Bedford Harbor originating from the Site. The source of the release was determined to be a hydraulic oil tank located on a grounded barge. Approximately six (6) gallons of petroleum was released on the barge; some oil migrated onto the water surface, but was limited to the area between two barges.

Conditions at the Site are consistent with requirements for a Permanent Solution Statement, whereby a permanent solution has been achieved and no deed restriction is required.

A copy of the completed report can be reviewed and/or copied at the Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection (MADEP) Southeast Regional Office in Lakeville, Massachusetts or on-line at www.mass.gov/dep. This letter was submitted to satisfy public notification requirements of the MCP.

Sincerely,
LORD ASSOCIATES, INC.


Ralph Tella, ESP
President

cc: MADEP-Southeast Regional Office

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