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Date: January 25, 2007

Whirlpool Corporation

Attn: Mr. J. Scott Horton, REM

Technical Coordinator- Environmental, Health and Safety

Fort Smith Division 6400 Jenny Lind Road Fort Smith, AR 72917-7001

RE: Whirlpool Corporation - Fort Smith, Arkansas

Corrective Action Strategy (CAS) Work Plan Addendum

Dated September 1, 2006

AFIN No. 66-00048 EPA No. ARD042755389

Dear Mr. Horton:

The Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality - Hazardous Waste Division (ADEQ) has completed their review of Corrective Action Strategy (CAS) Work Plan Addendum. The revised CAS Work Plan dated June 25, 2004 and the Addendum dated September 1, 2006 are approved.

Per discussion in the June 2006 meeting and the contents of the aforementioned addendum, Whirlpool is required to remediate the "on-site" contamination (i.e. source area) as well as the off-site groundwater plume. In addition, any future submittals of laboratory data must include acceptance criteria for off-site blanks, field duplicates, matrix spikes and spike duplicates, and all laboratory Quality Assurance.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter. If there are any questions concerning this submittal, please contact me at (501) 682-0837 or e-mail me at mehran@adeq.state.ar.us.

Sincerely.

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