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George Strachan, Executive Director
Gloucester County Improvement Authority
109 Budd Boulevard
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Dear Mr. Strachan:

The Department of Environmental Protection's Division of Solid and Hazardous Waste is in receipt of a request for administrative action to the Gloucester County District Solid Waste Management Plan (County Plan), dated April 3, 2018. The subject request proposes to include a Research, Development and Demonstration (RD&D) project to permit Gloucester County Improvement Authority-Gloucester County Solid Waste Complex (GCIA-GCSWC) to add Waste Type ID 12 (Dry Sewage Sludge) to their current list of approved materials for purposes of landfill cover material or blended landfill cover material at the GCSWC located at 493 Monroeville Road, in Swedesboro Township. This project will involve GCIA-GCSWC landfill accepting up to 160 cubic yards per day of biosolid sludge derived product to be tested to use as an alternative landfill cover material. The landfill will receive the product on a 5 out of 6 day/per week basis and will be staged on an active portion of the landfill, near the working face. Any stockpiles will be in areas that are serviced by leachate collection.

Pursuant to N.J.A.C. 7:26-6.11(b)13, the inclusion of an operation of a RD&D project can be accomplished via an administrative action. Therefore, the County Plan inclusion of the RD&D project at GCIA-GCSWC is hereby approved as an administrative action pursuant to N.J.A.C. 7:26-6.11(f).

Please be advised that this administrative action approval shall not be construed as an expression of the Department's intent to issue a permit modification to the subject facility for the above noted operational changes.

If you have any questions relative to this matter, please contact Joanne McClendon of my staff at (609) 292-2125 or by e-mail at Joanne.mcclendon@dep.nj.gov.

Sincerely,

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