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August 16, 2007

RE: Expression of Interest #DEP14123

To Whom It May Concern:

Please note that due to the size and volume of the Expression of Interest submissions they will not be scanned at this time. If you desire to see the proposals of said firms, do not hesitate to contact me to make arrangements for viewing of the Expression of Interest submissions. You may reach me at phone: (304) 558-2157, fax: (304) 558-4115, or e-mail me at cbowman@wvadmin.gov.

Our address is:

**2019 Washington Street, East
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Sincerely,

Chuck Bowman
Senior Buyer

cc: Purchase Order File

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August 8, 2007

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Attention: Mr. Chuck Bowman, Buyer

Re: Expression of Interest to Provide Professional Design Services for the
Lenox / Cuzzart Waterline Extension in
Northwestern Preston County, West Virginia
RFQ Number DEP14123

Dear Mr. Bowman:

Michael Baker Jr., Inc. (Baker) is pleased to submit this Expression of Interest to provide professional design engineering services for the Lenox / Cuzzart Waterline Extension in Northwestern Preston County, West Virginia. To meet your design requirements Baker has assembled a team of experienced personnel who have performed on previous similar assignments for the West Virginia Department of Environmental Protection, Division of Land Restoration, Abandoned Mine Lands and Reclamation, and also for the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers. Our proposed design team members provided design services for eight (8) waterline extension projects and numerous waterline feasibility studies over the years including the Lenox / Cuzzart Waterline extension feasibility study for WVDEP and are familiar with the project and its design requirements.

We have illustrated our ability to deal with multiple projects without a degradation to the level of quality and service to the Department. We have selected a subcontractor located in West Virginia to assist us (if required) in areas of drilling, and soils and water testing. We feel this firm, Triad Engineering, Inc., will compliment Baker as we proceed with tasks assigned under this contract.

Baker's staff is experienced in all aspects of waterline extension and AML/AMD projects. Baker has been providing engineering services for abandoned mine lands since the Federal government first enacted AML legislation. We have provided these Services for the West Virginia Department of Environmental Protection, the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection, Ohio Department of Natural Resources, and the U.S. Office of Surface Mining to name a few. Our on-going experience since 1983 with WVDEP gives us the confidence to assure you our assignments will be completed on time and within established budgets.

This submittal illustrates our qualifications and experience to deal with any assignments that may arise from this contract. If you have any questions or require additional information concerning our qualifications, experience or approach, please contact our Project Manager, Mr. Greg P. Hynes (724.495.4273) or me (724.495.4207).

Sincerely,

MICHAEL BAKER JR., INC.



N. K. (Hari) Chakravorti, P.E.
Engineering Manager

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