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Mr. Partick Schanen, P.G., Environmental Health Manager LAUSD, Office of Environmental Health and Safety 333 South Beaudry Avenue, 21st Floor Los Angeles, California 90017

STOCKPILE IN ATLAS IRON AND METAL COMPANY, INC.

Dear Mr. Schanen:

This is to follow-up to the Los Angeles Unified School District's (LAUSD) concerns regarding the height of Atlas Metals scrap piles located near the Jordan High School property boundary wall. The Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) conducted remediation on the north westerly corner portion of the Atlas facility (Property) in 2006 and 2008. The remediation included excavations of soil and installation of reinforced concrete slab cap over the Property (see enclosure). Following the remediation, a Land Use Covenant (LUC) was recorded on October 20, 2008, to restrict the use of the Property. The LAUSD requested that DTSC review its current Covenant with Atlas to determine if modifications are warranted to enforce City of Los Angeles requirements for scrap metal pile at the Property.

At the advisement of DTSC's Legal office we cannot modify the LUC. DTSC conducted a site visit to inspect the Property on Thursday January 10-th, 2019. The Property is currently completely empty, the LUC does not restrict the operation on the other portion of Atlas facility where the stockpile existed. The City of Los Angeles is the agency responsible in overseeing the operations and would be the appropriate agency to impose any operational restrictions at the Atlas facility.

If you have any questions regarding this issue, please contact me at (818) 717-6538 or e-mail to Haissam.Salloum@dtsc.ca.gov.

Sincerely,

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10010 ALAMEDA ST. LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA REED INTERNATIONAL, LTD. SITE PLAN STREET ALAMEDA LANDSCAPING PARKING FEET SCALE 40 BUILDING CROSS SECTION (SEE FIG 3) LEGEND: BUILDING INSTALL (N) 10 FT HIGH POST AND PANEL WALL (N) 6" REINFORCED CONC SLAB (E) 10' HIGH CINDER BLOCK WALL - DEMOLISH (E) ENCASED SEWER LINE (E) SEWER MANHOLE TOP OF ENCASEMENT 100.7' (E) ABUTMENT 102.75' TOS 103.5° **GMA9** TBM 100.0°

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