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Dear Saginaw Resident:

According to the MDEQ's records, your property has been classified as Priority 2 under The Dow Chemical Company's IRAs, and you have recently received a packet from AKTPEERLESS, a contractor for Dow. You also may be a member of a class of flood plain property owners that has been certified by the Saginaw County Circuit Court as a class action lawsuit against Dow regarding dioxin contamination (*Henry et al. v. The Dow Chemical Co.*, No. 03-47775-NZ (Hon. Leopold P. Borrello). The undersigned lawyers have been appointed by the Saginaw County Circuit Court as counsel for the class in that case. This class action lawsuit is currently on appeal to the Michigan Court of Appeals. We understand that many of you have had questions regarding the Residential Property Use Activity Survey, and the License Agreement you received with the packet.

With respect to the Activity Survey, we have learned from the MDEQ that filling out and returning the Activity Survey is entirely voluntary. You will still be eligible for the same mitigation options that you would otherwise receive even if you choose not to fill out the Activity Survey. If you do choose to fill out the Activity Survey, we recommend that in conformance with the MDEQ's position, you include a statement on the survey that indicates that the survey has been completed based on how the property would normally be used in the absence of any actual / potential contamination. If you have already returned the Activity Survey, and now wish to retract it, you should send a letter, fax, or email to AKTPEERLESS stating that you did not realize the Activity Survey was optional, and that you wish to have it returned to you, along with any copies made of it.

With respect to the License Agreement, it is our understanding that you will not be eligible for any mitigation measures if you do not sign and return the License Agreement. However, if you decide to enter into the License Agreement, you have certain rights under that Agreement. You may want to include some or all of the following paragraph with your License Agreement:

To Whom It May Concern:

Pursuant to the information contained in your cover letter, I request that representatives of the MDEQ be present during and participate in any visits to my property. I further request that the MDEQ evaluate any mitigation measures that

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are offered by Dow or AKTPEERLESS. With respect to any sampling on my property, I request that the MDEQ receive advance notice of any sampling and be present to observe any sampling by Dow or its contractors, and that splits of all samples collected by Dow or its contractors from my property be retained and made available for audit by MDEQ and/or any other entity identified by the MDEQ. I further request that copies of any further written correspondence from Dow, its contractors, or the MDEQ be copied to Stueve Siegel Hanson Woody, 330 W.47th Street, Suite 250, Kansas City, MO 64112.

Include your signature and address if you choose to send in this paragraph. Again, if you have already returned your License Agreement, and wish to include the language above, you can mail, fax, or email that language to AKTPEERLESS. You should keep copies of anything you send to them. You should be aware that you may cancel the License Agreement at any time by giving Dow 30 days written notice that you want to terminate the Agreement.

If you have any questions, please contact Sherry Barry, (816) 714-7100, or Tara Inzerillo, (816) 474-8100.

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