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Sarah Kronholm,

DEQ has completed its review and approves the revised Cleaner Air Oregon (CAO) Emissions Inventory (Inventory) and Combined Modeling Protocol and Level 3 Risk Assessment Work Plan (Work Plan) submitted by SLR International Corporation on behalf of the Columbia Steel Casting Company, Inc. (CSCC) in Portland, OR, in accordance with OAR 340-245-0050(1). The revised Inventory was submitted on August 23, 2022, and the revised Work Plan was submitted on November 30, 2021.

DEQ has discussed the potential facility closure with CSCC, but has not received a formal notice of closure or curtailment to date. DEQ acknowledges CSCC has multiple potential paths forward regarding the CAO process, including, but not limited to:

- Cessation of operations and termination of the permit before the Risk Assessment due date
- Cessation of operations and revision of the Inventory and Work Plan to reflect the curtailment of onsite activities before the Risk Assessment due date.

The next step in the CAO process is to complete and submit the Level 3 Risk Assessment as soon as possible, and no later than March 4, 2023, in accordance with OAR 340-245-0030. Please note that no fees are due at the time of Risk Assessment submittal.

Please contact Kenzie Billings (503.866.8741, <u>kenzie.billings@deq.oregon.gov</u>) if you have any questions. We look forward to your continued assistance with this process.

Sincerely,

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