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Mr. Buenger,

The Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) has completed our review of the revised Modeling Protocol and Risk Assessment Work Plan submitted by the Owens-Brockway Glass Container Inc. (Owens) facility in Portland, OR on January 18, 2021 as part of the Cleaner Air Oregon (CAO) program.

In accordance with OAR 340-245-0210(1), this letter provides written notice to you that DEQ has reviewed and approves the January 2021 submittals. DEQ approves these submittals with the following items noted in your Risk Assessment Work Plan:

1. The worker and non-residential child exposure risk-based concentration (RBC) for hexane is 3,100 $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$. Please use this RBC in your Level 3 Risk Assessment.
2. Please include the RBCs and assess risk for *silica, crystalline (respirable)* listed in OAR 340-245-8040 Table 4 in your Level 3 Risk Assessment.

DEQ expects to consult with Owens on next steps, including timing, on submittal of your Level 3 Risk Assessment. Please contact me directly at 503.229.5247, billings.kenzie@deq.state.or.us if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

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