November 8, 2019

Colonel Joseph R. Kurz, Commander
Blue Grass Army Depot
431 Battlefield Memorial Highway
Richmond, Kentucky 40475-5060

RE: Approval of Temporary Authorization Request for the Container Storage Facility
Blue Grass Chemical Agent-Destruction Pilot Plant (BGCAPP)
Blue Grass Army Depot (BGAD)
Richmond, Madison County, Kentucky
EPA ID: KY8-213-820-105, AI# 2805, Activity No. APE20190012

Dear Colonel Kurz,

The Division of Waste Management (Division) has reviewed the Temporary Authorization Request (TAR) submitted October 31, 2019 for the use of the Container Storage Facility (CSF). This request was preceded by submittal of the Class 3 Hazardous Waste Storage & Treatment Modification Request, Addition of a Container Storage Facility, dated May 10, 2019. The Division determined that the application was technically complete on October 25, 2019; the CSF modification is currently in the 45-day public comment period. The facility is located at BGAD, owned by BGAD, and it will be operated by Bechtel Parsons Blue Grass Joint Venture (BPBG).

In accordance with 401 KAR 39:060 Section 5 (40 CFR 270.42(e)), the Division hereby approves the TAR. BPBG and BGAD have approval to utilize the Container Storage Facility for storage of hazardous waste in accordance with the draft permit which is currently in public notice. However, BPBG is required to notify the Division prior to the first movement of waste material into the CSF.

The term of this Temporary Authorization is up to 180 days. Any modifications to this Temporary Authorization must be approved by the Division.

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If you have any questions concerning this matter, please do not hesitate to contact Mr. Dale Burton by phone at (502) 782-6331 or at dale.burton@ky.gov.

Sincerely,

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