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SUBJECT: Consent Decree (Case: No. 1:12-cv-24400-FAM) Reference DOJ Case No. 90-5-1-1-4022/1 Section V, Paragraph 9 – Public Document Repository, Section IX Paragraph 52 Force Majeure, Section XVII, Paragraph 77 – Notice, Public Document Repository Lapse in Availability

Dear Sir or Madam:

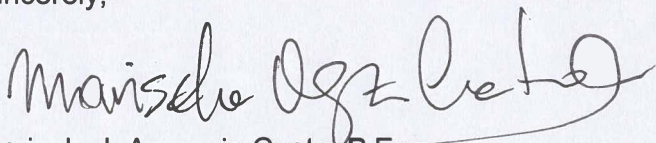
In accordance with the provisions of Paragraph 52 of the above referenced Consent Decree, on July 8, 2026, Miami-Dade County (County) electronically notified the U.S Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and the State of Florida Department of Environmental Protection (FDEP) that the Consent Decree Public Document Repository (PDR) was unavailable to the public. This lapse in public access resulted from a faulty connection between the PDR and the document library and lasted for an estimated 4 days. The issue was identified on July 6, 2026, and the County acted promptly to restore public access. The PDR became fully available again on July 9, 2026. The alert functions that generate notifications when new or revised documents are posted to the PDR remained fully operational throughout and were never interrupted.

I certify under penalty of law that this document and all attachments were prepared under my direction or supervision in accordance with a system designed to assure that qualified personnel properly gather and evaluate the information submitted. Based on my inquiry of the person or persons who manage the system, or those persons directly responsible for gathering such information, the information submitted is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true, accurate and complete. I am aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false information, including the possibility of fine and imprisonment for knowing violations.

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Should you have any questions regarding this matter, please call me at (786) 552-8894.

Sincerely,



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