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*Vanasse Hangen Brustlin, Inc.*

September 16, 2005

Mr. Chuck Schnepel  
U.S. ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS  
Tampa Regulatory Office  
Post Office Box 19247  
Tampa, Florida 33686

**Reference: Mosaic Fertilizer, LLC**  
**Permit 199902004 (IP-JB)**

Dear Chuck:

I am writing to confirm and modify the expiration date of U.S. Army Corps of Engineers permit #199902004(IP-JB) dated January 2, 2001. As you may recall, this permit was apparently issued without a specified expiration date and a request was made May 10, 2004 to assign a January 2, 2006 expiration date, in keeping with the typical five-year duration of an individual permit.

Although an expiration date is not specified by this permit, the purpose of this correspondence is to request a one-year extension to allow completion of the permitted activities. It is presumed the requested permit expiration date would, therefore, be January 2, 2007. Extensions have been granted to the Environmental Resource Permit 29-01583313-001, Hillsborough County Environmental Protection Commission authorization, and Tampa Port Authority Permit #00-079. An extension has also been granted to the Development Order conditions related to the Archie Creek construction.

I look forward to your favorable consideration of this request. If you need any additional information, please feel free to give me a call.

Respectfully provided,

VANASSE HANGEN BRUSTLIN, INC.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads 'Clayton'.

H. Clayton Robertson  
Principal Scientist

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cc: Trish Stratton – Mosaic, Land Office  
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