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Mr. Terrence McCarthy
Pierce County Deputy Hearing Examiner
902 S. 10th St.
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BRICKLIN NEWMAN DOLD, LLP

RE: AA16-07 Taylor-Foss Geoduck farm Request for Reconsideration

Dear Examiner McCarthy,

In a transmittal dated April 18, 2008, you provided the County until May 2, 2008, to respond to Taylor's comments on our Request for Reconsideration. We have reviewed their comments and provide the following:

We agree that the determination of which shoreline environment this project is located in was not the issue in this case. Accordingly, this Department has no objection to deleting those portions of the decision that state which shoreline environment this project is in. This Department, however, reserves the right to review any new shoreline applications submitted for this site in accordance with the correct shoreline environment as set forth in the County Shoreline Master Program.

Thank you for the opportunity to comment. Should you have any questions, I may be contacted at 253-798-3727, fax 253-798-7425 or email: <u>tbooth@co.pierce.wa.us</u>

Sincerely,

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