Jamie Ingraham

From: Sent: To: Cc: Subject: Angela_Boyer@fws.gov Monday, July 21, 2008 3:59 PM Jamie Ingraham Merrill Tawse; Ron.Ollis@dnr.state.oh.us; Suzie.Prange@dnr.state.oh.us RE: Bat Survey Scope, Lockheed Martin Site



DisinfectionProtocol

Dear Ms. Ingraham Willaman,

This is in response to your July 21, 2008 study plan requesting an amendment to Merrill Tawse's Federal Fish and Wildlife Permit No. TE1576792-0 to conduct a 2008 summer mist-net survey and radio-telemetry study for the Indiana bat (Myotis sodalis) at the 8.5-acre Lockheed Martin Site in Akron, Summit County, Ohio.

Please note the following new requirements for the 2008 field season:

- Due to concerns over White Nose Syndrome, we are now requiring that the Disinfection Protocol for Bat Field Studies be followed for all bat survey work in conducted in Ohio. The protocol is attached.

- We request that all Indiana bats be banded utilizing the NEW Ohio Department of Natural Resources, Division of Wildlife (DOW) bands. Please contact Suzie Prange (DOW) for questions and to request bands (740) 589-9924.

The Service has reviewed your proposal for the Indiana bat survey. This notification serves as written concurrence that Merrill Tawse is authorized to proceed with the Indiana bat survey as described in your request. Upon completion of the survey, we request that you submit a copy of the survey results to this office for review. Please include the latitude and longitude coordinates for the survey site in the report. If any Indiana bats are found during the survey, please notify this office within 48 hours.

Please carry a copy of this site specific authorization and your Federal permit while conducting the survey. If you have questions, or if we may be of further assistance in this matter, please contact me.

Sincerely, Angela Boyer Endangered Species Coordinator for Ohio U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service 6950 Americana Parkway, Suite H Reynoldsburg, OH 43068 (614) 469-6923, ext. 22 (614) 469-6919 FAX angela_boyer@fws.gov

(See attached file: 2008 BatDisinfectionProtocol.pdf)

"Jamie Ingraham" <jingraham@enviro scienceinc.com> Subject RE: Bat Survey Scope, Lockheed Martin Site

Angie,

As part of our proposal of work to the client we state that if any Indiana Bats are captured they will be fitted with a radio tag and tracked according the latest standards of the USFWS. So yes they are aware that this will be the protocol if I-bats are found. Believe me I would love the chance to try my telemetry skills.

Thanks,

Jamie Ingraham Willaman Wetland Project Manager EnviroScience Inc. 800 Ridge Road Ambridge, PA 15003 (412) 310-2614 (724) 318-8320 fax -----Original Message-----From: Angela_Boyer@fws.gov [mailto:Angela_Boyer@fws.gov] Sent: Monday, July 21, 2008 3:21 PM To: Jamie Ingraham Cc: Angela_Boyer@fws.gov; 'Brooke Harrison'

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Would Arcadis consider including radio telemetry of Indiana bats as part of this study?

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Please find attached a survey scope for an Indiana Bat mist net survey on an 8.5 acre property in Akron, Summit County, Ohio. The project is called the Lockheed Martin Site and the client is Arcadis. Please review the information and call me with any questions or concerns you may have. We would like to do this survey as soon as possible and hope to get out this weekend, as the conditions are right and the season is quickly coming to an end. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

Jamie Ingraham Willaman Wetland Project Manager EnviroScience Inc. 800 Ridge Road Ambridge, PA 15003 (412) 310-2614 (724) 318-8320 fax (See attached file: Lockheed_Bat_Survey_Scope.pdf)