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Mr. Vincent Scuilla  
President  
Osprey Biotechnics  
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Sarasota, FL 34243

Dear Mr. Scuilla:

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency applauds Osprey Biotechnics for your environmental leadership in developing *Munox*<sup>®</sup>. EPA's Design for the Environment ("DfE") program seeks to promote the use of biological wastewater treatment for industrial and commercial applications with improved environmental and human health characteristics. *Munox*<sup>®</sup> fully achieves that objective in the industrial and commercial wastewater sector.

The key purpose of the DfE-Osprey Biotechnics partnership is to recognize and encourage the environmentally preferable chemistry of *Munox*<sup>®</sup> and its related product line. DfE is very enthusiastic about Osprey Biotechnics' successful formulation of these products and about our partnership, the first involving an industrial and commercial biological wastewater treatment. By designing a product line that biologically degrades animal and vegetable fats, oils, and greases, as well as petroleum hydrocarbons, without employing emulsifying agents, Osprey Biotechnics illustrates its active environmental stewardship and dedication to continuous improvement.

Industrial and commercial facilities that use *Munox*<sup>®</sup> to treat waste streams containing fats, oils, and greases or petroleum hydrocarbons will be participants in this important national effort to protect the environment and safeguard human health. I commend Osprey Biotechnics for your commitment to improving the environmental profile and performance of your products—and for leading change in the industry. Much success with the *Munox*<sup>®</sup> family of products!



Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in green ink that reads "Clive Davies".

Clive Davies, Chief  
Design for the Environment