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Dear Environmental Justice Advisory Council,

The Agency of Commerce and Community Development (“ACCD”) is pleased to provide the Environmental Justice Advisory Council with the following annual summary detailing all complaints alleging Environmental Justice issues or Title VI violations and any agency action taken to resolve the complaints, as required pursuant to 3 V.S.A. § 4001(d).

As a covered agency, ACCD is required to implement the Environmental Justice Law and policies set forth at Title 3, Chapter 72. Likewise, as a recipient of federal funds, ACCD is subject to the antidiscrimination requirements of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964.

In the calendar year 2023, ACCD did not receive any complaints alleging environmental justice issues or Title VI violations, and therefore no action to resolve such complaints was taken.

ACCD does not have a system for receiving and processing complaints.

ACCD welcomes the Council’s recommendations and guidance, to continue the important work of identifying, reducing, and eliminating environmental health disparities to improve the health and well-being of all Vermont residents.

Sincerely,

Grace Vinson

Environmental Officer, ACCDss