

FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF Environmental Protection

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Ms. Joyce Gresh Cape Cod Biochemical Inc. 50 Portside Drive Pocasset, Massachusetts 02559

Dear Ms. Gresh:

This letter is to acknowledge receipt of information regarding the proposed use of the Bio-Rem E-D for statewide use in Florida. No product sold in the state for use in onsite sewage treatment and disposal systems may contain any substance in concentrations or amounts that would interfere with, or prevent the successful operation of such system, or that would cause discharges from such systems to violate applicable water quality standards, as required as section 381.0065(4)(m), Florida Statutes (FS).

The Florida Department of Environmental Protection (Department) has reviewed the information provided for the Bio-Rem E-D. Based on the MSDS, LC50 value reported from the 96-Hr Acute Definitive Toxicity Test, and laboratory analysis of VOCs, the Department has determined Bio-Rem E-D complies with s. 381.0065(4)(m), FS, and the criteria published in Rule 64E-6.0151, Florida Administrative Code (FAC). The reviewed formulation, application instructions, and description are for up to 150 grams per week per 100 gallons of septic tank capacity.

The Department has no objection to the use of the product under this name, and in accordance with the manufacturer's label as reviewed. Please be advised that all rules pertaining to the use of the product shall be observed and that there shall be no advertising of the product as "state approved."

Be advised that the Department is not a testing agency and that this determination reflects only a review of the information submitted by you for compliance with Florida Statutes and Florida Administrative Code. The product evaluation does not investigate the validity Ms. Joyce Gresh Page 2 September 9, 2021

of performance claims by manufacturers. For this reason, Departmental determination of compliance must not be interpreted as certifying effectiveness, endorsing, or recommending use of an additive. The Florida Department of Health also does not assume liability for any promise, guarantee, or expectation from purchasing or using an additive. The Department reserves the right to withdraw acceptance if product formulation, ingredients, or labeling are modified after product evaluation by the Department or subsequently found not to comply with Rule 64E-6.0151, FAC, or s. 381.0065, FS.

This letter of product compliance for the Bio-Rem E-D product is limited to the Department's jurisdictional circumstances as defined in Rule 64E-6, FAC and s. 381.0065, FS.

If we may be of further assistance or should you have any additional questions regarding this letter, please contact Debby Tipton at Debby. Tipton@floridadep.gov or at 850-245-8629.

Sincerely,

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