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National Park Service
Cape Hatteras National Seashore
Attn: Sabrina S. Henry
1401 National Park Drive
Manteo, North Carolina 27954

By Certified U.S. Mail – Return Receipt Requested

**Re: CAMA Variance Request by North Carolina Department of Transportation
113 Airport Drive, Suite 100, Edenton, North Carolina, 27932**

Dear Ms. Henry,

The purpose of this letter is to notify you that the North Carolina Department of Transportation (NCDOT) is applying for a variance from the North Carolina Coastal Resources Commission (CRC) rules pertaining to sandbags to allow the use of a nonconforming sandbag to construct a temporary short-term erosion control structure to protect NC HWY 12 in the hot spot north of the pony pens on Ocracoke Island. This is the same project currently authorized by Special Use Permit no. USA20-5700-001 Revision 1. You are receiving this notice as an adjacent property owner Certified Mail Return Receipt Requested as required by CRC rules per North Carolina Administrative Code 7J.0701(c)(7). A copy of this letter and proof of delivery will be submitted as a component of the variance petition.

The variance is expected to be heard at the June 10-11, 2020 meeting of the CRC. If you wish to receive further information concerning the variance, you may contact me. If you wish to make further comments on the variance, you may direct your comments to the North Carolina Division of Coastal Management, 943 Washington Square Mall, Washington, North Carolina 27889. You may also contact a Division of Coastal Management representative at (252) 946-6481. If you have any questions or comments regarding this communication, please do not hesitate to contact me at (919) 707-4533. Thank you for your time and consideration in this matter.

Respectfully,

Colin Justice
Assistant Attorney General
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Attorney for NCDOT