



State of Ohio Environmental Protection Agency

Southeast District Office

2195 Front Street
Logan, Ohio 43138

TELE: (740) 385-8501 FAX: (740) 385-6490
www.epa.state.oh.us

Ted Strickland, Governor
Lee Fisher, Lieutenant Governor
Chris Korleski, Director

July 11, 2008

**Re: Washington County
RJF International Corporation
Compliance Evaluation Inspection
Correspondence (IWW)**

Mr. Eric Kerns, Env. Health & Safety Manager
RJF International Corporation
P.O. Box 657
Oak Grove
Marietta, Ohio 45750

Dear Mr. Kerns:

On June 12, 2008, a Compliance Evaluation Inspection (CEI) was conducted at RJF International Corporation in Marietta, Ohio. The purpose of the inspection was to determine RJF's compliance with its National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) Permit. Present for the inspection were Eric Kerns and Dick Varga, consultant, representing RJF and Stephen Wells representing Ohio EPA, Division of Surface Water, Southeast District Office. No wastewater samples were collected as part of the inspection. A copy of my inspection is attached.

As a result of the inspection, I have the following comments:

1. The sand filter beds had grass and weeds growing. RJF stated that they had scheduled maintenance to remove the grass and weeds from the filter beds. Please inform this office when the grass and weeds have been removed.
2. RJF is planning on replacing the sand in the filter beds in October, 2008. The sand is being replaced due the flooding of the Muskingum River over the top of the beds in the past year.
3. RJF was late in submitting its Monthly Operating Report (MOR) for the month of April, 2008. According to Mr. Kerns the required sampling was completed, however due to changes in the environmental staff, the report was not submitted. Mr. Kerns stated the report would be submitted via the e-DMR system once a new pin number is received from Ohio EPA.

The Ohio EPA strongly encourages pollution prevention as the preferred approach for waste management. The first priority of pollution prevention is to eliminate the generation of wastes and pollutants at the source (source reduction). For those wastes or pollutants that are generated, the second priority is to recycle or reuse them in an environmentally sound manner. You can benefit economically, help preserve the environment, and improve your public image by implementing pollution prevention programs. For more information about pollution prevention, including fact sheets or U.S. EPA's "Facility Pollution Prevention Guide" (EPA/600/R-92.008), please contact the Ohio EPA Pollution Prevention Section at (614) 644-3469.

In conclusion, RJF International Corporation appeared to be in compliance with its NPDES Permit at the time of the inspection, except for the submittal of the MOR. Once the MOR is submitted, RJF will have addressed this issue to the satisfaction of the Ohio EPA.

Please respond to Comment # 1 in writing to this office within 15 days of receipt of this letter.

If you have any questions, feel free to contact me at (740) 380-5434.

Sincerely,



Stephen Wells
District Representative
Division of Surface Water

SW/dh

Enclosure

**NPDES
Compliance Inspection Report**

A. NATIONAL DATA SYSTEM CODING

Permit No.	NPDES No.	Date	Inspection Type	Inspector	Facility Type
0IQ00020*HD	OH0004804	June 12, 2008	C	S	2

B. FACILITY DATA

Name and Location of Facility Inspected	Entry Time	Permit Effective Date
RJF International Corp. B.F. Goodrich Road Oak Grove, Marietta Township, Ohio	11:10 a.m.	May 1, 2006
	Exit Time	Permit Expiration Date
	12:10 p.m.	April 30, 2011

Name(s) and Title(s) of On-Site Representative(s)	Phone Number(s)
Eric Kerns, Environmental Health & Safety Manager	(740) 374-0817
Name, Address and Title of Responsible Official	Phone Number
Randy Marvel, Vice President of Manufacturing RJF International Corp. P.O. Box 657, Oak Grove Marietta, Ohio 45750	(740) 374-6400

C. AREAS EVALUATED DURING INSPECTION

<u> </u> S Permit	<u> </u> S Flow Measurement	<u> </u> N/A Pretreatment
<u> </u> S Records/Reports	<u> </u> N Laboratory	<u> </u> N/A Compliance Schedules
<u> </u> S Operations & Maintenance	<u> </u> S Effluent/Receiving Waters	<u> </u> S Self-Monitoring Program
<u> </u> S Facility Site Review	<u> </u> S Sludge Storage/Disposal	<u> </u> Other
<u> </u> N/A Collection System		

(S = Satisfactory, M = Marginal, U = Unsatisfactory, N = Not Evaluated)

D. SUMMARY OF FINDINGS/COMMENTS (attach additional sheets if necessary)

See attached letter.



 Stephen Wells, Inspector, Ohio EPA, Southeast District Office

7/11/08

 Date



 Timothy M. Campbell, Reviewer, Ohio EPA, Southeast District Office

7/11/08

 Date