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January 8, 2010

**Re: Lawrence County  
Hecla Water Association  
Compliance Evaluation Inspection  
0IW00033\*CD  
Correspondence (IWW)**

Mr. Tim Dalton, Engineer  
Hecla Water Association  
3190 State Route 141  
Ironton, Ohio 45638

Dear Mr. Dalton:

On December 10, 2009, I conducted a Compliance Evaluation Inspection (CEI) at Hecla Water Association's water treatment plant. The purpose of the inspection was to determine Hecla's compliance with its National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) Permit. Present for the inspection were: Edgar Dial representing Hecla and Stephen Wells and Vicki German representing Ohio EPA, Southeast District Office. A copy of my inspection report is attached. As a result of my inspection, I have the following comments:

1. The sanitary sewerage facility appeared to be in good operating condition.
2. The facility has replaced the blowers on the sanitary treatment facility to allow for better operation of the treatment plant.
3. No discharge was occurring at the time of the inspection at the sanitary sewerage treatment plant.

In conclusion, Hecla Water Association appeared to be in compliance with its NPDES Permit at the time of the inspection.

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

Sincerely,

Stephen Wells  
District Representative  
Division of Surface Water

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Enclosure

c: Edgar Dial, Supt., Hecla Water Association

**NPDES**  
Compliance Inspection Report

**A. NATIONAL DATA SYSTEM CODING**

Permit No.	NPDES No.	Date	Inspection Type	Inspector	Facility Type
01W00033*CD	OH0076031	December 10, 2009	C	S	2

**B. FACILITY DATA**

Name and Location of Facility Inspected	Entry Time	Permit Effective Date
Hecla Water Association Water Treatment Plant State Route 7 Proctorville, Ohio	9:30 a.m.	August 1, 2006
	Exit Time	Permit Expiration Date
	10:10 a.m.	July 31, 2011

Name(s) and Title(s) of On-Site Representative(s)	Phone Number(s)
Edgar Dials, Superintendent	(740) 886-8863
Name, Address and Title of Responsible Official	Phone Number
Tim Dalton, Engineer Hecla Water Association 3190 State Route 141 Ironton, Ohio 45638	(740) 533-0526

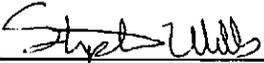
**C. AREAS EVALUATED DURING INSPECTION**

<u>  </u> S Permit	<u>  </u> S Flow Measurement	<u>  </u> -- Pretreatment
<u>  </u> S Records/Reports	<u>  </u> S Laboratory	<u>  </u> -- 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> -- Collection System		

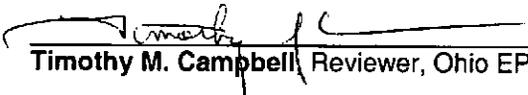
(S = Satisfactory, M = Marginal, U = Unsatisfactory, N = Not Evaluated)

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

See attached letter.

  
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Stephen Wells, Inspector, Ohio EPA, Southeast District Office

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Date

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

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