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Re: Hawk Enterprise  
~~Lucas Co.~~ *Allen Co.*  
Complaint #2689  
2<sup>nd</sup> NOV

December 13, 2007

Mr. Ken Hawk  
Hawk Enterprise  
1900 Reservoir Road  
Lima, Ohio 45804

Dear Mr. Hawk:

On August 21, 2007, Gary Deutschman and I conducted a complaint investigation of Hawk Enterprise, 1900 Reservoir Road in Lima, Ohio. *On September 20, 2007, you were sent a Notice of Violation (NOV) letter. I have not received a response from you and need a response within 21 days upon your receipt of this letter to abate the following violations:*

**1) Off-site shipments of used oil by generators, OAC Rule 3745-279-24:**

Generators shall ensure that their used oil is transported only by transporters who have obtained U.S. EPA identification numbers.

Currently, you give your used oil to Mike Snyder's Auto Service (7151 Reservoir Road) who burns it in their furnace. Used oil generators have three options for handling their used oil: **1)** Generators must have their used oil transported by an entity that has a U.S. EPA identification number and ensure their used oil is recycled; **2)** Generators may transport less than 55-gallons of their own used oil to a registered used oil collection center. I have enclosed a copy of registered used oil collection centers in the state; or **3)** Hawk Enterprise may burn its own used oil in an on-site space heater as long as all applicable requirements are met.

**In order to abate this violation, Hawk Enterprise must either**

**1)** submit a copy to me of a contract or some type of documentation indicating a transporter with a U.S. EPA identification number will be picking up Hawk Enterprise's used oil and appropriately recycling it or

**2)** a disposal receipt from the off-site shipment of your used oil (if the facility is due for a pick-up) indicating that a transporter with a U.S. EPA identification number is now transporting their used oil and that the used oil is taken to an appropriate recycling facility or

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- 3) Hawk Enterprise must submit a copy of a receipt from the drop-off of their used oil at a registered used oil collection center or
- 4) a summary outlining how you plan to manage your used oil if you decide to purchase a used oil furnace.

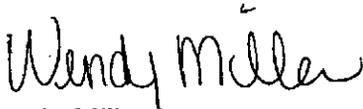
**2) Labeling of Used Oil, OAC 3745-279-22(C):**

Generators must label or mark containers holding used oil with the words "Used Oil".

You had one 55-gallon drum storing used oil that was not properly labeled "Used Oil".  
**To abate this violation, you must properly label the drum "Used Oil" and send or email me a photograph showing that this has been done.**

If you have any questions, please contact me at (419) 373-3114.

Sincerely,



Wendy Miller  
Division of Hazardous Waste Management

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pc: Colleen Weaver, DHWM, NWDO  
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NOTE: Failure to list specific deficiencies in this communication does not relieve you from the responsibility of complying with all applicable regulations.