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Re: Lima Auto Mall
Allen County
Hazardous Waste Inspection
Return to Compliance
OHR 000 042 028

November 18, 2008

Mr. Rodger L. McClain, VP
Lima Auto Mall
2100 North Cable Road
Lima, Ohio 45805

Dear Mr. McClain:

Thank you for your October 31, 2008, response to Ohio EPA's October 6, 2008, Notice of Violation letter. The documentation you submitted included a copy of the spent paint booth filters waste evaluation and statement confirming that, from now on, you are planning to manage your spent light bulbs as universal waste. As part of the waste evaluation of the paint booth filters, you took a sample of the spent filters and had it analyzed for ignitability, volatile organic compounds (TCLP), and RCRA metals (TCLP). The analytical results indicated that the spent filters were not a hazardous waste; therefore, you stated that you are planning to dispose of the spent filters as non-hazardous waste.

My review of this documentation reveals that Lima Auto Mall (LAM) has now abated all violations discovered during the September 24, 2008, inspection as listed below:

| Letter Citation # | Rule Citation |
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| 1 | OAC Rule 3745-52-11, Waste Evaluation |
| 2 | OAC Rule 3745-279-22(C)(1), Handling of Containers - Labeling |

Should you have any questions or if I can be of assistance, please contact me at (419) 373-3015.

Sincerely,

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