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John P. Ellis
 United Precast, Inc.
 P.O. Box 991
 Roundhouse Lane
 Mt. Vernon, OH 43050-7991

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 X *IRINA ELLIS* Agent Addressee

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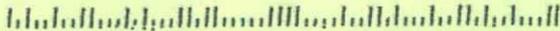
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November 27, 2006

RE: Notice of Violation

John P. Ellis
United Precast, Inc.
P.O. Box 991
Roundhouse Lane
Mt. Vernon, OH 43050-7991

Dear Mr. Ellis:

This letter is written as a follow up to storm water inspections at your facility located in Mt. Vernon, along the Kokosing River, on November 15 and 20, 2006. The inspections were conducted as a result of a complaint received on November 11, 2006. I understand you are currently covered under our General Storm Water Permit Associated with Industrial Activities. Based on my inspections and the conditions of the General Permit, the following items must be addressed to further reduce the threat of storm water quality and illicit discharges to the Kokosing River:

Vehicle and/or Equipment Washing: Please be aware, the General Storm Water Permit does not authorize the discharge associated with vehicle wash outs, cement wash outs or vehicle and equipment cleaning. This water would be considered processed wastewater and must be authorized under a separate individual National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System Permit. Previously, in April of 2003, representatives of this facility stated that there would be no discharge of wash out material or wastewater from vehicle and/or equipment washing. I did note illegal discharges from wash out material during my site investigation.

A containment facility must be constructed to capture all wash out material and wastewater. The wash out material and wastewater must be pumped by an approved waste hauler to a municipal wastewater treatment plant. A contract with an approved hauler and municipality must be submitted to this Agency.

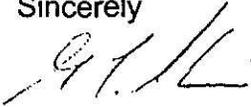
Connection to Sanitary Sewer System: Based upon the proximity and availability of a sanitary sewer system, it is the position of this Agency to require you to abandon the holding tanks currently serving your facility and seek connection to the City of Mount Vernon centralized collection system.

Bob Taft, Governor
Bruce Johnson, Lieutenant Governor
Joseph P. Koncelik, Director

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Please note this site is currently being evaluated for escalated enforcement. If you have any questions regarding the contents of this letter, please do not hesitate to contact me at our Central District Office at 614-728-3851. In addition, please provide a written response, or email (greg.sanders@epa.state.oh.us), to this letter within seven days of receipt. Please note follow up inspections will be conducted to ensure compliance with the General Permit.

Sincerely



Gregory L. Sanders
Environmental Specialist
Division of Surface Water
Central District Office

c: Jeff Bohne, DSW/CDO, Water Quality Section
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