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**BELMONT COUNTY
WPSC-MARTINS FERRY
DHWM/SEDO
OHD010448231**

Mr. Pat Smith
Wheeling Pittsburgh Steel Corporation
Commercial Avenue
Mingo Junction, Ohio 43938

Dear Mr. Smith:

Thank you for your August 15, 2006, response to Ohio EPA's June 27, 2006, Notice of Violation letter. The documentation you submitted included photographs showing universal waste containers for spent fluorescent lamps, HID lamps and NiCd batteries (labeled Attachment 1) and a photograph showing universal waste container labels (Attachment 2). You also stated under item #3 in your letter that WPSC has instructed Safety Kleen to date and label all universal waste containers dropped off at the Martins Ferry facility (reference Att. 2).

My review of this documentation reveals that Wheeling Pittsburgh Steel Corporation has adequately demonstrated abatement of the following violations discovered during the April 20, 2006, inspection:

- (1) **OAC Rule 3745-273-13(A)(1) and (D)(1), Standards for Small Quantity Handlers of Universal Waste;**
- (2) **OAC Rule 3745-273-14(A) and 14(E), Labeling/Marking standards for Small Quantity Handlers of Universal Waste; and**
- (3) **OAC Rule 3745-273-15(C), Accumulation Time Limits.**

Outstanding violations from past compliance evaluation inspections are anticipated to be addressed under a schedule established in future settlement negotiations.

If you should have any questions, please feel free to contact me at (740) 380-5262.

Sincerely,

John Rochotte
District Representative
Division of Hazardous Waste Management

cc: Bud Smith, WPSC-Wheeling, WV

NOTICE:

Ohio EPA's failure to list specific deficiencies or violations in this letter does not relieve your company from having to comply with all applicable regulations.