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February 5, 2010

**RE: HOLMES COUNTY LANDFILL
GROUND WATER**

Frank Lasky, Jr.
c/o World Resource Land Management, Inc.
1422 East Avenue
Erie, PA 16503

Joe Miller, Chairman
Holmes County Board of Commissioners
2 Court Street, Suite 14
Millersburg, OH 44654

Dear Sirs:

The Ohio Environmental Protection Agency (Ohio EPA) has reviewed the following document.

**Response to July 8, 2008 Notice of Violation
July 2007 Statistical Analysis Plan
Holmes County Landfill**

The response to Notice of Violation (NOV) was prepared and submitted to the Northeast District Office (NEDO) of Ohio EPA by North Point Engineering, Corp., and KU Resources, Inc.; and on the behalf of the Holmes County Board of Commissioners and World Resource Land Management, Inc. The response is dated January 30, 2009; and was received at NEDO on February 2, 2009.

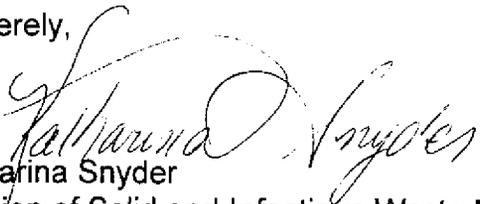
Holmes County Landfill was previously cited in violation of OAC 3745-27-10 (D)(7)(c)(i) for failing to document the number of verification re-samples to be used in the 1 of M re-sampling method contained in the statistical analysis plan (StAP), as required by paragraph (C)(6) of this rule. Section A.3 on page 8 of the StAP has been revised to document that the 1 of 3 re-sampling method will be utilized with a maximum of two verification re-samples to demonstrate whether a statistically significant increase above background has occurred.

The owner/operator of Holmes County Landfill has complied with the requirements of OAC 3745-27-10 (D)(7)(c)(i). No additional written response is required, nor requested from the owner/operator.

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Nothing in this letter shall be construed to authorize any waiver from the requirements of any applicable state or federal laws or regulations. This letter shall not be interpreted to release the Entity from responsibility under Chapters 3704, 3714, 3734, or 6111 of the Ohio Revised Code or under the Federal Clean Water or Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Acts for remedying conditions resulting from any release of contaminants to the environment.

Sincerely,



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