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Re: Open Dumping, Case 07-26
Enviroscape
Brown Township, Paulding County

September 25, 2007

Mr. Mark Deitering
Enviroscape, ECM, LTD.
22700 State Route 613
Oakwood, Ohio 45873

Dear Mr. Deitering:

This correspondence is regarding the waste straw previously placed at Enviroscape Erosion Control Materials (Facility), located at 22700 State Route 613, Oakwood, Ohio. On September 17, 2007, Ohio EPA performed an inspection of the property to verify the waste straw removal. You stated that the straw had been sold or given to farmers to use on their fields, providing an agronomic benefit to the farmers. As of September 17, 2007, Ohio EPA will consider Case 07-26 closed. Ohio EPA appreciates your cooperation in removing the waste straw from your property. Furthermore, you indicated that waste straw from the manufacturing operation is now baled at the point of generation and is sold as a product.

Please be aware that this letter is intended only to document the waste straw removal from your property. Nothing in this letter shall be interpreted to release the owner or future owner of the property from responsibility under Ohio Revised Code (ORC) Chapters 3704, 3734, or 6111 or under the Federal Clean Water Act or Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act for remedying conditions resulting from any release of contaminants to the environment.

The aforementioned language is intended to remind the owner of the facility, whoever it may be, that they are and will be responsible for any and all activity or future problems at the property. ORC Chapter 3704 pertains to air pollution control regulations, Chapter 3734 pertains to solid and hazardous waste regulations, and Chapter 6111 pertains to surface water regulations.

Please feel free to contact me at (419) 373-3079 if there are any questions.

Sincerely,

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