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Mr. Alex Stakleff
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**RE: UNIVERSITY OF AKRON, EPA ID NO. OHD 045 207 552/LQG CEI
EPA ID NO. OHD 987 056 439/SQG CEI, SUMMIT COUNTY
LQG/SQG COMPLIANCE INSPECTION, RETURN TO COMPLIANCE (RTC)**

Dear Mr. Stakleff:

Thank you for your correspondence dated December 21, 2007, and received on December 27, 2007, responding to Ohio EPA's NOV letter dated November 19, 2007.

The University of Akron submitted documentation including: current contingency plan with documentation of distribution to local police, fire and hospital, procedures for labeling and storing of universal waste lamps, procedures for labeling and storing of crushed lamps managed hazardous waste, and procedures for labeling and storing of universal waste batteries.

My review of this documentation indicates that the University of Akron has adequately demonstrated abatement of the violations from the October 31, 2007 inspection, cited in my letter of November 19, 2007, specifically:

1. OAC Rule 3745 65-52(D) Contingency plan must list names, addresses, and phone numbers of emergency coordinators and be kept current.
2. OAC Rule 3745 52-34(C)(2) Within three days of a SQG filling a 55 gallon satellite container, the container must be moved to the 180/270 day accumulation area.
3. OAC Rule 3745 273-14(A) Small Quantity Handler must label universal waste batteries/containers.
4. OAC Rule 3745 273-14(E) Small Quantity Handler must label each lamp or container holding universal waste lamp.
5. OAC Rule 3745 273-13(D)(1) Small Quantity Handler must store containers of universal waste lamps closed.

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6. OAC Rule 3745 279-22(C)(1) Used oil containers must be labeled with the words "Used Oil".

Should you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact me at (330) 963-1165.

Sincerely,



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