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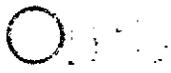
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September 20, 2010

Ms. Kyra Hornsby
CHS Oxford Inc.
2436 Old Oxford Road
Hamilton, Ohio 45013

Re: Butler County, Golden Years Healthcare, NPDES Permit Violations

Dear Ms. Hornsby:

We have reviewed your Monthly Operating Reports covering the months of April through August 2010 for the referenced facility. Our review indicates violations of the conditions of your NPDES Permit (NPDES Permit # OH0118397; OEPA Permit # 1PT00079*CD). The specific instances of noncompliance were as follows:

Effluent Violations for April through August 2010					
Reporting Period	Parameter	Limit Type	Units	Permit Limit	Reported Value
April 2010	TSS	Monthly	mg/l	12	47
April 2010	TSS	Weekly	mg/l	18	47
June 2010	TSS	Monthly	mg/l	12	43
June 2010	TSS	Weekly	mg/l	18	43
June 2010	DO	Daily	mg/l	6.0	5.8
July 2010	TSS	Monthly	mg/l	12	64
July 2010	TSS	Weekly	mg/l	18	64
August 2010	TSS	Monthly	mg/l	12	18

We noted in our last Notice of Violation letter our concerns about these NPDES Permit violations. In the past, detailed plans for constructing a new tertiary and disinfection treatment system had been prepared by Golden Years. These plans were placed on hold when the WWTP operations improved and the effluent limit violations were eliminated. However, these effluent violations have continued. Golden Years must proceed with constructing these WWTP improvements.

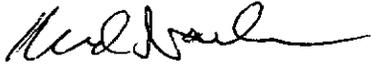
Please be advised that failure to comply with the effluent limitations of your NPDES Permit may be cause for enforcement action pursuant to the Ohio Revised Code Chapter 6111.

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We have received your reports addressing the reasons for the above violations and the actions being taken to prevent further occurrences. Your explanation is not satisfactory and we request, within ten days of receipt of this letter, written information as to what additional steps you take to prevent further occurrences. Future violations must continue to be reported as required by the NPDES Permit as detailed in Part III.12 titled "Noncompliance Notification." NPDES Permit violations may also be reported in accordance to the new Ohio EPA reporting requirements. These reporting requirements are addressed at the following Ohio EPA website: http://www.epa.state.oh.us/dsw/permits/24-hour_Report_FactSheet.pdf.

If you have any questions regarding the above, please contact me at (937) 285-6096.

Sincerely,



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Division of Surface Water
Permit Section

ec: Frank Shuler, BHE Environmental
Greg Ross, Winelco, Inc.