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GRIFFIN WHEEL CO



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February 16, 2010

Kim Myers
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**Re: Griffin Wheel Company / Franklin County
Industrial Storm Water Permit 4GR00222*DG**

Dear Mr. Myers:

This letter is written in regard to the storm water inspection that I conducted at Griffin Wheel Company, aka, Amsted Rail, located at 3900 Bixby Road, in Groveport, Ohio. The inspection was conducted on February 10, 2010, to determine compliance with your industrial storm water permit. You stated that your company manufactures wheels for the railroad industry. I did not note any discharges from your facility to a storm water drain or waters of the state.

The following items were noted during the inspection:

1. Your company had several empty drums stored outside without secondary containment and one drum did not have a cap on the drum. Please provide secondary containment for the drums or store them inside. The drums should have lids or covers. All of the full drums were stored in secondary containment with lids. Please see attached pictures.
2. Your company has several landfill areas that are to be remediated by 2015. Due to the heavy snowfall, it was not possible to inspect the fill areas.
3. Your company had a fueling station which had secondary containment.
4. The bag house dust was stored in roll-offs with a cover.
5. Your company had a storm water pollution prevention plan and a spill prevention, control and countermeasure plan.

Ted Strickland, Governor
Lee Fisher, Lieutenant Governor
Chris Korleski, Director

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If you have any questions regarding this letter or my inspection, please do not hesitate to contact me at our Central District Office at 614-728-3851.

Sincerely,



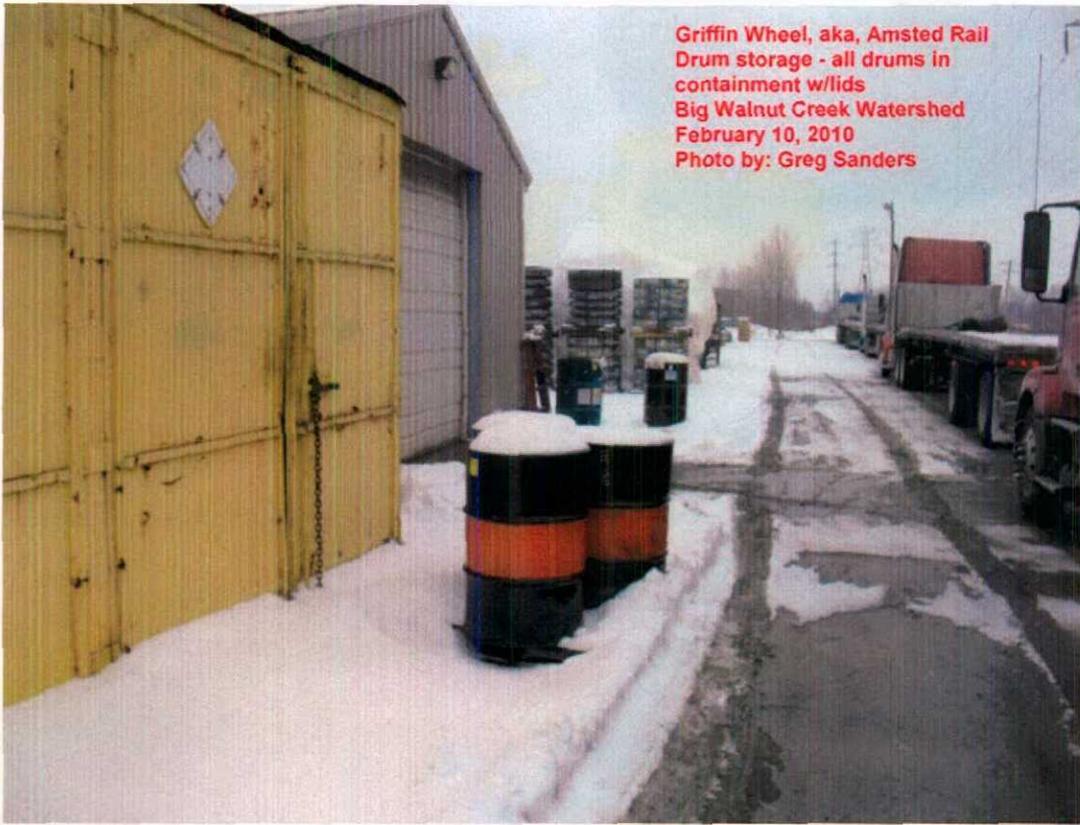
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Enclosures

c: Jeff Bohne, DSW/CDO

GS/ct Griffin Wheel, February 10, 2010

Griffin Wheel, aka, Amsted Rail
Drum storage - all drums in
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