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Douglas Holton
Packing Corp of America
1900 West Field Court
Lake Forrest, IL 60045

**Re: Preliminary Storm Water Inspection at Packing Corp of America
Permit Number 4GR00328*DG**

Dear Mr. Holton:

This letter is written in follow-up to a preliminary storm water inspection I conducted at Packing Corp of America located in Newark, Ohio on February 2, 2010. This facility is currently covered under the General Storm Water Permit Associated with Industrial Activities. This preliminary inspection entailed the evaluation of materials and or processes exposed to storm water. Based on my preliminary inspection, the following items were noted:

External Tank Storage:

- I noted a starch tank stored outside. The permit requires Best Management Practices associated with the storage of all materials and process exposed to storm water. Secondary containment for all tanks or equivalent is expected.

Inside Drains:

- Please be able to address the drains, if any, inside the facility and the associated point of discharge

Other Material Storage:

- I noted various waste receptacles located outside. All waste receptacle should be covered and water tight to minimize exposure.
- During the inspection I noted buckets stored directly behind the facility (see attached photo). Please indicate if there is any process outside, such as painting, which may affect storm water quality.

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



Roof Management:

- During the inspection, I noted a large vessel on top of the roof. Please address in your response letter the function of this vessel and potential threat to storm water quality.

Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plan (SWPPP):

- A SWPPP must be developed specific for this site. The SWPPP must include a site map which clearly delineates all storm water drainage patterns. All storm water outfalls/discharges from the site must be indentified on the SWPPP. All Best Management Practices (BMP's), current and future must be inclusive in the SWPPP and site map. The SWPPP must be reviewed and updated on a yearly basis to reflect any changes at this facility. Guidance documents for preparing a SWPPP can be found at:

<http://www.epa.gov/npdes/pubs/owm0236a.pdf>

http://www.epa.gov/npdes/pubs/industrial_swppp_guide.pdf

If you have any questions regarding this letter or my inspection, please do not hesitate to contact me at our Central District Office at 614-728-3844 or email at: harry.kallipolitis@epa.state.oh.us. Please provide a written response to this letter within seven days of receipt.

Sincerely,



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c: Jeff Bohne, Water Quality Supervisor, DSW/CDO



