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April 3, 2007

**ROSS COUNTY
GENERAL FILE
(AMERICAN CAR CRUSHING)
DHWM/SEDO
Non Notifier**

Mr. Randall Hall
American Car Crushing
875 Eastern Avenue
Chillicothe, Ohio 45601

Dear Mr. Hall

On March 15, 2007, Ohio EPA received a complaint alleging that cars were crushed without draining any of the automobile fluids and that used oil, antifreeze, and transmission fluids were allowed to run over the ground. On March 21, 2007, Ohio EPA inspected American Car Crushing's facility located at 875 Eastern Avenue to determine American Car Crushing's compliance with Ohio's hazardous waste laws as found in Chapter 3734. of the Ohio Revised Code (ORC) and Chapter 3745. of the Ohio Administrative Code (OAC).

The following violations of Ohio's hazardous waste laws were found during the inspection.

- (1) **OAC 3745-279-22(D) Generator must respond to used oil releases and perform cleanup steps.** Used oil stained soils were observed in the vicinity of the car crusher.

American Car Crushing must clean-up the used oil stained soils and properly dispose of the waste material. Below is an example of used oil on the ground near the car crusher.



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Please submit documentation (e.g., photograph and letter stating proper disposition of oil-stained soils) that the used oil-stained soils have been properly cleaned up within 30 days of receipt of this letter.

General Comments

During the inspection, Ohio EPA was informed that you were in the process of purchasing the facility and were soon to be concreting the area and placing the facility under roof. Ohio EPA's Office of Compliance Assistance and Pollution Prevention provides compliance assistance for small businesses and may be able to offer you assistance with any discharge permits that your improved facility may need. Ralph Witte (740-380-5241) is the OCAPP representative in the Southeast District Office. I have enclosed an OCAPP brochure for your review.

Enclosed you will find a copy of the checklist that was completed during the inspection. Should you have any questions please contact me at 740-380-5239. You can find copies of the rules and other information on the division's web page at www.epa.state.oh.us/dhwm.

Sincerely,



Jim Sferra
Environmental Specialist II
Division of Hazardous Waste Management

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Enclosures

Notice:

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

Ohio Environmental Protection Agency
**RCRA SUBTITLE C SITE
IDENTIFICATION/VERIFICATION FORM**

For Ohio EPA use only

E-mail this completed form to
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McConnell, Central Office

Site EPA ID No.	EPA ID Number: Non Notifier								
Site Name	Name: American Car Crushing					Website: (Optional)			
Site Location Information	Street Address: 875 Eastern Avenue								
	City, Town, or Village: Chillicothe					State: OH			
	County Name: Ross					Zip Code: 45601			
Site Land Type (check only one)	Private <input type="checkbox"/>	County <input type="checkbox"/>	District <input type="checkbox"/>	Federal <input type="checkbox"/>	Indian <input type="checkbox"/>	Municipal <input type="checkbox"/>	State <input type="checkbox"/>	Other <input type="checkbox"/>	
NAICS code(s) www.census.gov/epcd/www/naics.html									
Facility Representative Additional names can be recorded in number 12 Only provide address information if it is different than the site address	First Name: Randall			MI:	Last Name: Hall				
	Phone Number: 740-775-5400					Phone Number Extension:			
	E-Mail Address:								
	Fax Number:					Fax Number Extension:			
	Street or P.O. Box:								
	City, Town or Village:					State:		Country:	Zip Code:
	Name of Site's Legal Owner:					Date Became Owner (mm/dd/yyyy):			
Legal Owner and Operator of the Site List Additional Owners and/or Operators in the Comment Section or on another copy of this form page	Owner Type:	Private <input type="checkbox"/>	County <input type="checkbox"/>	District <input type="checkbox"/>	Federal <input type="checkbox"/>	Indian <input type="checkbox"/>	Municipal <input type="checkbox"/>	State <input type="checkbox"/>	Other <input type="checkbox"/>
	Street or P.O. Box:								
	City, Town or Village:					Owner Phone #:			
	State:					Country:		Zip Code:	
	Name of Site's Operator:					Date Became Operator (mm/dd/yyyy):			
	Owner Type:	Private <input type="checkbox"/>	County <input type="checkbox"/>	District <input type="checkbox"/>	Federal <input type="checkbox"/>	Indian <input type="checkbox"/>	Municipal <input type="checkbox"/>	State <input type="checkbox"/>	Other <input type="checkbox"/>
	Street or P.O. Box:								
City, Town or Village:					Operator Phone #:				
State:					Country:		Zip Code:		
Violations Cited?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No								
Type of Generator									
<input type="checkbox"/> Not Regulated				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Conditionally Exempt Small Quantity Generator					
<input type="checkbox"/> UNKNOWN: Cited for violation of 3745-52-11				<input type="checkbox"/> United States Importer of Hazardous Waste					
<input type="checkbox"/> Large Quantity Generator (LQG)				<input type="checkbox"/> Mixed Waste (Hazardous and Radioactive) Generator					
<input type="checkbox"/> Small Quantity Generator (SQG)									
Type of Regulated Waste Activity (Mark "X" in all of the appropriate boxes)									
<input type="checkbox"/> Recycler of Hazardous Waste				<input type="checkbox"/> Exempt Boiler and/or Industrial Furnace					
<input type="checkbox"/> Underground Injection Control Facility				<input type="checkbox"/> Small Quantity On-Site Burner Exemption					
<input type="checkbox"/> Hazardous Waste Transporter				<input type="checkbox"/> Smelting, Melting, Refining Furnace Exemption					
<input type="checkbox"/> Treater, Storer or Disposer of Hazardous Waste									

Universal Waste Activities (Indicate types of universal waste generated and/or accumulated (check all boxes that apply))					
<input type="checkbox"/> Small Quantity Handler of Universal Waste			<input type="checkbox"/> Large Quantity Handler of Universal Waste (accumulates 5,000 kg. or more)		
<input type="checkbox"/> Destination Facility for Universal Waste					
(Check all boxes below that apply for each of the three types of facilities above)			Used Oil Activities (Indicate Type(s) of Activity(ies))		
	Generated	Accumulated	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Used Oil Generator	<input type="checkbox"/> Off-Specification Used Oil Burner	
Batteries	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> Used Oil Transporter	<input type="checkbox"/> Used Oil Fuel Marketer Who Directs Shipment of Off-Spec. Oil	
Pesticides	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> Used Oil Transfer Facility	<input type="checkbox"/> Used Oil Fuel Marketer to Off-Specification Used Oil Burner	
Thermostats	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> Used Oil Processor		
Lamps	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> Used Oil Re-refiner		
Waste Codes for Federally Regulated Hazardous Wastes. Please list the codes for the federally regulated hazardous waste handled at your site. List them in the order they are presented in the regulations (e.g., D001, D003, F007, U112). Use an additional page if more space is needed. If there are more than 7 waste codes and they are the same as listed in the most recent RCRAInfo source record, you do not need to list them all. Instead just indicate the date of the most recent source record.					
Comments: Use this area to describe whether the inspection was announced, whether the waste is stored in tanks or containers, etc.					
Announced	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	Additional Facility Representatives:	Scott Hall and Randall Hall	
Tanks	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	Other Comments: Oil run off was observed in the vicinity of the car crusher.		
Containers	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No			
Name of Inspector(s)		Name of Inspector(s)		Date of Inspection/Time (mm/dd/yyyy) (hh:mm)	
Jim Sferra		Rich Stewart		3/21/2007 afternoon	
OPTIONAL CERTIFICATION. I certify under penalty of law that this document and all attachments were prepared under my direction or supervision in accordance with a system designed to assure that qualified personnel properly gather and evaluate the information submitted. Based on my inquiry of the person or persons who manage the system, or those persons directly responsible for gathering the information, the information submitted is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true, accurate, and complete. I am aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false information, including the possibility of fine and imprisonment for knowing violations.					
Signature of Owner, Operator, or an Authorized Representative		Name and Title (Print)		Date (mm/dd/yyyy)	

USED OIL GENERATOR REQUIREMENTS

NOTE: (Short Version) - This checklist does not include requirements for used oil transporters and transfer facilities, processors and re-refiners, burners, and marketers.

PROHIBITIONS

1. Is used oil being managed in a surface impoundment or waste pile? If so: Yes No NA
- Is the surface impoundment or waste pile being regulated under OAC 3745-54 to 3745-57 and 3745-205 or 3745-65 to 3745-69 and 3745-256? [3745-279-12(A)] Yes No NA
2. Is used oil being used as a dust suppressant? [3745-279-12(B)] Yes No NA
3. Is off-specification used oil fuel burned for energy recovery only in devices specified in 3745-279-12(C)? Yes No NA

USED OIL GENERATOR STANDARDS

4. Does the generator mix hazardous waste with used oil only as provided in 3745-279-10(B)? [2745-279-21(A)] Yes No NA
5. Does the generator of a used oil containing greater than 1,000 ppm total halogens manage the used oil as a hazardous waste unless the presumption is rebutted successfully? [3745-279-21(B)] Yes No NA
6. Does the generator only store used oil in tanks, containers, or units subject to OAC 3745-54 to 3745-57 and 3745-205 or 3745-65 to 3745-69 and 3745-256? [3745-279-22(A)] Yes No NA
7. Are containers and aboveground tanks used to store used oil in good condition with no visible leaks? [3745-279-22(B)] Yes No NA
8. Are containers, above ground tanks, and fill pipes used for underground tanks clearly labeled or marked "Used Oil?" [3745-279-22(C)] Yes No NA
9. Has the generator, upon detection of a release of used oil, done the following: [3745-279-22(D)]
- a. Stopped the release? Yes No NA
- b. Contained the release? Yes No NA
- c. Cleaned up and properly managed the used oil and other materials? Yes No NA
- d. Repaired or replaced the containers or tanks prior to returning them to service, if necessary? Yes No NA

10. Does the generator burn used oil in used oil fired space heaters? [3745-279-23] If so: Yes No NA
- a. Does the heater burn only used oil that owner/operator generates or used oil received from household do-it-yourself (DIY) used oil generators? Yes No NA
- b. Is the heater designed to have a maximum capacity of not more than 0.5 million BTU per hour? Yes No NA
- c. Are the combustion gases from heater vented to the ambient air? Yes No NA
11. Does the generator have the used oil hauled only by transporters that have obtained U.S. EPA ID#, unless the generator qualifies for an exemption pursuant to 3745-279-24 (self transportation or tolling agreements)? [3745-279-24] Yes No NA

USED OIL COLLECTION CENTERS AND AGGREGATION POINTS

12. Is the DIY used oil collection center in compliance with the generator standards in 3745-279-20 to 3745-279-24? [3745-279-30] Yes No NA
13. Is the non-DIY used oil collection center registered with Ohio EPA? [3745-279-31] Yes No NA
14. Is the used oil aggregation point in compliance with the generator standards in 3745-279-20 to 3745-279-24? [3745-279-32] Yes No NA

WASTE EVALUATION

15. Have all wastes generated at the facility been evaluated? [3745-52-11] Yes No NA

REMARKS