



**Environmental
Protection Agency**

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February 24, 2012

Mr. Ben Fogle
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**Re: Lafarge Landfill
Partial Return to Compliance**

Dear Mr. Fogle:

In a letter dated October 7, 2010, and July 22, 2011 the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency (Ohio EPA) provided notice of violation occurring at Lafarge Corporation Landfill 11435 Road 176 in Paulding, Paulding County, Ohio. The violation was originally communicated to you as part of the 2009 and 2010 annual operation reports review. On February 21, 2012, Ohio EPA received correspondence from Lafarge that documents abatement of the following violation:

Citation	Requirement	Action taken
OAC Rule 3745-30-14(B)(2)	Compliance with authorizing document (overfill)	Re-graded waste to be within authorized limits of waste placement

Ohio EPA records indicate that Lafarge remains in violation of the following:

Citation	Requirement	Date first observed
OAC Rule 3745-30-14(B)(2)	Compliance with authorizing document (filling and operating)	May 27, 2010

Lafarge must immediately take the necessary measures to return to compliance with Ohio's environmental laws. Documentation should be submitted to this office demonstrating abatement of the existing violation. Please be advised that the violation cited above will continue until the violation has been properly abated. Failure to comply with Chapter 3734. of the Ohio Revised Code and rules promulgated thereunder may result in a civil penalty of up to \$10,000 per day for each violation. It is imperative that you return to compliance. If circumstances delay the abatement of the violation, Lafarge is requested to submit written correspondence of the steps that will be taken by date certain to attain compliance.

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Nothing in this letter shall be construed to authorize any waiver from the requirements of any applicable state or federal laws or regulations. This letter shall not be interpreted to release the owner or operator, or others, from responsibility under Chapters 3704, 3714, 3734, or 6111 of the Ohio Revised Code or under the Federal Clean Water Act, Resource Conservation and Recovery Act, or Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act for remedying conditions resulting from any release of contaminants to the environment.

If you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact me by telephone at (419) 373-3079 or by email at jeremy.scoles@epa.ohio.gov.

Sincerely,



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