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Certified Mail

Alem Abebe
Starfire Express
3499 W Siebenthaler Ave
Dayton, OH 45406

RE: Ohio EPA Facility ID 0857731547
Failure to Pass Air to Liquid Ratio Test

Dear Ms. Abebe:

WARNING LETTER

On March 29, 2010, the Regional Air Pollution Control Agency (RAPCA) conducted an inspection and witnessed a performance test of the gasoline dispensing facility (GDF) at Starfire Express, 3499 West Siebenthaler Avenue in Dayton, Ohio. The purpose of this inspection and performance test was to determine the GDF's compliance status with applicable state and local air pollution control regulations. This inspection/test at Starfire Express revealed violations of these regulations.

Starfire Express did show compliance through the completion of a successful static leak test on March 29, 2010, however, this site failed to show compliance with the Air to Liquid ratio (A/L) testing requirements of CARB Executive Order G-70-154-AA on pumps #1 through #8. A/L testing had last been successfully completed at Starfire Express on June 23, 2009 and was therefore required to be successfully conducted by June 23, 2010. Failing to demonstrate compliance with the A/L performance test requirements is a violation of Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) rule and Montgomery County Combined General Health District Air Pollution Control Regulations (MCCGHDAPCR) section 3745-21-09 (DDD), OAC rule and MCCGHDAPCR section 3745-15-04, and Ohio Revised Code (ORC) section 3704.05. On March 29, 2010, an Official Order was issued to Starfire Express to make any needed repairs and reschedule testing within a thirty (30) day time period. To date, no A/L retest has been scheduled with RAPCA at this GDF.

Since the above noted GDF is currently operating in violation of OAC rules and MCCGHDAPCR sections 3745-21-09 (DDD) and 3745-15-04, and CARB Executive Order

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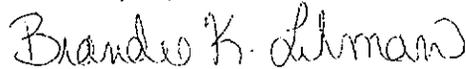
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G-70-154-AA, it is imperative that Starfire Express ensure that repairs are made to this site to correct the deficiencies, and reschedule A/L testing to demonstrate compliance.

Starfire Express shall respond within fourteen (14) days after receipt of this letter. The response shall include the intended retest date for this GDF. Your tester should contact Lynn Thompson at (937) 225-4437, to ensure a RAPCA representative is present at your scheduled testing.

Failure to perform the required testing will subject this facility to further enforcement actions, which may include penalties. If you have any questions or comments concerning this matter, please feel free to contact me at (937) 225-5923.

Sincerely,



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Air Pollution Control Specialist

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