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John Miller  
IH Schlezinger  
1041 Joyce Ave.  
Columbus, OH 43219

**Re: Storm Water Inspection on March 23, 2011**

Dear Mr. Miller:

This letter is written in follow-up to our joint storm water inspection we conducted at I. H. Schlezinger located on Joyce Ave on March 23, 2011. This facility is currently covered under our Industrial Storm Water Permit (Facility Number 4GG00178\*DG). Based on my site observations and the conditions of the General Permit, the following items require attention.

**Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plan (SWPPP)**

- A site specific SWPPP has been developed for this site. The plan was onsite during my inspection. At the time of my investigation, I requested the SWPPP be sent to my attention for review. Please forward me a copy of the plan (email preferred at [harry.kallipolitis@epa.state.oh.us](mailto:harry.kallipolitis@epa.state.oh.us)) for review
- Please keep in mind the plan will require an official update pending the re-issuance of the Industrial Storm Water Permit, later this spring. The plan must identify all Best Management Practices (BMP's) associated with each operation and storage area associated with the facility. This would include specific BMP's for the ferrous storage area, non-ferrous storage areas, oil coated metals such as engines and machine drillings, and operations such as the large metal shear. The plan should also identify BMP's as they relate to vehicle/equipment maintenance and/or cleaning. The current plans lack the details necessary to ensure compliance.

**Site Observations:**

- Additional provisions should be considered for the oil coated metals such and block engines and metal drillings. I noted the majority of the site was contained via a perimeter berm, however additional BMP's such as roofs or tarps should be considered for these specific storage areas.

- The majority of the site does not incorporate separate storm sewers. A large centralized impoundment, with no apparent discharge, was noted on site. It does appear off site drainage is apparent at the northeast corner and southeast corners of the site.
- At the time of the inspection, I informed you I will be conducting storm water sampling this spring to evaluate the need for additional BMP's or treatment of storm water. I will be sampling storm water in conjunction with a storm event later this spring.

**Proposed New Industrial Permit:**

- Please refer to the following link to review the proposed storm water permit for this facility at:  
[http://www.epa.ohio.gov/dsw/permits/IndustrialStormWater\\_draft\\_GP\\_oct10.aspx](http://www.epa.ohio.gov/dsw/permits/IndustrialStormWater_draft_GP_oct10.aspx)

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

Sincerely,



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



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