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Re: Allen County
Colonial Surface Solutions, Inc.
Premise #0302000208
Warning Letter

March 4, 2009

CERTIFIED MAIL
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Mr. Thomas Langhals, President
Colonial Surface Solutions, Inc.
4599 Campbell Road
Columbus Grove, Ohio 45830

Dear Mr. Langhals:

The Division of Air Pollution Control/Northwest District Office (DAPC/NWDO) received an anonymous citizen complaint on February 23, 2009 alleging that the facility may not have obtained the proper air pollution control permits from Ohio EPA. A review of company files at DAPC/NWDO indicates that this complaint is not justified. After a compliance inspection was conducted on February 28, 2002 by DAPC/NWDO, the company applied for and was issued permit to install (PTI) No. 03-13822 on September 26, 2002 for four emissions units used for coating, grit blasting and sand blasting operations. However, the files do not contain any of the required deviation (excursion) reports for this PTI.

Failure to submit these required reports are violations of Ohio Revised Code 3704.05, and the following permit terms in PTI No. 03-13822:

Table with 3 columns: Emissions Unit, PTI Terms Violated, Reporting Requirement. Rows include units K001, K002, P001, and P002 with their respective violation terms and reporting requirements.

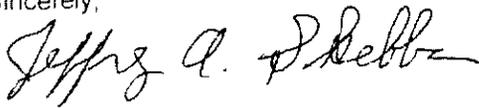
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The company should have submitted the semi-annual and annual reports starting on January 31, 2003, and is therefore in violation from January 31, 2003 to present.

Please submit a written response by April 6, 2009 that includes semi-annual and annual reports for each of the four emissions unit for calendar years 2004 through 2008, since the PTI contains a five year records retention requirement. We expect that the company will then begin submitting these reports on a regular basis. The company has the option of submitting the reports in hard copy format, or electronically using Ohio EPA's Air Services through internet access.

Should you have any questions or comments, feel free to contact me at (419) 373-3128.

Sincerely,



Jeffrey A. Skebba  
 Environmental Specialist  
 Division of Air Pollution Control

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 NWDO Follow-up File

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TO  
 COLONIAL SURFACE SOLUTIONS  
 4599 CAMPBELL RD  
 COLUMBUS GROVE OH 43102

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