



Environmental  
Protection Agency

John R. Kasich, Governor  
Mary Taylor, Lt. Governor  
Scott J. Nally, Director

Re: Allen County  
Superior Forge & Steel Corp.  
Premise # 0302020300  
**Return to Compliance**

August 3, 2011

Mr. Michael Nigh, Environmental Health & Safety Manager  
Superior Forge & Steel Corp.  
1820 McClain Road  
Lima, Ohio 45804

Dear Mr. Nigh:

The Division of Air Pollution Control (DAPC) has reviewed the letter received on July 25, 2011, which contained responses to the Ohio EPA, Division of Air Pollution Control's July 11, 2011, Notice of Violation (NOV). This NOV was issued for the facility failing to submit annual deviation reports in Air Services, submitting the reports late, and failing to document apparent deviations. The company's response included an action plan to prevent the reoccurrence of these types of violations.

Based on the company's response to the NOV, and the action plan provided, we have determined that the compliance plan is acceptable. The actions taken have corrected the violations and these emission units are now being operated in compliance with the permit requirements. Please note, however, that this does not preclude the Director from seeking civil penalties pursuant to ORC section 3704.06 for these violations. The decision on whether to pursue or decline to pursue such penalties regarding this matter is dependent on several factors, one of which is the company's future compliance with applicable Ohio EPA requirements.

Should you have any questions or comments concerning this letter, please feel free to contact me at the above address or call (419) 373-3106.

Sincerely,

Debbie Ko  
Division of Air Pollution Control

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