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Re: Hancock County
Ball Metal Beverage Container Corporation
0332000023
**Inspection follow-up letter
Notice of Violation**

November 20, 2009

CERTIFIED MAIL

Mr. Hank Schroeder
Ball Metal Beverage Container Corporation
12340 Township Road 99
Findlay, Ohio 45840

Dear Mr. Schroeder:

This letter shall serve as follow-up to the inspection conducted on November 18, 2009, by Julie McCarthy and myself, of the above referenced facility. The purpose of this inspection was to determine the compliance status of all air contaminant emissions units located there.

Based on our discussions, our observations during the inspection, and a review of the company's files, with the exception of the item detailed below, it appears that all emissions units are being operated in compliance with the air pollution control emission limitations and regulations of Ohio EPA at this time.

Notice of Violation

PTI 03-13296, issued September 18, 2007, for emissions unit K001 requires the permittee to "record the pressure drop across the baghouse on a weekly basis." The facility is not recording this information, in violation of the PTI's Monitoring and/or Recordkeeping Requirements Section A.III.3, and Ohio Revised Code (ORC) 3704.05.

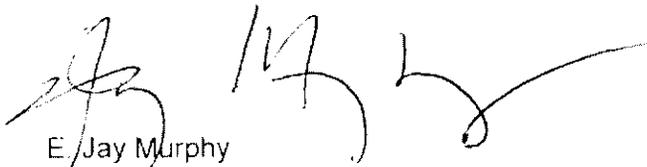
A written response to address this violation is requested by December 23, 2009. Please develop and institute a plan to bring the facility into compliance with its permit. Please also submit revised quarterly deviation reports and annual compliance certifications, dating from the September 18, 2007 permit issuance date, to reflect the recordkeeping deviation. The requested response should be submitted to Ohio EPA, Northwest District Office and contain a copy of the plan to remedy this violation, along with the revised reports.

Please note that the submission of a response to this letter does not constitute a waiver of Ohio EPA's authority to seek civil penalties pursuant to ORC section 3704.06. The Ohio EPA will make the decision on whether to pursue or decline to pursue such penalties regarding this matter at a later date.

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Thank you for the courtesy extended during our visit. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Julie McCarthy at the above address, julie.mccarthy@epa.state.nh.us, or call 419.373.3115.

Sincerely,



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