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Re: Huron County
The Solae Company
Premise #0339010005
Notice of Violation

CERTIFIED MAIL

January 6, 2010

Mr. James W. Miller
The Solae Company
P.O. Box 369
605 Goodrich Road
Bellevue, OH 44811

Dear Mr. Miller:

In light of the recent administrative modification application, our review of the files and submittals has brought a violation to light.

Notice of Violation

The deviation report for 3rd Quarter of 2008, sources P051 and P060, indicated an exceedance of one of the permitted limits. Due to Solae's decision to skip the scheduled November maintenance on P060 and instead, perform it all in May 2008, the Concentrate Alcohol Extraction Plant was operated in exceedance of its alcohol usage limit of 0.012 lb/lb.

A written response to address this violation is requested by January 20, 2010. Please confirm if returning to the typical maintenance schedule will bring the unit into compliance.

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.

Meeting Request

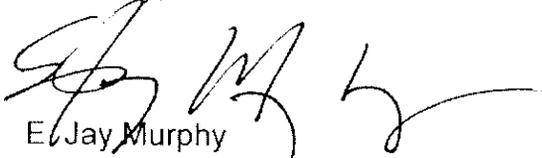
Additionally, Ohio EPA requests a meeting to discuss the above mentioned administrative modification application. Further discussion is warranted concerning reconciling PTI limits with those contained in the recently issued Title V renewal, P0087229.



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Thank you for your cooperation. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact me at elizabeth.murphy@epa.state.oh.us, or call 419.373.3069.

Sincerely,


 E. Jay Murphy
 Division of Air Pollution Control

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