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Ted Strickland, Governor  
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Re: Putnam County  
Socar, Inc. dba New Millennium  
Building Systems  
03 69 00 0036  
Notice of Violation

May 9, 2008

**CERTIFIED MAIL**

Mr. Bert Hollman, President  
Socar, Inc. dba New Millennium Building Systems  
6714 Pointe Inverness Way  
Fort Wayne, Indiana 46804

Dear Mr. Hollman:

Socar, Inc., dba New Millennium Building Systems was issued a modified air permit on September 18, 2007 for four process dip tanks. PTI #03-17187 requires that the company submit quarterly deviation reports. The Division of Air Pollution Control (DAPC) of the Northwest District Office (NWDO) has reviewed the report received on May 1, 2008.

The report showed that during the months of January through March, Socar Inc. began using a higher VOC content coating which has faster drying times. According to the OAC 3745-31-01 definition of a "modification", this change resulted in an increase in the potential to emit for each dip tank. Therefore, the company violated OAC 3745-31-02 for the failure to obtain a modified air permit and also violated ORC 3704.05.

Based on our discussions, we agree that the resolution to the violation is to modify the permit for emission units K004 through K007 to increase the limits. This office is requesting the facility submit a written response to this letter by June 6, 2008, which includes, at a minimum, the submittal of PTI/PTO applications to correct the violation noted above. Compliance will be achieved once the modified permit is issued.

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

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Should the company have any questions regarding this letter, please feel free to contact me directly at (419) 373-3136.

Sincerely,



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Division of Air Pollution Control

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