



Environmental
Protection Agency

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

Re: Sandusky County
0372002004
Kokosing Materials, Inc.
Stack Test
HPV-GC8
Notice of Violation

November 2, 2011

CERTIFIED MAIL

Mr. Ralph Kyanko
Kokosing Materials, Inc.
875 East Main Street
Woodville, Ohio 43469

Dear Mr. Kyanko:

The stack test conducted on October 13, 2011, on Ohio EPA emissions unit No. P901 (Counter Flow Drum Mix Asphalt Plant), has been reviewed. This test was not witnessed by the Ohio EPA; however based on the information in the test report the testing appears to have been conducted in conformance with Ohio EPA methods and procedures. Our review confirms the following reported data is accurate:

**Critical Test Data
(In Three Run Averages)**

1. Actual Emission Rate:	<u>SO₂</u> 0.42 lb/ton asphalt
2. Allowable Emission Rate:	0.26 lb/ton asphalt
3. Source Operating Rate:	252.8 TPH
4. Maximum Source Operating Rate:	350 TPH

During the test a baghouse pressure drop of three (3) inches of water was recorded, which was within the required range of 1-8 inches of water.

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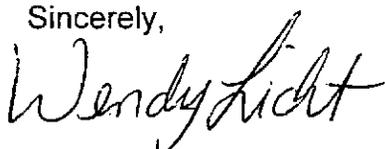
The plant was being operated in violation of its allowable emissions rate for SO₂ (violation of the Permit to Install term and condition C.3.(b)(1)(a), OAC rule 3745-31-05(D), and Ohio Revised Code 3704.05). It will therefore be necessary to retest this unit to show compliance with the current limit or show compliance through the submittal of a permit modification to increase the applicable emission limitation.

This office is requesting that the facility submit a written response to this letter which includes, at a minimum, a compliance plan and schedule. The facility is required to submit this information by no later than **November 30, 2011**. Please note that the submission of the requested information to respond to this letter does not constitute a waiver of the 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.

For this test the plant employed a design mix that included slag. The asphalt production rate of 252.8 TPH is acceptable for this design mix. However, if in the future this rate is ever exceeded by 10% or more it may be necessary to retest.

Please contact me as soon as possible regarding this matter at (419) 373-3134. Thank you.

Sincerely,



Wendy Licht
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