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Northwest District Office

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February 2, 2007

CERTIFIED MAIL

Mr. Richard Reis  
R & I Construction, Inc.  
2931 S. State Route 67  
Tiffin, Ohio 44883

RE: **Notice of Violation**  
Failure to wait ten working days before beginning demolition  
Richland County - Building Name: RIC-CR48-5.18

Dear Mr. Reis:

The Ohio Environmental Protection Agency, Northwest District Office (NWDO) received your notification for Demolition of RIC-CR48-5.18, Millsboro West Road, Springfield Ohio on January 26, 2007.

As we discussed February 1, 2007, the National Emission Standard for Asbestos contained in 40 CFR 61.140, et seq. (NESHAP Asbestos Standard) and Ohio's rules as they relate to demolition and asbestos found in Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) rule 3745-20 were not complied with. Specifically, the company failed to wait the required 10 working days before the beginning of demolition.

R & I Construction, Inc. should be aware demolition conducted pursuant to 40 CFR 61.145 (b), requires notification at least 10 working days before demolition begins. This Notice of Violation is being issued for failure to comply with the notification requirements of 40 CFR 61.145 (b) and similar requirements found in OAC rule 3745-20-03. The NWDO is requesting the company to submit a written response to this letter by February 28, 2006. Please identify:

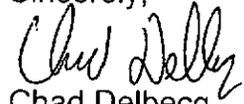
1. The date the company began and ended demolition at the site.
2. Confirmation of your understanding of the regulations regarding notification and the 10 day waiting period.

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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If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at (419) 373-3130.

Sincerely,



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