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RE: FORMER WKI FACILITY
GROUNDWATER REMEDIATION SYSTEM
31C00009*ED
STARK COUNTY

Mr. Thomas S. Cornuet, P.G.
Weston Solutions, Inc.
1400 Weston Way
West Chester, Pa. 19380

Dear Mr. Cornuet:

On September 17, 2009 this writer conducted an inspection of the treatment works and discharge at what is now referred to as the Former WKI Facility-Groundwater Remediation System. The treatment works are located at 359 State Ave, Massillon, Ohio, Stark County. The site was formerly known as Ekco Manufacturing of Ohio and later as World Kitchen. These manufacturing operations have ceased and there are no associated discharges except for the air stripper.

On the day of the inspection the air stripper was in operation and producing an effluent stream to Newman Creek. At the time of the inspection there were no visual problems associated with the discharge. A review of the compliance history for NPDES permit 31C00009*ED for the time period of May 2007 through August 2009 indicates the following violations:

Numeric Violations

Station	Parameter	Limit Type	Limit	Reported Value	Violation Date
001	pH	1D Conc	9.0	9.42	8/21/2008
001	Oil and Grease, Total	1D Conc	20	84.	8/14/2009
001	Oil and Grease, Total	30D Conc	15	84.	8/1/2009
001	Oil and Grease, Total	1D Qty	65.4	171.687	8/14/2009
001	Oil and Grease, Total	30D Qty	49.1	171.687	8/1/2009

At the time of the inspection there appears to be at least two companies now occupying the building. If you are leasing this space to these companies, please identify them as either Wyeth or each company may be subject to Federal Stormwater regulations.

If you should have any questions concerning the above, feel free to contact this writer at (330) 963-1136.

Sincerely,

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cc: M. Basso Wyeth Law Department

File: Industrial Permit/Compliance