



**Environmental  
Protection Agency**

Ted Strickland, Governor  
Lee Fisher, Lt. Governor  
Chris Konecki, Director

August 20, 2010

RE: PRESSLER MEATS  
3IH00046  
SUMMIT COUNTY

Mr. Roger Pressler  
Pressler Home Dressed Meats  
2553 Pressler Road  
Akron, Ohio 44312

Dear Mr. Pressler:

On August 19, 2010 this writer conducted an inspection of your wastewater treatment works for the purpose of determining compliance with the above referenced NPDES permit. A summary of the inspection is as follows:

- 1) The mixed liquor in the aeration chamber was a good chocolate color.
- 2) The clarifier had some floating debris. Noted was that the skimmer was not on. There was no flow over the weir.
- 3) The surface sand filters were clean and raked level.
- 4) The chlorine contact tank was clear and a couple of tablets were present.
- 5) The dechlorination tank was also clear with tablets present.
- 6) The discharge from the wastewater plant was flowing less than 1 gpm and was clear.
- 7) There were no problems noted just downstream of the discharge to the Tuscarawas River.
- 8) The non-contact cooling water was flowing at approximately 5 gpm and was clear.
- 9) The channel adjacent to the sump outside the building contains debris that should be cleaned.

Pictures are attached for your reference.

A review of your compliance history for the time period of April 2010 through July 2010 indicated the following violations of your NPDES permit:

**Numeric Violations**

Station	Reporting Code	Parameter	Limit Type	Limit	Reported Value	Violation Date
001	50060	Chlorine, Total Residu	1D Conc	0.038	.1	5/3/2010
001	50060	Chlorine, Total Residu	1D Conc	0.038	.2	6/7/2010
001	50060	Chlorine, Total Residu	1D Conc	0.038	.15	7/5/2010

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Frequency Violations

None.

The above violations should be easily corrected by maintaining dechlorination tablets in the chamber. I will be frequently inspecting the chamber for the presence of the tablets for the near future. If you should have any questions concerning any of the above, feel free to contact this writer at (330) 963-1136.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Philip P. Rhodes". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "P".

Philip P. Rhodes, P.E.  
Environmental Specialist II  
Division of Surface Water

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File: Industrial Permit/Compliance

