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Re: Defiance County  
Hampton Inn  
Construction  
Storm Water

May 21, 2009

Mr. J. J. Patel  
1900 N Clinton Street  
Defiance, Ohio 43512

Dear Mr. Patel:

On March 25, 2009, I inspected the Hampton Inn development which is located at 1068 Hotel Drive in Defiance, Ohio. The purpose of my visit was to evaluate compliance of the site with your National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) Permit for storm water associated with construction activity, Construction General Permit (CGP) Facility ID NO. 2GC02044\*AG. The inspection was conducted under the provisions of Ohio's water pollution control statutes, Ohio Revised Code (ORC) Chapter 6111. As a result of the inspection, the following are comments on violations of the NPDES permit:

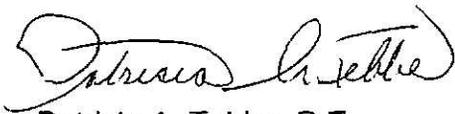
1. At the time of the inspection, construction had begun with the hotel erected and parking lots and curbs installed.
2. The stormwater pollution prevention plan, including inspection logs was not reviewed.
3. No inlet protection was present on catch basins in the hotel parking area.
4. There are areas of bare soil with no temporary or permanent stabilization.
5. Trash and other debris needs to be contained and properly disposed.
6. The detention basin has bare slopes on the west end and needs to have permanent stabilization on the slopes and bottom.
7. Along Hotel Drive inlet protection is not maintained.

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8. There are areas of bare soil along both sides of the street with erosion patterns and tracking of dirt onto the street.

Please send written notification of what measures you have taken to correct the above violations to my attention at this office within 10 days of the date on this letter. If you have any questions, you may contact me at (419) 373-3016 or [patricia.tebbe@epa.state.oh.us](mailto:patricia.tebbe@epa.state.oh.us).

Sincerely,



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