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Re: Midwest Specialties, Inc.
OHD987002375
Auglaize County
Hazardous Waste
Return to Compliance

October 9, 2009

Mr. John Fanger, Plant Manager
Midwest Specialties, Inc.
851 Industrial Drive
Wapakoneta, Ohio 45895

Dear Mr. Fanger:

Thank you for your August 20, 2009, response to Ohio EPA's July 31, 2009, Notice of Violation letter. I received your response on September 24, 2009. You submitted documentation including photographs of a properly labeled and dated container of universal waste lamps. You also explained that all employees have been informed of the proper procedures for managing used lamps and you identified three used lamp handlers that you could use in the future.

My review of the documentation reveals that Midwest Specialties has adequately demonstrated abatement of the violation discovered during my July 22, 2009, inspection.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at (419) 373-3074.

Sincerely,

Don North
District Representative
Division of Hazardous Waste Management

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NOTICE:

Ohio EPA's failure to list specific deficiencies or violations in this letter does not relieve your company from having to comply with all applicable regulations.