



John R. Kasich, Governor  
Mary Taylor, Lt. Governor  
Scott J. Nally, Director

Re: Greif, Inc.  
OHD005037817  
Van Wert County  
Hazardous Waste  
**Return to Compliance**

November 16, 2012

Mr. Douglas Benner  
Plant Manager  
Greif, Inc.  
975 Glenn Street  
Van Wert, Ohio 45891

Dear Mr. Benner:

Thank you for your November 12, 2012, response to Ohio EPA's October 30, 2012, Notice of Violation (NOV) letter. You submitted documentation including: photos of closed containers of universal waste lamps, photos of properly labeled and dated containers of universal waste lamps, photos of properly labeled universal waste batteries and a record of employee universal waste training conducted on October 26, 2012.

My review of this documentation reveals that, on November 12, 2012, Greif, Inc. adequately demonstrated abatement of five violations including:

1. **Universal Waste Packaging - Lamps**  
OAC Rule 3745-273-13(D)(1)
2. **Universal Waste Labeling - Lamps**  
OAC Rule 3745-273-14(E)
3. **Accumulation Time for Universal Waste - Lamps**  
OAC Rule 3745-273-15(C)
4. **Universal Waste Labeling – Batteries**  
OAC Rule 3745-273-34(A)
5. **Universal Waste Employee Training**  
OAC Rule 3745-273-16

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These violations were discovered during my October 17, 2012, inspection.

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

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Don North". The signature is written in a cursive, slightly slanted style.

Don North  
District Representative  
Division of Materials and Waste Management

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