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**Re: Guernsey County
Ports Petroleum
Self-Monitoring Report Violations
Ohio EPA Permit No. 0PR00079*AD
Correspondence (PWW)**

Mr. Bob Stevenson
Ports Petroleum Company, Inc.
P.O. Box 1046
Wooster, Ohio 44691

Dear Mr. Stevenson:

We have received your self-monitoring report covering the month of December 2008 for the Ports Petroleum wastewater treatment plant. Our review indicates violations of the conditions of your NPDES permit. The specific instances of noncompliance and/or deficiencies are as follows:

Station	Reporting Code	Parameter	Limit Type	Limit	Reported Value	Violation Date
001	00610	Nitrogen, Ammonia (NH3)	30D Conc	3.0	7.15	12/1/2008
001	00610	Nitrogen, Ammonia (NH3)	7D Conc	4.5	7.15	12/1/2008

*7 D Conc is equal to average weekly concentration limit.
30 D Conc is equal to average monthly concentration limit.

Please be advised that failure to comply with the effluent limitations or to satisfy the monitoring or reporting requirements of your NPDES permit may be cause for enforcement action pursuant to Ohio Revised Code Chapter 6111.

Please submit within **10** days upon receipt of this letter as to the reasons for the above permit violations and actions being taken to prevent further occurrences. If a prior explanation of the violations has been sent to our office please disregard. If there are any questions, please contact me at (740) 380-5416.

Sincerely,

Jake Greuey
District Representative
Division of Surface Water

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c: Matt Stiers, Operator