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September 18, 2008

Re: Washington County
Little Hocking Service Center
Self-Monitoring Report Violations
Ohio EPA Permit No. 0IQ00023*ED
NPDES Permit No. OH0094641
Correspondence (IWW)

Mr. Jefferie D'Costas, Process Engineer
Little Hocking Service Center
dba Estep Recovery
P.O. Box 452
Little Hocking, Ohio 45742

Dear Mr. D'Costas:

We have received your self-monitoring report covering the months of April through June 2008 for the referenced facility. Our review indicates violations of the conditions of your NPDES permit. The specific instances of noncompliance and/or deficiencies are as follows:

Outfall	Parameter	Limit Type	Limit	Reported Value	Violation Date
001	Oil and Grease, Hexane	1D Conc	10	12.4	4/3/2008
001	Oil and Grease, Hexane	1D Conc	10	16.8	6/26/2008

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 the Ohio Revised Code Chapter 6111.

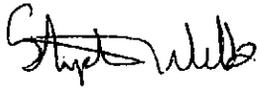
Please inform this office, in writing, within ten days of receipt of this notification as to the reasons for the above referenced violations, as well as a description of the actions taken or proposed to prevent any further violations. Your response should include the dates, either actual or proposed, for completion of the actions.

The Ohio EPA strongly encourages pollution prevention as the preferred approach for waste management. The first priority of pollution prevention is to eliminate the generation of wastes and pollutants at the source (source reduction). For those wastes or pollutants that are generated, the second priority is to recycle or reuse them in an environmentally sound manner. You can benefit economically, help preserve the

environment, and improve your public image by implementing pollution prevention programs. For more information about pollution prevention, including fact sheets or U.S. EPA's *"Facility Pollution Prevention Guide"* (EPA/600/R-92.008), please contact the Ohio EPA Pollution Prevention Section at (614) 644-3469.

If there are any questions, please contact me at (740) 380-5434.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Stephen Wells". The signature is cursive and somewhat stylized.

Stephen Wells
District Representative
Division of Surface Water

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