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March 30, 2011

Truskie Burson-Rager
Owens Corning Insulating Systems, LLC
100 Blackjack Road
Mount Vernon, OH 43050

Re: NOTICE OF VIOLATION - Compliance Test Failed
Facility ID: 0142010065
Name: Owens Corning Insulating Systems, LLC
Location: 100 Blackjack Road
Mount Vernon, OH
County: Knox

Dear Ms. Burson-Rager:

On February 24, 2011, Lehder Environmental Services Limited performed particulate compliance tests at the facility, indicated above, on the glass making systems 2 and 3 (P038 and P033) and particulate, carbon monoxide, and non-methane volatile compound compliance tests on the Forming/Fabrication/Packing Modules 1, 2, and 3 (P039 and P037).

Ohio EPA received the test report on March 23, 2011. The test report has been reviewed and we have concluded that the test was conducted according to the procedures specified in 40 CFR Part 60, Appendix A, U.S. EPA Test Methods 1-5, 202, 10, and 25A. The results of the test showed the glass making systems 2 and 3 (P038 and P033) particulate emissions violated the allowable emissions rate established in permits to install P0105834 (for P038) and P0105936 (for P033).

Our test review of P038 and P033 shows the following:

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| I. | Tested Emission Rate: | 1.21 lbs particulate/hour |
| II. | Allowable Emission Rate: | 0.932 lbs particulate/hour |
| III. | Source Operating Rate: | 5.6 tons of glass per hour |
| IV. | Isokinetic Rate: | Run #1 - 99.6%; Run #2 - 99.7%; Run #3 - 99.9% |

Owens Corning has acknowledged this violation. The suspected cause, poorly sealed baghouse cartridges, has been rectified. In addition, Owens Corning has scheduled a re-test of these emissions units for April 5, 2011.

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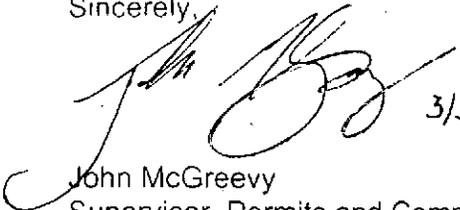
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Acceptance by Ohio EPA of a compliance plan and schedule does not constitute a waiver of the Ohio EPA's authority to seek civil penalties as provided in Section 3704.06 of the Revised Code. The determination to pursue or to decline to pursue such penalties in this case will be made by Ohio EPA at a later date.

If you have any questions, please contact Sara Geary of my staff at 614-995-0668 or e-mail sara.geary@epa.ohio.gov.

Sincerely,



3/30/2011

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