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NOTICE OF VIOLATION

Jason Shaw
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Dear Mr. Shaw:

This letter confirms our conversation of June 7, 2007, wherein I advised you that you were open burning in violation of Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) 3745-19. These actions are subject to fines and penalties.

Specifically, on June 7, 2007, you were open burning landscape waste within 1,000 feet from the nearest inhabited building off the premises.

We are also noting that on June 6, 2007, you called me to get permission to burn the waste material and I told you that you could not burn it. Then, later that evening, you decided to burn it anyway, apparently under the guise of a pleasure fire. However, the approximate 12 foot diameter fire was larger than the allowed 3 foot diameter fire, and when I arrived at the site, there was no one present at the fire. There was also evidence of construction debris, brush and leaves which are not as clean as clean seasoned firewood.

This letter is not a final action of the Director of Ohio EPA and is intended only as a notification of a violation of the Ohio environmental laws and regulations. It does not preclude Ohio EPA or any other governmental entity from further enforcement action.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call me at (614) 728-3808.

Sincerely,

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