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Dale Mullet, President  
Dutch Valley Woodworking  
P.O. Box 416  
Sugarcreek, OH 44681

Re: Tuscarawas County  
Dutch Valley Woodworking; Facility ID # 0679000260  
Warning Letter

Dear Mr. Mullet:

The purpose of this letter is to notify you of a violation of Ohio's air pollution regulations discovered for the Dutch Valley Woodworking facility located at SR39 and TR360 in Sugarcreek, Ohio. This violation was discovered during a recent review of the facility files and submitted deviation reports.

The permit-to-install (PTI) applicable to this facility is PTI #06-03322 issued on April 21, 1993. A permit-to-operate (PTO) for the two spray booths at the facility (emissions units R001 and R002) was renewed effective June 16, 1998, but this permit expired on June 16, 2003 and to date, the company has failed to submit an application to renew the permit. Therefore, the company is in violation of Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) rule 3745-31-02(A)(1)(c) for operating air contaminant sources without valid operating permits. Note that Part I.9. of the PTO issued on June 16, 1998 identifies the permittee's responsibility to apply for renewal of the PTO prior to the expiration date of the permit.

***Within thirty (30) days of your receipt of this letter***, please submit a complete permit-to-install and operate (PTIO) application for the two emissions units at this facility. Copies of the application forms and instructions are enclosed, and you may also obtain electronic copies at <http://www.epa.state.oh.us/dapc/fops/eac/eacforms.html>. Dutch Valley Woodworking must provide Ohio EPA this information to ensure compliance with state air pollution regulations. Acceptance of this information by Ohio EPA does not constitute a waiver of Ohio EPA's authority to seek civil penalties as provided in section 3704.06 of the Ohio Revised Code. The determination to pursue or decline to pursue such penalties in this case will be made by Ohio EPA at a later date.

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Also enclosed is information for Ohio EPA's Office of Compliance Assistance and Pollution Prevention (OCAPP). Ralph Witte is the OCAPP contact for Ohio EPA's Southeast District Office and his business card is enclosed. Please contact Mr. Witte if you would like assistance in completing the application forms to renew your company's operating permits.

Should you have any questions or need assistance responding to this request, please feel free to contact me at (740) 380-5245 or via email at [kim.reinbold@epa.state.oh.us](mailto:kim.reinbold@epa.state.oh.us).

Sincerely,



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Enclosures

cc: Ralph Witte, OCAPP, SEDO