Ohio Environmental Protection Agency
John R. Kasich, Governor
Mary Taylor, Lt. Governor
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February 21, 2012

Re: Belmont County
RG Steel Wheeling, LLC
formerly Severstal & Wheeling Pittsburgh Steel
Martins Ferry Plant
Self-monitoring Report Violations
NPDES Permit 0IC00020*DD
Correspondence (IWW/Major)

Mr. Bud Smith
RE Steel Wheeling, LLC
1134 Market Street
Wheeling, WV 26003

Dear Mr. Smith:

We have received your self-monitoring reports covering the months of June through December 2011 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:

Reporting Period	Station	Parameter	Limit Type	Limit	Reported Value	Violation Date
September 2011	Unauthorized bypass discharge over weir wall					9/26/2011
November 2011	001	Zinc, Total	1D Conc	910	966	11/17/2011
December 2011	001	Acute Toxicity, Ceriodaphnia	1D Conc	1.0	1.41	12/1/2011

1D Conc = Daily Average Concentration Value
1D Qty = Daily Average Loading Value
7D Conc = Weekly Average Concentration Value
30D Conc = Monthly Average Concentration Value
7D Qty = Weekly Average Loading Value
30D Qty = Monthly Average Loading Value

We have received your email notifying Ohio EPA of the above violations. No additional information is required at this time.

If there are any questions, please contact me at (740) 380-5284.

Sincerely,

Ms. Abbot Stevenson
Environmental Engineer
Permits and Enforcement Section
Division of Surface Water

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