



John L. Kasich, Governor
Mary Taylor, Lt. Governor
Scott J. Nally, Director

November 13, 2012

Jodi Schaad
Core Molding Technologies
800 Manor Park Drive
Columbus, OH 43228

**Re: Notice of Violation
Core Molding Technologies / Franklin County
Industrial Storm Water Permit 4GR00307*FG**

Dear Ms. Schaad:

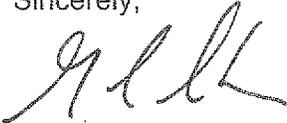
This letter is written in regard to the storm water inspection that I conducted on November 6, 2012, at Core Molding Technologies located at 800 Manor Park Drive in Columbus, Ohio. The inspection was conducted to determine compliance with your industrial storm water permit. I was escorted around your facility by you and the plant manager. The following items were noted during the inspection:

1. I noted numerous stains on the unloading ramp near the calcium carbonate storage. The paved ramp is directly upstream of a sump pit that discharged to waters of the state. There was no protocol in place to test the sump pit waters prior to discharge to waters of the state. The water in the sump pit had a sheen on the water. Best management practices (BMPs) must be utilized to prevent spills on to the pavement. BMPs and protocols must also be included in your storm water pollution prevention plan (SWP3). Please see attached pictures.
2. The ramp area also contained contaminated parts, unloading equipment and open buckets of waste material that need to be kept in secondary containment and under roof. During unloading of raw material, it is recommended to place a bucket or pan under the unloading connection to capture any raw material that may spill. Please see attached pictures.
3. There were several sources of discharge to a storm water drain located on the south side of your property. The pavement was stained white and the discharge appeared to be milky-white. Please prevent any illicit discharges to storm water drains. You may be eligible for a general permit for non-contact cooling water (NCCW) for the one discharge source. Please be aware that the NCCW should be free of contaminants such as anti-corrosive and anti-microbial agents. Please see attached pictures.
4. There was blowdown material that was accumulating around the collection bag. Since this collection bag is located outside, rain could carry the dust to a storm drain or off-site. It is recommended to have a larger containment system for this collection device or utilize better housekeeping protocol.

5. Used air pollution control equipment was being stored outside on the pavement. The used equipment had sediment and pollutants collected on the equipment. Used or oily and greasy equipment should be stored in containment and under roof.
6. Full or partially full drums stored outside should be kept in containment and preferably under roof.
7. Empty drums stored outside should be stored upright and with a lid.
8. Waste containers stored outside should have a lid.

I will conduct a follow-up inspection in thirty days to determine if your facility is in compliance with the industrial storm water general permit. If you have any questions regarding this letter or my inspection, please do not hesitate to contact me at our Central District Office at 614-728-3851.

Sincerely,

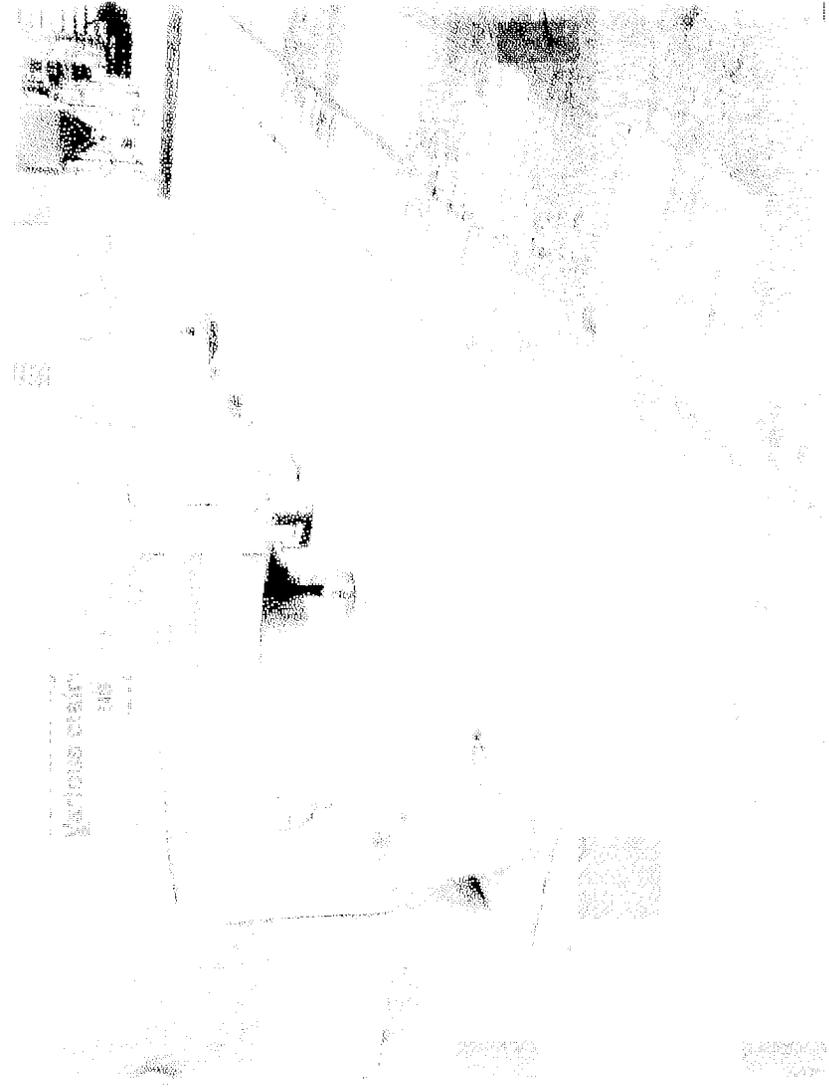
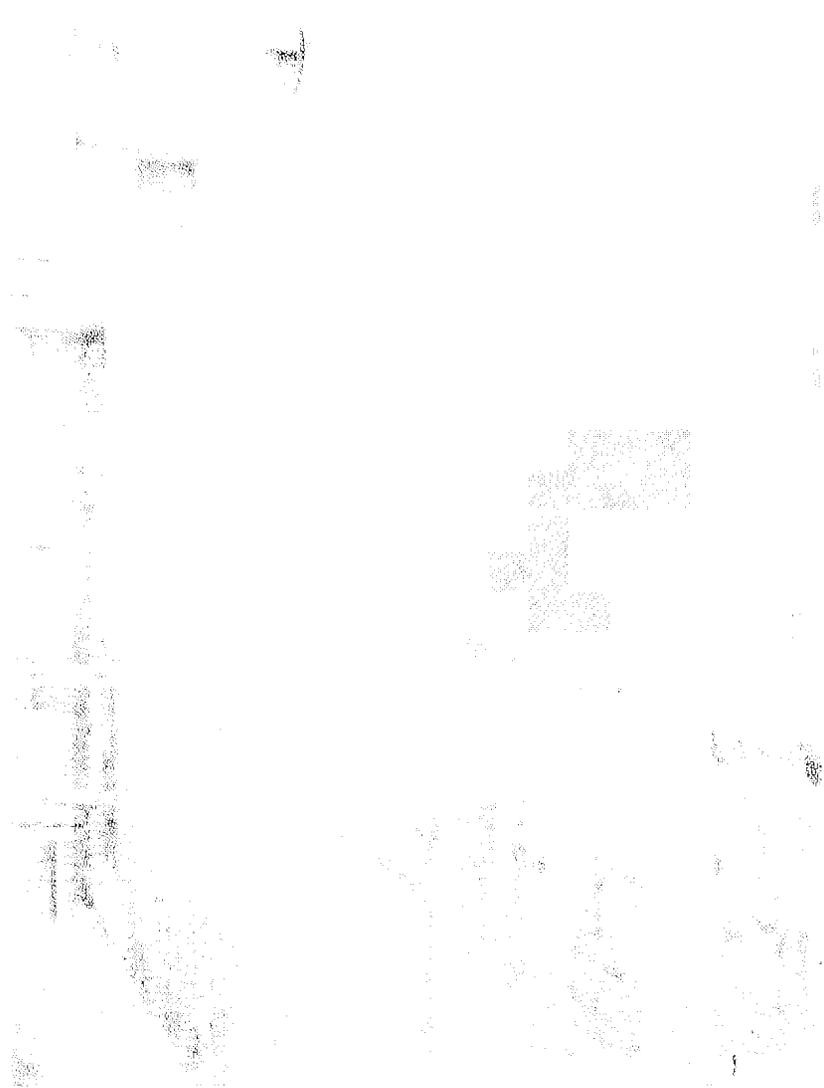


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Division of Surface Water
Central District Office

Enclosures

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GS/nsm Core Molding Technologies, November 6, 2012



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