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May 10, 2013

Certified Mail

Mr. Dan Crago
Valley Asphalt Corporation
11641 Mosteller Road
Cincinnati, OH 45241

Re: NOTICE OF VIOLATION - Compliance Test Failed

Facility ID: 1431004368, Valley Asphalt Corporation
Location: Portable source currently located at the Wright Patterson Air Force Base, Xenia, OH 45433
Hamilton County

Dear Mr. Crago:

On August 28, 2012, Industrial Air Science performed a nitrogen oxide emissions compliance test at the facility indicated above on Asphalt Plant #29, emissions unit P901. Ohio EPA received the test report on April 25, 2013. 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 Method 7E. The results of the test showed the source to be out of compliance with the applicable Ohio EPA regulations and your facility permit terms and conditions.

The applicable emissions limit for the asphalt plant is 0.055 lb NO_x/hr.

Our test review shows the following:

- I. Tested Emission Rate: **0.058 lb/hr**
- II. Allowable Emission Rate: **0.055 lb/hr**
- III. Source Average Operating Rate: **21,400 SCF**
- IV. Isokinetic Rate: **Run #1 - 102.2%; Run #2 - 99.0%; Run #3 - 98.3%**

Please submit to this office, within 30 days of receipt of this letter, a plan and schedule for achieving compliance. Submit this plan to the attention of Kerri Castlen.

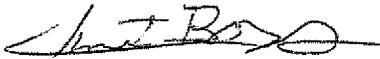


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Acceptance by the Ohio EPA of a compliance plan and schedule does not constitute a waiver of the Ohio EPA's authority to seek civil penalties as provided in Section 3704.06 of the Revised Code. The determination to pursue or to decline to pursue such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

If you have any questions, please contact me at (513) 946-7715 or E-mail chris.boss@hamilton-co.org.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Chris Boss", with a stylized flourish at the end.

Christopher Boss
Environmental Compliance Specialist III
Southwest Ohio Air Quality Agency