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January 10, 2008

**CERTIFIED MAIL**

Mr. Ray Yoder, Jr.  
L&J Woodworking, Ltd.  
9035 Senff Rd  
Dundee, OH 44624

**RE: Notice of Violation for Installing Sealer Booth #2 without Applying for Proper Permits; DAPC Facility ID 02-85-00-0420**

Dear Mr. Yoder:

This letter is to inform you that L&J Woodworking has violated Ohio environmental law.

**Current Violations**

Be advised that installing the Wood Product Sealer Booth #2, R004, and modifying in December 1, 2007, without first applying for and receiving a PTI, is a violation of Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) Rule 3745-31-02. Commencing operation of the new emissions units on December 1, 2007, without applying for a permit-to-operate is in violation of OAC Rule 3745-35-02.

Your application for a PTI for installing Wood Product Sealer Booth #2 and modifying emissions unit R002 and R003 was received on January 9, 2008. Please submit a Permit-to-Operate for emissions units R002, R003 and R004 by February 10, 2008.

**Compliance History**

L&J Woodworking has been warned twice previously for installing and operating air pollution sources without first applying for and receiving a PTI. My letter dated February 10, 2005, you were informed that installing two woodworking operations and one spray booth in February 2002 without the appropriate permits was a violation of Ohio environmental law. Further, my letter dated January 31, 2006, you were informed that installing two diesel engines, one in February 2002 and one in October 2005, was a violation of Ohio environmental law.

Be advised that violations of state air pollution regulations are punishable by a civil penalty of \$25,000 per violation. Issuance of this notice does not excuse past violation of federal, state and local laws regarding air pollution. This office reserves the right to pursue violations of air pollution regulations in the form of a referral to Ohio EPA's Central Office.

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I look forward to receiving the PTO applications by February 10, 2008. If you have any questions concerning this letter, please contact me directly at (330) 963-1298.

Sincerely,

  
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