

**SOUTHWEST OHIO
AIR QUALITY AGENCY**

October 9, 2012

CERTIFIED MAIL - RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Andrew Roebel
DEGS of St. Bernard, LLC
P.O. Box 960, EM740
Cincinnati, OH 45202

Re: Notice Of Violation – Excess Carbon Monoxide (CO) Emissions
Facility ID: 14311394148
Emissions Unit: B045
Facility Name: DEGS of St. Bernard, LLC
Location: 5189 Spring Grove Avenue
Cincinnati, Ohio 45223
Hamilton County

Dear Mr. Roebel,

The Second Quarter, 2012 Excess Emissions Report (EER) submitted by DEGS of St. Bernard has been reviewed by the Hamilton County Department of Environmental Services (HCDOES).

Data summaries in the EER indicate that B045 had carbon monoxide emissions in excess of 5% of the emissions unit's total time of operation during the 2nd quarter. The actual percent of excess CO emissions was 7.52%.

HCDOES considers the 2nd quarter CO emissions excessive and in violation of OAC rule 3745-31-05(A)(3) and Ohio Revised Code rule 3704.05(C).

Please submit a corrective action plan that outlines the steps that the facility will take in order to bring emission unit B045 into compliance with the above rule, and a schedule for compliance. The plan should be submitted by November 2, 2012.

The acceptance by the Ohio EPA of a schedule for compliance does not constitute a waiver of the 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 the Ohio EPA at a later date.

Should you have any questions, please contact me at 946-7709.

Sincerely,



Thomas P. Wittekind
Environmental Compliance Specialist

cc: Bruce Weinberg, Ohio EPA
William McDowell, USEPA



