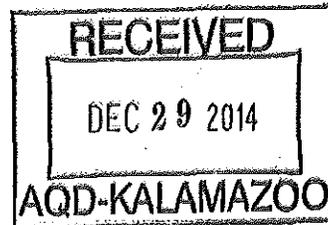


December 24, 2014

Mr. Dennis Dunlap
Environmental Quality Specialist
Air Quality Division
7953 Adobe Road
Kalamazoo, MI 49009



Re: Violation Notice Response

Dear Mr. Dunlap:

As you know, on December 9, 2014, you contacted Ameriwood regarding a concern of Opacity from our Wood-fire boiler used for heating our facility. During your investigation, you stated you recorded opacity from the stack that exceeded a 6-minute average of 20%.

Based on your visit, we have made the following changes:

1. It was determined that wood scrap being processed contained a different paper covering. We have stopped using this material as boiler material.
2. Adjustments were made to the boiler process, adding more air/water to the burn process.
3. We have increased our internal visual inspection for Opacity concerns to address any issues that may arise.

We believe the changes noted have corrected the situation, and we will continue to monitor and adjust accordingly.

We appreciate your attention and cooperation regarding this issue. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Steve Long".

Steve Long
Plant Manager