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Air Quality Division Detroit Office

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April 3, 2017

Ms. Katie Koster MDEQ Detroit, AQD Cadillac Place 3058 West Grand Boulevard Suite 2-300 Detroit, MI 48202-6058

Subject:

Violation Notice dated March 13, 2017

Edw. C. Levy Co., Plant 6

SRN: B4243

Dear Ms. Koster:

The Edw. C. Levy Co. (Levy) is in receipt of the subject Violation Notice dated March 13, 2017, for an alleged citizen complaint concerning fallout on Mellon St. in Detroit. The Violation Notice alleges that Levy violated General Condition No. 12(b) of ROP No. MI-ROP-B4243-2016 and Rule 901(b).

The violation notice states that MDEQ completed an investigation on January 27, 2017 for an alleged complaint of fallout on January 26, 2017. The violation notice states that a sample of the fallout was collected as part of the investigation and analyzed. The analysis from the City of Grand Rapids, Environmental Services Department, using microscopic examination stated that the sample was greater than 90% calcite, which is commonly referred to as limestone.

Upon receiving an e-mail from you on January 27, 2017, Levy conducted a thorough investigation of its operations at 13800 Mellon Street, Detroit, MI and no abnormal conditions were identified and all emission control devices were operational.

While we are not the only businesses in the area that handles products that contain calcite, all employees were retrained on the importance of maintaining moisture in the products we manage.

If you need additional information, please call me at (313) 690-0139.

Sincerely,

Thomas E. Green, PE

Director, Environmental Services

Edw. C. Levy Co.

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