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May 9, 2019

Mr. James Albrecht Albrecht Sand and Gravel 3790 West Sanilac Road Snover, Michigan 48472

SRN: N1656, Sanilac County

Dear Mr. Albrecht:

## VIOLATION NOTICE

On May 7, 2019, the Michigan Department of Environment, Great Lakes and Energy (EGLE), Air Quality Division (AQD), had a meeting with representatives of Albrecht Sand and Gravel located at 3790 West Sanilac Road, Snover, Michigan. The purpose of this meeting was to determine Albrecht Sand and Gravel's compliance with the requirements of the federal Clean Air Act; Part 55, Air Pollution Control, of the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Act, 1994 PA 451, as amended (Act 451); the Air Pollution Control Rules.

During the meeting, staff discussed the following:

Process Description	Rule/Permit Condition Violated	Comments
Unpermitted nonmetallic mineral crushing facility consisting of crushers and associated process equipment.	R 336.1201	Nonmetallic mineral crushing facility was installed and operated without a permit to install.

During this meeting, it was noted that Albrecht Sand and Gravel had installed and commenced operation of an unpermitted process at this facility. The AQD staff advised Albrecht Sand and Gravel on May 7, 2019, that this is a violation of Rule 201 of the administrative rules promulgated under Act 451.

A program for compliance may include a completed PTI application for the nonmetallic mineral crushing facility process equipment. An application form is available by request, or at the following website: www.michigan.gov/air (in the shaded box on the upper right-hand side of the page).

Be advised that Rule 201 requires that a permit be obtained prior to installation, construction, operation, reconstruction, relocation, or alteration of any process or process equipment which may be a source of an air contaminant.

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Please initiate actions necessary to correct the cited violation and submit a written response to this Violation Notice by May 30, 2019 (which coincides with 21 calendar days from the date of this letter). The written response should include: the dates the violation occurred; an explanation of the causes and duration of the violation; whether the violation is ongoing; a summary of the actions that have been taken and are proposed to be taken to correct the violation and the dates by which these actions will take place; and what steps are being taken to prevent a reoccurrence.

Please submit the written response to EGLE, AQD, Bay City District Office, at 401 Ketchum Street, Suite B, Bay City, Michigan 48708 and submit a copy to Ms. Jenine Camilleri, Enforcement Unit Supervisor at EGLE, AQD, P.O. Box 30260, Lansing, Michigan 48909-7760.

If Albrecht Sand and Gravel believes the above observations or statements are inaccurate or do not constitute violations of the applicable legal requirements cited, please provide appropriate factual information to explain your position.

Thank you for your attention to resolving the violation cited above and for the cooperation that was extended to me during our meeting. If you have any questions regarding the violation or the actions necessary to bring this facility into compliance, please contact me at the number listed below.

Sincerely,

Matthew R. Korl

Matthew Karl Environmental Quality Analyst Air Quality Division 989-439-3779

cc: Ms. Mary Ann Dolehanty, EGLE Dr. Eduardo Olaguer, EGLE Mr. Christopher Ethridge, EGLE Ms. Jenine Camilleri, EGLE Mr. Chris Hare, EGLE