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March 29, 2018

Daniel A. McGeen Department of Environmental Quality Air Quality Division

Dear Mr. McGeen,

We received your Violation Notice dated March 14, 2018 on March 26, 2018. In response to the inspections of January 10 and 30, 2018, we wish to reiterate that we were in the process of removing all of the wood chips because they continued to spontaneously combust.

On February 13, 2018, we meet with Laura Matthews from the DEQ at our location where she observed that the wood chips are completely gone. She took pictures and seemed satisfied with her findings.

We do not intend on stockpiling wood chips like this in the future, so there should be no reoccurrence. Should you have any further questions, please call me.

Sincerely,

Robert A. Rochowiak Jr. Howell Landscape Supplies LLC 248-431-2702