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Mr. Danny Veri  
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4902 Dewitt Road  
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Canton, Michigan 48188

Mr. Edward Bretzlaff  
C & J Contracting Company, Inc.  
6435 North Beck Road  
Canton, Michigan 48187

SRN/ID: U821910547; Wayne County

Dear Mr. Veri and Mr. Bretzlaff:

### **VIOLATION NOTICE**

On November 19, 2019, the Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy (EGLE), Air Quality Division (AQD), performed an asbestos NESHAP (National Emission Standard for Hazardous Air Pollutants) inspection at 824 Ridge Road South, Canton, Wayne County. The purpose of this inspection was to determine compliance with the requirements of Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations (40 CFR), Part 61, Subpart M (National Emission Standard for Asbestos), and Rule 942 of Part 55, Air Pollution Control of the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Act, 1994 PA 451, as amended (Act 451).

According to my investigation, Livonia Builders owns the subject property and C & J Contracting Company, Inc. performed the demolition activities. The National Emission Standard for Asbestos holds both the *owner and operator* equally liable for any violations.

During the inspection, staff observed the following:

The subject property had recent demolition activities occur. No 10-day notification for scheduled demolition was submitted. General demolition debris was found on-site as well as a bulldozer and an informational pamphlet with C & J Contracting Company, Inc. contact information and demolition plans. Documents from Charter Township of Canton, Department of Municipal Services show that a demolition permit application was submitted September 16, 2019.

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Process Description	Section Violated	Comments
On 11/19/19, staff performed an inspection at 824 Ridge Road South, Canton. During the inspection, staff observed evidence of a recent demolition. No thorough asbestos inspection was performed, and no notification was submitted.	40 CFR 61.145 (a)	Failure to thoroughly inspect for asbestos.
	40 CFR 61.145 (b)(1)	Failure to provide 10 working day notification.

Please initiate actions necessary to correct the cited violations and submit a written response to this violation notice by December 23, 2019, (which coincides with 21 calendar days from the date of this letter). The written response should include: the dates the violations occurred; an explanation of the causes and duration of the violations; whether the violations are ongoing; a summary of the actions that have been taken and are proposed to be taken to correct the violations, and the dates by which these actions will take place; and what steps are being taken to prevent a reoccurrence.

Please submit the signed written response to Mr. Ivan Bell at EGLE, AQD, P.O. Box 30260, Lansing, Michigan 48909-7760 or scan and email as an attachment to me at [belli@michigan.gov](mailto:belli@michigan.gov) and submit a copy to Mr. Jason Wolf, Enforcement Unit at EGLE, AQD, P.O. Box 30260, Lansing, Michigan 48909-7760 or [Wolfj2@michigan.gov](mailto:Wolfj2@michigan.gov).

If you believe the above observations or statements are inaccurate or do not constitute a violation of the applicable legal requirements cited, please provide appropriate factual information to explain your position.

Thank you for your attention to resolving the violations cited above and for the cooperation that was extended to me during our conversations. If you have any questions regarding the violation notification or the actions necessary to bring this facility into compliance, please feel free to contact me at 517-582-0535; [belli@michigan.gov](mailto:belli@michigan.gov); or EGLE, AQD, P.O. Box 30260, Lansing, Michigan 48909-7760.

Sincerely,



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cc: Ms. Mary Ann Dolehanty, EGLE  
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