



19 November 2015

RE: SRN: N8300, Wayne County

Dear Katie Koster,

I am writing in response to the violation notice that I received from your office in regard to our Burn off oven located at our Taylor facility.

After the inspection of July 28<sup>th</sup> 2015, we took the oven out of service and it has been out of service since then. We have ordered a new replacement oven and its expected delivery is January 23<sup>rd</sup> 2016. The new oven will be equipped with an 8 channel Data Logger / Recorder. The oven will be installed by the manufacturer.

Once the new oven is placed into service, our Quality Manager will establish an annual calibration schedule for the oven and it will be placed on our Master Calibration list according to our ISO requirements. In addition to the annual calibration schedule, a Maintenance Log will be established for this piece of equipment to ensure all pertinent service is recorded and available for inspection.

We feel that the replacement of the oven, the established calibration and maintenance schedules will rectify all previous violations and prevent a reoccurrence of similar violations in the future.

Should you require any additional information, please feel free to contact me at your convenience.

Sincerely,

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K+S Services, Inc.

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