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**Subject: Suburban Landfill, Inc., Perry County
Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) Rule 3745-27-10(D)(7)(c) Approval**

Dear Mr. Fello:

January 28, 2002, the Southeast District Office (SEDO) of the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency (Ohio EPA) received a report from Eagon and Associates on behalf of the Suburban Landfill, Inc., titled *2001 Second Semiannual Ground Wafer Results and Statistical Analysis*. The report included data for the December 2001 sampling event. Statistically significant increases for the following parameters were identified within the report: barium, chloride and sodium in monitoring well MW-8CR and chloride and sodium in well MW-11C.

In accordance with Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) Rule 3745-27-10(D)(7)(b) Suburban Landfill, Inc., notified the director of the significant changes from background values within the required seventy-five days of withdrawing the samples.

Within the report, Suburban Landfill, Inc., included a demonstration which concluded that the statistically significant increases for barium, chloride and sodium in well MW-8CR and chloride and sodium in well MW-11C were the result of a false positive determination due to spatial variability.

The demonstration was reviewed by the Division of Drinking and Ground Waters (DDAGW) and the Division of Solid and Infectious Waste Management (DSIWM). Upon review, the data submitted adequately supports Suburban Landfill, Inc's., conclusion for the statistically significant increases.

Based on the demonstration provided, the statistically significant increases for barium, chloride and sodium in monitoring well MW-8CR and chloride and sodium in monitoring well MW-11C reported in the 2001 second semi-annual ground water statistics report appear to be false statistical positives. Therefore, Ohio EPA approves continuation of the detection monitoring program in accordance with OAC 3745-27-10(D)(7)(c) for the parameters specified above.

Bob Taft Governor
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Christopher Jones, Director

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Should future ground water sampling results indicate statistically significant increases in ground water monitoring parameters at any of the detection monitoring wells, you must either enter them into assessment monitoring in accordance with OAC 3745-27-10(E) or obtain an approval to keep them in the detection monitoring program.

You are hereby notified that this action of the director of the Ohio EPA is final and may be appealed to the Environmental Review Appeals Commission (ERAC) pursuant to Ohio Revised Code (ORC) Section 3745.04. The appeal must be in writing and set forth the action complained of and the grounds upon which the appeal is based. It must be filed with ERAC within 30 days after notice of the director's action. A copy of the appeal must be served on the director within three days of filing with ERAC. An appeal may be filed with ERAC at the following address:

Environmental Review Appeals Commission
236 East Town Street, Room 300
Columbus, Ohio 43215

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Dale Warner in the Division of Solid and Infectious Waste Management at (740) 380-5435.

Sincerely,



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