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I certify this to be a true and accurate copy of the  
original document as filed with the Ohio  
Environmental Protection Agency.

Zona L. Clements Sep 18, 03

**Re: Amberley Village Landfill, Hamilton County  
Alteration to an OAC Rule 3745-27-13 Authorization**

Dear Rabbi Zedek:

On August 22, 2003, the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency (Ohio EPA) issued an authorization pursuant to Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) Rule 3745-27-13 to the Jewish Federation of Cincinnati (Federation) for the closed Amberley Village Landfill located in Hamilton County Ohio. Condition Number 12 of that authorization states:

This authorization applies only to the activities related to the geophysical survey, excavation of the debris trenches, and installation of monitoring apparatus as outlined in the *Application for Authorization of Engage in Filling, Grading, Excavating, Building, or Drilling on Land Where a Solid Waste Facility was Operated at the Amberley Leaf and Wood Vebris Disposal Landfill (Closed), June 2003*, and as revised July 31, 2003.

On August 28, 2003, representatives of the Federation notified Ohio EPA that the geotechnical investigation component proposed in the request was not included in the authorization. Ohio EPA has reviewed the initial authorization, and we agree that the geotechnical investigation should have been included in it. Therefore, I hereby alter Condition Number 12 of the August 22, 2003, authorization to state the following:

This authorization applies only to the activities related to the geophysical survey, excavation of the debris trenches, installation of monitoring apparatus, and the geotechnical investigation as outlined in the *Application for Authorization to Engage in Filling, Grading, Excavating, Building, or Drilling on Land Where a Solid Waste Facility was Operated at the Amberley Leaf and Wood Debris Disposal Landfill (Closed), June 2003*, and as revised July 31, 2003.

Bob Taft, Governor  
Jennette Bradley, Lieutenant Governor  
Christopher Jones, Director

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The Federation shall comply with all the requirements and conditions established in the August 22, 2003, authorization except as altered herein.

Nothing in this letter shall be construed to authorize any waiver from any requirements of applicable state solid waste laws or regulations. This letter shall not be interpreted to release the Federation or others from responsibility under ORC Chapters 3704, 3714, 3734, or 6111; under the Federal Clean Water Act, the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act, the Toxic Substances Control Act, or the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act; or from other applicable requirements for remedying conditions resulting from any release of contaminants from the facility to the environment.

You are hereby notified that this action of the Director of Environmental Protection is final and may be appealed to the Environmental Review Appeals Commission pursuant to Ohio Revised Code (ORC) Section 3745.04. The appeal must be made in writing and set forth the action complained of and the grounds upon which the appeal is based. The appeal must be filed with the commission 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 the commission. An appeal may be filed with the commission at the following address:

Environmental Review Appeals Commission  
309 South Fourth Street  
Room 222  
Columbus, Ohio 43215

If you have any questions concerning this authorization, please contact Tracy Buchanan of Ohio EPA's Southwest District Office at (937) 285-6357.

Sincerely,



Christopher Jones  
Director

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