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Mr. Edward Kilbarger, President
Hocking Environmental Co.
P.O. Box 946
Logan, Ohio 43138

Re: San Lan Landfill, Seneca County
Ohio Administrative Code Rule 3745-27-10(D)(7)(c) authorization

Dear Mr. Kilbarger:

On March 26, 2003, the Mark James Corporation submitted to the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency (Ohio EPA) a request, pursuant to Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) Rule 3745-27-10(D)(7)(c), documenting that the following statistically significant increases are not the result of impact from the San Lan Landfill:

- copper in wells MP1B and MP4B.

Pursuant to OAC Rule 3745-27-10(D)(7)(c), the owner or operator may demonstrate that a source other than the facility caused the contamination, or the increase resulted from error during sampling, analysis, or evaluation, or natural variation in the groundwater. The March 26, 2003 demonstration concluded that the statistically significant increases of copper in wells MP1B and MP4B were due to a source other than the landfill.

Ohio EPA concurs with this demonstration and the owner/operator of the San Lan Landfill may continue ground water detection monitoring at monitoring wells MP1B and MP4B in accordance with OAC Rule 3745-27-10(D)(7)(c).

Should future or existing ground water sampling results indicate statistically significant increases in ground water quality for other parameters, the facility owner/operator will be required to enter into assessment monitoring in accordance with OAC Rule 3745-27-10(E), or obtain approval to remain in detection monitoring in accordance with OAC Rule 3745-27-10(D)(7)(c).

You are hereby notified that this action of the director is final and may be appealed to the Environmental Review Appeals Commission pursuant to Ohio Revised Code Section 3745.04. The appeal must be in writing and set forth the action complained of and the ground upon which the appeal is based. The appeal shall be filed with the Commission within 30 days after notice of the action. Notice of the filing of the appeal shall be filed with the director of environmental protection within three (3) days after the appeal is filed with the Commission.

I certify this to be a true and accurate copy of the
official document as filed in the files of the Ohio
Environmental Protection Agency

By

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An appeal may be filed with the Environmental Review Appeals 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 document, you may contact Mary Ann Miller at the Ohio EPA, Northwest District Office, at (419) 373-3060.

Sincerely,



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Northwest District Office for
Christopher Jones, Director

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