



ARKANSAS
Department of Environmental Quality

May 9, 2012

Mr. Larry Waldrop
El Dorado Water Utilities
P.O. Box 1587
El Dorado, AR 71731

RE: NPDES Permit Number AR0033723, AFIN 70-00341
NPDES Permit Effluent Violations

Dear Mr. Waldrop:

A recent review of the above referenced permit has revealed the following violations for the monitoring period ending March 31, 2012.

| DISCHARGE NUMBER | PARAMETER | VIOLATION | LIMIT | UNITS |
|------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------|-------|-------|
| 001-A | Total Ammonia-Nitrogen (MO AVG) | 511.9 | 397 | lb/d |
| 001-A | Total Ammonia-Nitrogen (MO AVG) | 23.0 | 6.8 | mg/L |
| 001-A | Total Ammonia-Nitrogen (7 DA AVG) | 26.9 | 17 | mg/L |
| TX1A | Whole Effluent Toxicity (DLY AVG MIN) | 100 | 75 | % |
| TX1-A | Whole Effluent Toxicity (7 DA MIN) | 100 | 75 | % |

As you know, Arkansas Pollution Control and Ecology Commission regulations and your NPDES Permit require you to take all reasonable measures necessary to eliminate or prevent the occurrence of violations. Please note that any violation of your permit can lead to enforcement action by ADEQ pursuant to the Arkansas Water and Air Pollution Control Act. Also, be aware that we maintain records of violations and of non-compliance reports documenting corrective action to determine the appropriateness and level of the enforcement action.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. Should you have any questions, feel free to contact me at 501-682-0632 or e-mail at bolenbaugh@adeq.state.ar.us.

Thank you,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jason R. Bolenbaugh". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name being the most prominent.

Jason R. Bolenbaugh
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