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Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality  
ADEQ Water Division – NPDES Enforcement Section  
Attention: Enforcement Administrator  
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Re: DMR Submittal / Noncompliance Report – NPDES Permit No. AR0047384 - Anthony Forest Products - Urbana

To Whom It May Concern:

Please find enclosed two sets (original & copy) of our monthly (February 1, 2015 – February 28, 2015) Discharge Monitoring Reports for the above referenced permit. All parameters were within permit limitations with the exception of fecal coliform at Outfall 001. Both monthly samples were collected during a discharge on February 23, 2015. Inclement weather prevented the fecal coliform sample from being delivered to the laboratory within the specified holding time, which may be responsible for the exceedance. Both the 7-day geometric mean limit of 2,000 # /100 ml and 30-day geometric mean limit of 1,000 #/100ml were exceeded with a result of TNTC. Please note that to my knowledge we have not had any fecal coliform compliance issues in the past and have been well below permit limitations during our last three facility discharges, September 2014, October 2014, & January 2015. We will continue to evaluate the wastewater treatment system in an effort to maintain permit compliance.

In addition, the winter conditions also prevented the facility's environmental consultant from being able to test the dissolved oxygen (DO) and pH during the discharge. Therefore, the dissolved oxygen and pH were analyzed at the laboratory. Both DO and pH were analyzed on the first sample when the samples arrived at the laboratory. However, due to an error on the chain of custody (COC), DO and pH were not analyzed on the second sample. Once this error was discovered, only pH could be analyzed after the fact on the second sample. The facility has ordered a new portable DO and pH meter. Therefore these issues should be avoided in the future.

If you have any questions about this report, please do not hesitate to contact me at 870-962-3261 or Kyle Hathcote at 501-847-7077.

Sincerely,  
Anthony Forest Products

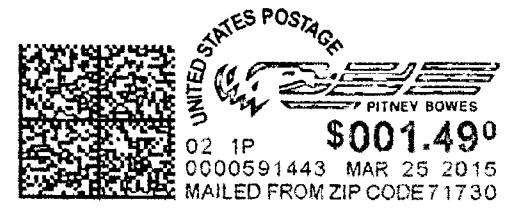
A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Stephen Murphy", is written over the typed name.

Stephen Murphy  
General Manager

Enclosure:

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