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Department of Environmental Quality

October 10, 2012

William King
Texarkana Water Utilities
P.O. Box 2008
Texarkana, AR 75504

RE: NPDES Permit Number: AR0048691 AFIN: 46-00237

Dear Mr. King:

The Department has received your response to the September 11, 2012 letter regarding the number of Sanitary Sewer Overflows reported by your facility. Your response adequately addresses the issues and provides the information requested in the letter. The Department expects actions to be taken to maintain and ensure consistent compliance with the requirements of the permit. Acceptance of this response by the Department does not preclude any future enforcement action deemed necessary at this site or any other site.

The Department will keep the letter and response on file. If future violations occur that require enforcement action, the Department will consider the letter and response as required by the Pollution Control and Ecology Commission Regulation No. 7, Civil Penalties. This regulation requires the Department to consider the past history of your site and how expeditiously the violations were addressed in determining any civil penalty that may be necessary for any future violations.

If we need further information concerning this matter, we will contact you. Thank you for your attention to this matter. Should you have any questions, feel free to contact me at 501-682-0636 or you may e-mail me at copenhaver@adeq.state.ar.us.

Sincerely,



Lindsay Copenhaver
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