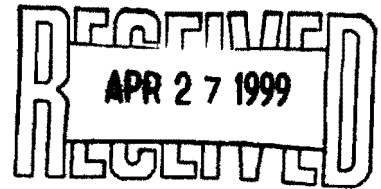


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April 26, 1999

Mr. Charles R. Nestrud
Chisenhall, Nestrud & Julian, P.A.
First Commercial Bank Building
400 West Capitol
Suite 2840
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Re: El Dorado Chemical Company
Consent Administrative Order (Order) LIS 98-119-1

Dear Mr. Nestrud:

Please find enclosed your copy of the executed El Dorado Chemical Company Order LIS 98-119-1, which is an Amendment to Order LIS-119. Public notice of this Order occurred on March 10, 1999. The effective date of this Order is March 4, 1999, the date this Order was executed. All requirements under this Order shall be calculated from this effective date.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Tammie Hynum at (501) 682-0856, or me at (501) 682-0849.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Belinda Colby".

Belinda Colby
Enforcement Program Coordinator

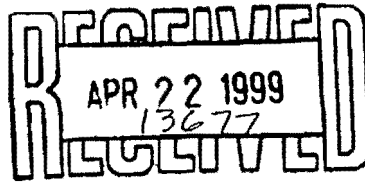
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cc: Byron Smith, Environmental & Safety Mgr., El Dorado Chemical,
P.O. Box 231, El Dorado, AR 71731
Mike Bates, Chief, HWD, ADEQ
Keith Brown, Water Division, ADEQ
Art Riddle, Water Division, ADEQ
Nelson Jackson, Legal Division, ADEQ
Tammie Hynum, HWD, ADEQ
Daniel Clanton, P.E., HWD, ADEQ
Penny Wilson, HWD, ADEQ
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IN THE MATTER OF:
EL DORADO CHEMICAL COMPANY
EL DORADO, ARKANSAS 71731-0231
EPA ID No. ARD001700657
NPDES PERMIT No. AR0000752



LIS No. 98-119-1

AMENDMENT TO CONSENT ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER

The Arkansas Department of Pollution Control and Ecology (hereinafter "ADPC&E") and El Dorado Chemical Company entered into Consent Administrative Order (hereinafter "Order") LIS 98-119 effective October 10, 1998.

ADPC&E and El Dorado Chemical Company (hereinafter "Respondent") desire to amend Order LIS 98-119 to replace ADPC&E personnel receiving the Respondent's submittals required in paragraph 8 of the Order and Agreement. Belinda Colby will receive submittals instead of David Brown, and Keith Brown will receive submittals instead of Gerald Delavan.


Order LIS 98-119, Order and Agreement, paragraph 8 has been amended to read:

8. All submittals required by paragraph 2 of the Order and Agreement shall be submitted by Certified Mail or hand delivered to Art Riddle, NPDES Enforcement Supervisor, Water Division, ADPC&E, 8001 National Drive P.O. Box 8913, Little Rock, Arkansas 72219-8913 with copies for Belinda Colby, Enforcement Coordinator, Hazardous Waste Division and Keith Brown, Manager, State Permits, Water Division. The submittals required by paragraph 4 of the Order and agreement shall be submitted by Certified Mail or hand delivered to Keith Brown with copies to Art Riddle and Belinda Colby. The submittals required by paragraphs 5 and 6 of the Order and Agreement shall be submitted by Certified Mail or hand delivered to Belinda Colby with copies to Art Riddle and Keith Brown.

All provisions of Consent Administrative Order 98-119 not specifically amended by this Amendment shall remain in full force and effect.

This amendment is subject to public review and comment in accordance with Arkansas Pollution Control and Ecology Commission (APC&EC) Regulation No. 8. However, as provided for by APC&EC Regulation No. 8, this amendment shall be effective upon execution. Unless otherwise specified in this amendment, all times for performance of ordered activities shall be calculated from this effective date. ADPC&E retains the right and discretion to rescind this amendment based upon comments received within the thirty (30) day public comment period and shall promptly notify the Respondent if ADPC&E elects such rescision.

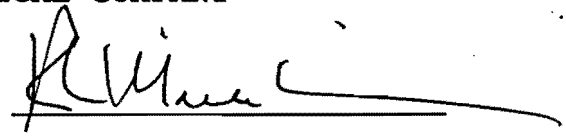
SO ORDERED THIS 24th DAY OF March, 1999.



RANDALL MATHIS
DIRECTOR

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND CONTENT:

EL DORADO CHEMICAL COMPANY

BY: Signature 

Print or Type Name R.L. Milliken

Title Vice President Manufacturing

Date February 25, 1999