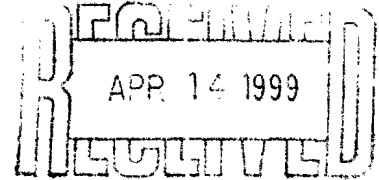




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**VIA HAND DELIVERY**

April 14, 1999



Mr. Art Riddle  
NPDES Enforcement Supervisor  
Water Division  
Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality  
8001 National Drive  
Little Rock, Arkansas 72219-8913

RE: Quarterly Report - First Quarter, 1999, CAO LIS 98-119

Dear Mr. Riddle:

Pursuant to paragraph 2(1) of Consent Administrative Order No. 98-119, enclosed please find the Quarterly Report for the First Quarter, 1999. Although we are currently behind schedule on construction projects, EDCC will submit a final report on the wastewater characterization study and a revised NPDES permit application by August 1, 1999 as required by the CAO.

Should you have any questions, please feel free to call Byron Smith at (870) 863-1498.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "John M. Carver".

John M. Carver  
Vice President Safety and  
Environmental Compliance

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Enclosures

cc: Belinda Colby, Enforcement Coordinator, Hazardous Waste Division  
Keith Brown, Manager, State Permits, Water Division

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