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Jason Henson
C&H Hog Farms, Inc.
HC 72 Box2
Vendor, AR 72683

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RE: AFIN: 51-00164; Permit No.: 5264-W

Dear Mr. Henson:

This letter constitutes notice of the Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality's (ADEQ) final permitting decision. A copy of the Statement of Basis for the decision and ADEQ's Response to Comments is enclosed. The Response to Comments includes a response to each issue raised in public comments received during the public comment period.

The applicant and those persons who submitted public comments on the record during the comment period may appeal the final permitting decision to the Arkansas Pollution Control and Ecology Commission (APC&EC or Commission). Such a request shall be in the form and manner required by APC&EC Reg. 8.603, including filing a written Request for Hearing with the Commission Secretary at 101 E. Capitol Ave., Suite 205, Little Rock, Arkansas 72201 within thirty (30) calendar days of the date of issuance of this final permitting decision as provided in APC&EC Reg. 8.211 (B)(1). If you have any questions about filing the request, please contact the Commission at 501-682-7890.

Continued coverage under the expired general permit ARG590000 ends upon notice of this final permitting decision. Operations at the facility must cease within thirty (30) days of notice of this final permitting decision. Pursuant to Section 1.9 of ARG590000, and Permit Tracking Number ARG590001, C&H Hog Farms must submit a closure plan to ADEQ for review and approval within sixty (60) days of the final day of operation. Upon approval of the closure plan and schedule by ADEQ, C&H Hog Farms must perform closure activities in accordance with the approved plan. C&H Hog Farms must submit certification that the facility was closed in accordance with the approved plan within ten (10) days of completion of the closure activities.

I, Caleb Osborne, hereby certify that a copy of this decision has been mailed by first class mail to Jason Henson, C&H Hog Farms, Inc., HC 72 Box 2, Vendor, AR 72683.



Caleb J. Osborne
Associate Director
Office of Water Quality

Enclosures: Notice of Final Permit Decision
Statement of Basis
Response to Comments