

December 22, 2010

David Sartain Environmental Specialist El Dorado Chemical Company P.O. Box 231 El Dorado, AR 71731

RE: NPDES Permit No. AR0000752, AFIN 70-00040

Dear Mr. Sartain:

The Department has reviewed your December 16, 2010, request to extend the January 31, 2011, deadline for submittal of a Notice of Intent (NOI) for coverage under the general permit for stormwater runoff associated with industrial activity.

The Department has no objection to extending the deadline for submittal of the NOI. However, permit coverage for stormwater runoff associated with industrial activity which is not discharged through one of the Outfalls contained in NPDES Permit No. AR0000752 must be in place prior to the effective date of the renewed permit. The revised deadline for submittal of the NOI will therefore be March 31, 2011.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at <u>reiber@adeq.state.ar.us</u> or by phone at (501) 682-0612.

Sincerely,

Loretta Reiber, P.E.

Engineer, NPDES Permits