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RE: NPDES Permit No. AR0001210, AFIN 41-00002
Source Control Measures for Sulfides

Dear Ms. Ross:

The Department has reviewed your letter dated March 1, 2017, concerning a trial using hydrogen peroxide and an organic iron catalyst to control sulfides within the mill manufacturing process (green liquor dregs). Based on the March 1st letter, it is the Department's understanding that Georgia-Pacific Crossett LLC (GPC) is planning to conduct similar trials on other process streams to reduce the sulfides entering the wastewater.

The Department has no objections to GPC conducting the trials as described in the March 1st letter provided that the trials are conducted within the mill's manufacturing process area.

If you have any questions, please contact Loretta Reiber, P.E. at reiber@adeq.state.ar.us or by phone at (501) 682-0612.

Sincerely,



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