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December 18, 2009

Jon R. Harrison, General Manager
Caterpillar Inc.
North American Motor Grader Facility
9201 Faulkner Lake Road
North Little Rock, AR 72117

Re: NPDES Permit Number AR0051454 – AFIN 60-01529

Dear Mr. Harrison:

The application for an NPDES permit was received on 12/14/2009. In accordance with Department policy, the application has been reviewed and determined to be administratively complete. The application has been assigned NPDES permit number AR0051454. Please refer to this number in any future correspondence concerning this application.

All permits are issued in accordance with federal and state priorities for water pollution abatement. Therefore, it is possible that the processing of this application for permit renewal may take some time depending on the relative priority of the discharge in comparison with others. However, every effort will be made to expedite the processing of your permit.

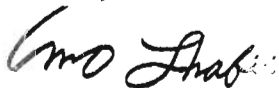
Pursuant to Act 163 of 1993 and Arkansas Pollution Control and Ecology Commission (APCEC) Regulation No. 8, Section 8.205, public notice must be given for all permit applications submitted to this Department. The enclosed public notice will be published by ADEQ in a newspaper of general circulation for one (1) day only. An invoice for the cost of publishing the public notice and proof of publication will be sent to you by the advertising newspaper. The permittee must send proof of publication and payment to the following address as soon as possible but no later than 30 days from the above date. Until this Department receives proof of publication of the public notice, no further action will be taken on the renewal of your discharge permit.

Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality
Discharge Permits Section-Water Division
5301 Northshore Drive
North Little Rock, AR 72118-5317
501-682-0622 Fax: 501-682-0910

Information on public notice requirements is included with this letter. Additionally, a permit fee is required by Act 817 of 1983, as amended, Act 1254 of 1993, as amended, and Regulation No. 9. The required permit fee will be calculated in accordance with the fee schedule contained in Section 7 of Regulation No. 9 and an invoice will be sent.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter. If there are any questions concerning this submittal, please contact Jennifer Harmon of my staff at (501) 682-0627 or by email at harmonj@adeq.state.ar.us.

Sincerely,



Mo Shafii
Assistant Chief, Water Division

Notice of Application
For NPDES Permit AR0051454

Under the provisions of Act 163 of the 1993 Arkansas Legislature, this is to give notice the Water Division of the Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality (ADEQ) has received a issuance application on 12/14/2009, for an NPDES Permit No. AR0051454 from the following facility:

Caterpillar Inc.
North American Motor Grader Facility
9201 Faulkner Lake Road
North Little Rock, AR 72117

The facility under consideration is located as follows: 9201 Faulkner Lake Road, North Little Rock, in Pulaski County, Arkansas. Interested persons desiring to request a public hearing on the application may do so in writing. All requests should be received by ADEQ within 10 business days of the date of this notice and should be submitted to:

Jennifer Harmon
Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality
NPDES Branch, Water Division
5301 Northshore Drive
North Little Rock, AR 72118-5317
Telephone: (501) 682-0622