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Department of Environmental Quality

May 10, 2012

Susan McClendon, Chief Financial Officer  
Drew Foam Companies, Inc.  
1093 Hwy 278 East  
Monticello, AR 71655

Re: 2011 Annual Report & DMR Submittal – Benchmark Exceedances  
Drew Foam Companies, Inc., Monticello, AR  
Permit No. **ARR000817**, AFIN **22-00057**

Dear Mr. McClendon,

The 2011 Discharge Monitoring Reports (DMRs) for the above-referenced facility in Industrial Sector Y2 of the General Industrial Stormwater Permit were received 1/31/12. The following is a list of pollutants for which the facility has exceeded the benchmark values set for the stormwater runoff:

<u>Pollutant</u>	<u>Reported Value(mg/l)</u>	<u>Benchmark Value (mg/l)</u>	<u>Outfall</u>	<u>Period</u>
pH	4.91	6.0-9.0 S.U.	002	July-Dec
pH	4.86	6.0-9.0 S.U.	003	July-Dec

There are no effluent limitations in the general stormwater permit. The purpose of the general permit is to encourage the industrial sector to find Best Management Practices (BMP's) that can be implemented without being mandated. By relaying this information to the industries, the Department hopes to significantly reduce the overall pollutant concentrations for Industrial Sector Y2. Please follow the response to monitoring results above parameter benchmark values outlined in Part 3.11.2 of ARR000000.

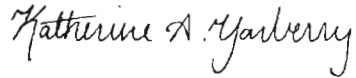
The 2011 Annual Report required by Part 3.12.3.b of the Industrial Stormwater General Permit ARR000000 was received on 1/31/12. The annual report has been reviewed and determined to be in compliance with the applicable permit requirements.

An optional Industrial Stormwater Permit Reminder email listserv has been created for permittees to receive reminders of upcoming deadlines for sampling periods, DMR forms, and Annual Reporting forms. If you would like to subscribe to this email listserv, please visit the following website:

[http://www.adeq.state.ar.us/water/branch\\_permits/general\\_permits/stormwater/industrial/industrial.htm#Industrial\\_Stormwater\\_Permit\\_Reminder](http://www.adeq.state.ar.us/water/branch_permits/general_permits/stormwater/industrial/industrial.htm#Industrial_Stormwater_Permit_Reminder)

If you have any questions concerning this matter or need additional information, please feel free to contact me at (501) 682-0627 or [yarberryk@adeq.state.ar.us](mailto:yarberryk@adeq.state.ar.us).

Sincerely,



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