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Department of Environmental Quality
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Wayne Clive, Plant Manager
Glad Manufacturing Company
1700 N. 13th Street
Rogers, AR 72756

Re: NPDES Stormwater Industrial Permit, 2011 Annual Report & DMR Submittal – Benchmark Exceedances,
Glad Manufacturing Company, Rogers, AR, Permit No. **ARR00A175**, AFIN **04-00100**

Dear Mr. Clive,

The 2011 Annual Report and Discharge Monitoring Reports (DMRs) for the above-referenced facility in Industrial Sector B2 of the General Industrial Stormwater Permit were received 1/31/2012. The Annual Report has been determined to be in compliance with the permit requirements. The facility has been identified as having a pollutant concentration above typical storm water runoff values. The following is a list of pollutants and high concentrations which should not be exceeded in the stormwater runoff:

Pollutant	Reported Value(mg/l)	Benchmark Value (mg/l)	Outfall
Chemical Oxygen Demand	Not Reported	120	001, 002, 003 (Jan-June)
Total Suspended Solids	Not Reported	100	001, 002, 003 (Jan-June)
Oil & Grease	Not Reported	15	001, 002, 003 (Jan-June)
pH	Not Reported	6.0-9.0	001, 002, 003 (Jan-June)

If no report was submitted for a parameter, the Department will automatically assume that the value for this parameter exceeded the benchmark value indicated above.

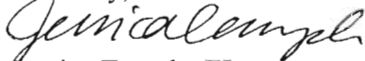
There are no effluent limitations in the general stormwater permit. The purpose of the general permit is to encourage the industrial sector to find Best Management Practices (BMP's) that can be implemented without being mandated. By relaying this information to the industries, the Department hopes to significantly reduce the overall pollutant concentrations for Industrial Sector B2. Please update the facility's Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan to include BMP's which will reduce the pollutants in the stormwater discharge.

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

If you have any questions concerning this matter or need additional information, please feel free to contact the General Permits Section at (501) 682-0623.

Sincerely,



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Water Division

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