

January 5, 2015

Brandon Hughes, Vice President Alliance Rubber Company P.O. Box 20950 Hot Springs, AR 71903

RE: Industrial Stormwater General Permit, Alliance Rubber Company, Hot Springs, AR (Permit Tracking No. ARR00B007 - AFIN 26-00039)

Dear Mr. Hughes:

Enclosed with this letter is the new Notice of Coverage (NOC) for Industrial Stormwater General Permit with the existing tracking number ARR00B007 that should be kept with the facility's records.

Please note that a Recertification Notice of Intent (RNOI) as required by 40 CFR Part 122.28 was not received by the Department on or prior to the expiration date of the previous permit, which expired on June 30, 2014. Your facility was notified by letter dated December 31, 2013, to submit an RNOI for coverage under the new Industrial Stormwater General Permit (IGP) on or before June 30, 2014. The new NOI was submitted on 12/30/2014. Therefore, the facility did not have coverage under the new IGP from July 1, 2014 (effective date of the IGP renewal) to the date of this NOC. Please be advised that the failure to have permit coverage during this period is a violation of Ark. Code Ann. § 8-4-217(b)(1) and might be subject to enforcement action.

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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Assistant Chief, Water Division

cc: Electronic Files (ARR00B007, AFIN 26-00039)

Richard Healey, Branch Manager, Enforcement Branch