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ARKANSAS
Department of Environmental Quality

October 5, 2009

Emric Roll, Pretreatment Coordinator
North Little Rock Waste Water Utility
P.O. Box 17898
North Little Rock, AR 72117-0898

Re: North Little Rock (NPDES Permit #AR0020303; AFIN #6000274) Pretreatment Program Modification Submittal to Meet the Revised Streamlining Revisions in 40 CFR 403 Approval

Dear Mr. Roll,

The Department is in receipt of North Little Rock's (NLR) response to the 9/8/09 correspondence from ADEQ to North Little Rock on 9/24/09. Based on the corrections received ADEQ has deemed your Pretreatment Program current with the National Pretreatment Regulations in 40 CFR 403.

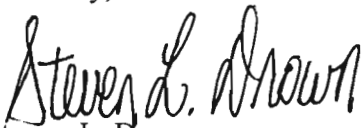
ADEQ approval procedures for NLR Pretreatment Program's non-substantial modification submittal followed those prescribed in 40 CFR 403.18(d)(2). No public notification is required.

In accordance with 40 CFR 122.63(g), this minor modification will be incorporated as conditions of NLR's Pretreatment Program that has been approved in accordance with the procedures in 40 CFR 403.18(d)(2) as enforceable conditions of NLR's three (3) NPDES permits. Please find attached the appropriate replacement pages for permits AR0020303 and AR0020320.

NLR White Oak's permit (AR0038288) will have the modification date included in the renewal permit currently being processed.

The modification approval/effective date is declared as 11/1/09. If there are any questions, please feel free to contact Allen Gilliam at (501) 682-0625.

Sincerely,



Steven L. Drown
Chief, Water Division

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**AUTHORIZATION TO DISCHARGE WASTEWATER UNDER
THE NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM AND
THE ARKANSAS WATER AND AIR POLLUTION CONTROL ACT**

In accordance with the provisions of the Arkansas Water and Air Pollution Control Act (Act 472 of 1949, as amended, Ark. Code Ann. 8-4-101 et seq.), and the Clean Water Act (33 U.S.C. § 1251 et seq.),

The applicant's mailing address is:

North Little Rock Wastewater Utility
P. O. Box 17898
North Little Rock, AR 72117-0898

The facility address is:

North Little Rock Wastewater Utility - Faulkner Lake Plant
7400 Baucum Pike
North Little Rock, AR 72117

is authorized to discharge from a facility located as follows: one-half mile west of Interstate 440 on Baucum Pike, in Section 10, Township 1 North, and Range 11 West in Pulaski County, Arkansas.

Latitude: 34° 44' 20.75"; Longitude: 92° 10' 47.36"

to receiving waters named:

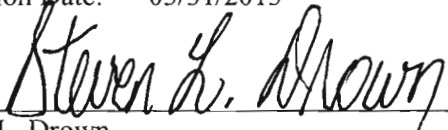
Arkansas River in Segment 3C of the Arkansas River Basin.

The outfall is located at the following coordinates:

Outfall 001: Latitude: 34° 43' 48"; Longitude: 92° 11' 04"

Discharge shall be in accordance with effluent limitations, monitoring requirements, and other conditions set forth in Parts I, II, III, and IV hereof.

Issue Date: 03/31/2008
Effective Date: 04/01/2008
Minor Modification Issue Date: October 5, 2009
Minor Modification Effective Date: November 1, 2009
Expiration Date: 03/31/2013



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6. Other Specified Monitoring Requirements

The permittee may use alternative appropriate monitoring methods and analytical instruments other than as specified in Part I Section A of the permit without a major permit modification under the following conditions:

- The monitoring and analytical instruments are consistent with accepted scientific practices;
- The requests shall be submitted in writing to the NPDES Section of the Water Division of the ADEQ for use of the alternate method or instrument.
- The method and/or instrument is in compliance with 40 CFR Part 136 or acceptable to the Director; and
- All associated devices are installed, calibrated, and maintained to insure the accuracy of the measurements and are consistent with the accepted capability of that type of device. The calibration and maintenance shall be performed as part of the permittee's laboratory Quality Control/Quality Assurance program.

Upon written approval of the alternative monitoring method and/or analytical instruments, these methods or instruments must be consistently utilized throughout the monitoring period. ADEQ must be notified in writing and the permittee must receive written approval from ADEQ if the permittee decides to return to the original permit monitoring requirements.

7. Sludge from primary and secondary clarification is gravity thickened, belt pressed, and hauled off by a licensed hauler to be used for composting or disposed of in a licensed landfill. Two sludge lagoons are maintained on site for emergency sludge storage.

8. CONTRIBUTING INDUSTRIES AND PRETREATMENT REQUIREMENTS

- a. The permittee shall operate an industrial pretreatment program in accordance with Section 402(b)(8) of the Clean Water Act, the General Pretreatment Regulations (40 CFR Part 403) and the approved POTW pretreatment program submitted by the permittee. The pretreatment program was approved on 03/16/1984, modified and approved on 02/26/1996, then again modified and approved on 11/1/09. The POTW pretreatment program is hereby incorporated by reference and shall be implemented in a manner consistent with the following requirements:

- (1) Industrial user information shall be updated at a frequency adequate to ensure that all IUs are properly characterized at all times;
- (2) The frequency and nature of industrial user compliance monitoring activities by the permittee shall be commensurate with the character, consistency and volume of waste. The permittee must inspect and sample the effluent from each Significant Industrial User in accordance with 40 CFR 403.8(f)(2)(v). This is in addition to any industrial self-monitoring activities;