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Rufus Torrence
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RE: City of De Queen NPDES # AR0021733 Pretreatment Program Audit response.

Dear Mr. Torrence:

I have reviewed the audit and the following actions will be taken by the City of De Queen. A brief narrative will be added on each annual inspection report showing verification of "no potential for a slug load to plant." Testing for phosphorus on domestic and Pilgrims Pride will continue to see if Pilgrims should still be deemed a significant industrial user, and at such time the City may petition ADEQ to have the pretreatment language in its NPDES permit modified.

If you have any questions please contact me at (870) 642-5231.

Sincerely,

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