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Mr. Doug Severns
Smurfit-Stone Container Corporation
3101 State Street
Columbus, Indiana 47202

Re: Permit By Rule Status
005-20439-00083

Dear Mr. Severns:

The application from Stone Container Corporation (d/b/a Smurfit-Stone Container Corporation) was received on January 19, 2005. Based on the data and information submitted and the provisions of 326 IAC 2-10 (Permit by Rule), Smurfit-Stone Container Corporation states that the external combustion operation, located at 3101 State Street, Columbus, Indiana 47202 satisfies the criteria to operate under the Permit by Rule provisions.

Pursuant to 326 IAC 2-10 (Permit by Rule), this source shall comply with the following conditions:

- (a) The sources total actual emissions for every 12-month period shall be limited to less than 20% of any threshold for the following:
 - (1) A major source of regulated air pollutants.
 - (2) A major source of hazardous air pollutants, as defined in Section 112 of the Clean Air Act. [326 IAC 2-10-3(1)]
- (b) The source shall not rely on air pollution control equipment to comply with the above-mentioned limitations. [326 IAC 2-10-3(2)]
- (c) Not later than thirty (30) days after receipt of written request by the Indiana Department of Environmental Management (IDEM), Office of Air Quality (OAQ), or U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), the owner or operator shall demonstrate that the source is in compliance with the above-mentioned conditions. [326 IAC 2-10-4]
- (d) Compliance demonstration shall be based on actual emissions for the previous 12 months and may include, but is not limited to, fuel or material usage or production records. No other demonstration of compliance shall be required. [326 IAC 2-10-4]

This source is hereby notified that this Permit by Rule approval does not relieve the source of the responsibility to comply with the provisions of any applicable federal, state, or local requirements, such as New source Performance Standards (NSPS), 40 CFR Part 60, or National Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants (NESHAP), 40 CFR Part 61. [326 IAC 2-10-5]

Any change or modification which will alter operations in such a way that the source will no longer comply with 326 IAC 2-10 (Permit by Rule), must obtain the appropriate approval from the OAQ under 326 IAC 2-1.1, 326 IAC 2-2, 326 IAC 2-3, 326 IAC 2-7, 326 IAC 2-8, or 326 IAC 2-9 before such change may occur. This source may at any time apply for a state operating permit under 326 IAC 2-6.1, a Part 70 permit under 326 IAC 2-7, a FESOP under 326 IAC 2-8, or an operating agreement under 326 IAC 2-9, as applicable. [326 IAC 2-10-1(b)]

Any violation of 326 IAC 2-10 (Permit by Rule) may result in administrative or judicial enforcement proceedings under IC 13-30-3 and penalties under IC 13-30-4.

Sincerely,

Original signed by
Paul Dubenetzky, Chief
Permit Branch
Office of Air Quality

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cc: File - Bartholomew County
Bartholomew County Health Department
Air Compliance Section Inspector – Vaughn Ison
Billing, Licensing and Training Section – Chet Bohannon
Permit Review Section 1 – Gary Freeman



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Mr. Doug Severns
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3101 State Street
Columbus, Indiana 47202-0867

Re: Permit -by-Rule Application
005-20439-00083
Notice of Deficiency No. 1

Dear Mr. Severns

On January 19, 2005 the Office of Air Quality (OAQ) received a Permit-by- Rule application for boilers, printing presses , silo, and paper scrap baler system located at 3101 State Street, Columbus, Indiana 47202-0867. This application has been determined at this time to be administratively incomplete. In order to correct the deficiencies of the application, please submit the following:

Please clarify and submit PM10 emissions data to verify actual emissions are less that 20% of the specified threshold.

Your written response to this first notice of deficiency (NOD) must be received within thirty (30) days of your receipt of this letter.

Pursuant to IC 13-15-4, the accountability time frame has been suspended until the additional information has been received and determined to be adequate.

If you have questions regarding requested information, please call me at 317-233-5334 or 1-800-451-6027 (ext 3-5334). Please specify Application No. **005-20439-00083** on inquiries or correspondence.

Please attach a copy of this NOD letter to your written response.

Sincerely,

Original signed by
Gary K. Freeman,
Environmental Scientist, Permits Branch
Office of Air Quality

Reviewer's Initial: GKF

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Air Compliance Section : Vaughn Ison