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VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL:

Ms. Sarah Langeliers
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Re: Document Review / Enforcement Action Letter
Carmeuse Lime, Inc.
Plant ID 089-00112
Gary, Lake County

Dear Ms. Langeliers:

A representative of the Indiana Department of Environmental Management (IDEM), Northwest Regional Office (NWRO), has reviewed the performance testing history concerning Carmeuse Lime, Inc., located at 1 North Carmeuse Drive in Gary, Indiana. As a result of information obtained during that review, IDEM alleges violations related to 326 IAC 2-1.1-11 and Condition D.1.7(a) of Title V Permit number 089-41774-00112 (Permit) have occurred.

Pursuant to the Permit's Condition D.1.7(a) the Permittee should perform PM₁₀ and SO₂ testing of the kilns EU-1, EU-2, EU-3, EU-4, and EU-5 utilizing methods approved by the Commissioner at least once every thirty (30) months from the date of the most recent valid compliance demonstration. This testing is required in order to demonstrate compliance with 326 IAC 6.8-2-22, 326 IAC 7-4.1-6, and Commissioner's Order 2016-04. Pursuant to Commissioner's Order 2016-04, testing should be conducted for both dolomitic limestone and high calcium limestone if the kiln is used or is anticipated to be used to process both.

At the time of the review, the following violations were noted:

- 1) The most recent PM₁₀ and SO₂ testing of Kiln EU-1 (High Calcium Lime) was performed on July 12, 2022 – five (5) days after the due date, in violation of Condition D.1.7(a) of the Permit and 326 IAC 2-1.1-11.

- 2) The most recent PM₁₀ and SO₂ testing of Kiln EU-1 (Dolomitic Lime) was performed on July 13, 2022 – thirty-nine (39) days after the due date, in violation of Condition D.1.7(a) of the Permit and 326 IAC 2-1.1-11.
- 3) The most recent PM₁₀ and SO₂ testing of Kiln EU-2 (High Calcium Lime) was performed on June 28, 2022 – one hundred and twenty-six (126) days after the due date, in violation of Condition D.1.7(a) of the Permit and 326 IAC 2-1.1-11.
- 4) The most recent PM₁₀ and SO₂ testing of Kiln EU-2 (Dolomitic Lime) was performed on June 30, 2022 – twenty-five (25) days after the due date, in violation of Condition D.1.7(a) of the Permit and 326 IAC 2-1.1-11.
- 5) The most recent PM₁₀ and SO₂ testing of Kiln EU-3 (High Calcium Lime) was performed on November 7, 2019. The retest has not been completed yet, in violation of Condition D.1.7(a) of the Permit and 326 IAC 2-1.1-11.
- 6) The most recent PM₁₀ and SO₂ testing of Kiln EU-4 (High Calcium Lime) was performed on April 12, 2022 – eleven (11) days after the due date, in violation of Condition D.1.7(a) of the Permit and 326 IAC 2-1.1-11.
- 7) The most recent PM₁₀ and SO₂ testing of Kiln EU-5 (High Calcium Lime) was performed on April 21, 2022 – eighteen (18) days after the due date, in violation of Condition D.1.7(a) of the Permit and 326 IAC 2-1.1-11.

This matter will be referred for formal enforcement action. IDEM Office of Air Quality would like to take this opportunity to encourage discussions concerning the facts of the case, any additional information that may be available, and to provide you with information concerning the enforcement process.

An enforcement case manager will contact you to discuss this matter and schedule an informational meeting concerning this matter. In the meantime, please direct any questions to Sasa Dunovic, Compliance Inspector, at 219-252-3566 or by email at sdunovic@idem.in.gov.

Sincerely,



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We have received the Enforcement Action Letter.

Thank you,

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Carmeuse Lime, Inc. - ID# 089-00112

Dear Ms. Langeliers:

Please find attached a PDF copy of the Enforcement Action Letter, issued for Carmeuse Lime, Inc., Lake County, IN.

If you have questions about the inspection or document review that identified the issues noted in the letter, please contact Sasa Dunovic, Inspector, at (219) 252-3566 or sdunovic@idem.IN.gov. Your case manager, who will serve as your contact regarding any enforcement action with respect to those issues, will communicate with you soon to schedule an informational meeting concerning this matter.

Please confirm your receipt of this electronic document.

Thank you

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