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Mr. Melvin Bednaryczk, Member  
Bednaryczk Farms LLC  
8209 Van Dyke Road  
Marlette, Michigan 48453

SRN: N7942, Lapeer County

Dear Mr. Bednaryczk:

**VIOLATION NOTICE**

On August 9, 2016, the Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ), Air Quality Division (AQD) conducted an inspection of Bednaryczk Farms LLC (Bednaryczk Farms) located at 8209 Van Dyke Road, Marlette. The purpose of this inspection was to determine Bednaryczk Farms' compliance with the requirements of the federal Clean Air Act; Part 55, Air Pollution Control, of the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Act, 1994 PA 451, as amended (Act 451); the Air Pollution Control Rules; and the conditions of General Permit to Install (PTI) number 396-07.

During the inspection, staff observed the following:

Process Description	Rule/Permit Condition Violated	Comments
EU-AMMONIA; a 30,000 gallon anhydrous ammonia tank	General Permit to Install No. 396-07, Special Condition No. IV. 7.	Sign with emergency telephone numbers not present or conspicuously placed at facility entrance.

It was observed that a sign had not been placed onsite providing emergency contact telephone numbers for the anhydrous ammonia tank. This is a violation of Special Condition No. IV. 7 of General Permit to Install No. 396-07, which states:

"A sign shall be present and conspicuously placed at the facility entrance stating the emergency phone numbers for the owner, primary operator, local and state police, local fire department, and ambulance service. (R 336.1901)"

Please initiate actions necessary to correct the cited violation and submit a written response to this Violation Notice by October 4, 2016. The written response should include: the dates the violation occurred; an explanation of the causes and duration of the violation; whether the violation is ongoing; a summary of the actions that have been taken and are proposed to be taken to correct the violation and the dates by which these actions will take place; and what steps are being taken to prevent a reoccurrence.

If Bednaryczk Farms believes the above observations or statements are inaccurate or do not constitute violations of the applicable legal requirements cited, please provide appropriate factual information to explain your position.

Thank you for your attention to resolving the violation cited above and for the cooperation that was extended to me during my inspection of Bednaryczk Farms. If you have any questions regarding the violation or the actions necessary to bring this facility into compliance, please contact me at the telephone number listed below.

Sincerely,



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Air Quality Division  
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Mr. Chris Ethridge, DEQ  
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