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DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY
KALAMAZOO DISTRICT OFFICE



C. HEIDI GREYER
DIRECTOR

October 27, 2017

Mr. Mike Irmen
The Andersons, Inc.
P.O. Box 119
Maumee, Ohio 43537

SRN: B8570, Calhoun County

Dear Mr. Irmen:

VIOLATION NOTICE

The Michigan Department of Environmental Quality (MDEQ), Air Quality Division (AQD), is in receipt of the September 25, 2017, emission test report submitted by The Andersons, Inc. (Facility) for their ethanol production facility, located at 26250 B Drive North, Albion, Michigan. Based on an initial review of the test report, staff of the AQD noted the following violation:

Process Description	Rule/Permit Condition Violated	Comments
EU-COOLINGDRUM	Permit to Install No. 144-15A, Condition I.3	Volatile organic compounds (VOC) emission limit is 3.54 pounds/hour. The tested VOC emission rate was 7.1 pounds/hour.

Please initiate actions necessary to correct the cited violation and submit a written response to this Violation Notice by November 17, 2017 (which coincides with 21 calendar days from the date of this letter). 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 the Facility 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.

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Thank you for your attention to resolving the violation cited above. 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,



Rex I. Lane
Senior Environmental Quality Analyst
Air Quality Division
269-567-3547

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cc: Ms. Lynn Fiedler, MDEQ
Ms. Mary Ann Dolehanty, MDEQ
Mr. Christopher Ethridge, MDEQ
Mr. Thomas Hess, MDEQ
Ms. Mary Douglas, MDEQ