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Mr. Rex Lane  
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Kalamazoo District Office  
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January 8, 2015

**Re: Abatement of violations of September 26, 2014**

Dear Mr. Lane:

Asama Coldwater Manufacturing has corrected the violations noted on the inspection of September 16, 2014.

Process Description: EU-SS

*Rule/ Permit Condition Violated: PTI No. 280-06B, Condition VI.1*

*Permittee is required to monitor and record the pressure drop across the EU-SS baghouse on a continuing basis when the baghouse is operating.*

Asama Coldwater Manufacturing (ACM) has installed the necessary equipment and is continuously monitoring and recording the pressure drop across the baghouse when the baghouse is operating.

Process Description: EU-CCFBACK

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Process Description: FG-COATING

*Rule/ Permit Condition Violated: PTI No. 177-11, Condition Nos. VIII.1 through VIII.6*  
*Coating line stacks are fitted with rain caps, which is a violation of the permit condition that requires stack exhaust gases to be discharged unobstructed vertically upwards to the ambient air.*

The rain caps have been reconfigured to an offset elbow design with rain drains, maintaining the current stack diameters and heights.

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Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions regarding our countermeasures. I can be reached at 517-278-0115 or via email at [brent\\_cravens@asamacm.com](mailto:brent_cravens@asamacm.com).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Brent Cravens", written in black ink.

Brent Cravens  
EHS Coordinator