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Drew Yesmunt
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Via Email and U.S. Mail

Dear Mr. Yesmunt,

Delta Solid Waste Management Authority is writing in response to the Violation Letter dated August 6, 2024. Listed below are the response and corrections listed based on the alleged violation.

In response to EUASBESTOS 40 CFR 61.154©; Special Condition VII.6. On the day of the inspection, May 16, 2024 landfill employees were doing some grating to that general area surrounding the asbestos hole. The work was being done to create a better berm around the asbestos hole to protect customers and employees from the asbestos hole. In the process of grating the employee accidentally uncovered a couple of bags of asbestos. The area was covered at the end of the business day May 16, 2024. It was not reported to EGLE with a 45-day notice because the asbestos hole area itself was not being grated.

DSWMA strives to always remain in compliance with state regulations required and any additional requests in a timely manner. We understand your concerns on this matter. At this time, we feel these actions do not constitute a violation. If you need anything further or if you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Thank you,

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