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RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Mr. David R. Zoghby
Vice President and Business
Director
EBV Explosives Environmental
Company
P.O. Box 1386
Joplin, MO 64802

RE: Class 1 Permit Modification with Prior Director's Approval
EBV Explosives Environmental Company, Joplin, Missouri
EPA ID# MOD985798164

Dear Mr. Zoghby:

This letter is to notify you that the Missouri Department of Natural Resources (Department) reviewed EBV Explosives Environmental Company's (EBVEEC) Class 1 Permit Modification request, dated December 15, 2009. The request was for revising the testing requirements of the activated carbon filter of Building #1 Air Pollution Control System C1 and C2. This change in testing requirements required modifying Section 17.17.3.5 of the Permit Application. The reason for this change in the testing of the Air Pollution Control System is because the original test used to determine the level of organic material detected before and after the filter was unable to detect any organics before or after the filter. EBVEEC was advised to use a new method which would provide a more accurate result. This new sampling method will be performed once every six months.

The Department agrees with EBVEEC that this is a Class 1 Permit Modification requiring prior director approval. We are approving the modification request. EBVEEC must send a notice of the modification to everyone on their facility mailing list and the appropriate units of state and local government within 90 calendar days after the date of this letter, as outlined in Code of Federal Regulations 40 CFR 270.42(a)(1)(ii). EBVEEC must send a copy of the notice to the Department.

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If you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact Mr. Richard Hock, Environmental Engineer, of my staff at the Missouri Department of Natural Resources, Hazardous Waste Program, P.O. Box 176, Jefferson City, MO 65102-0176, by telephone at (573) 751-3553 or 1-800-361-4827, or by e-mail at richard.hock@dnr.mo.gov. Thank you.

Sincerely,

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[Original signed by Richard A. Nussbaum]

Richard A. Nussbaum, P.E., R.G.
Chief, Permits Section

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c: Ken Herstowski, P.E., Project Manager, U.S. EPA Region VII
Southwest Regional Office, Missouri Department of Natural Resource