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VIOLATION NOTICE
VN No. VN-004863

Mr. James and Mrs. Bleeker
Terrehaven Farms
3007 Wolf Creek Highway
Adrian, Michigan 49221

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Bleeker:

SUBJECT: Annual Report and Schedule of Compliance Update

The Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ), Water Resources Division is sending this Violation Notice because Terrehaven Farms is in violation of its National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System Permit, issued on September 21, 2007, for the Concentrated Animal Feeding Operation (CAFO).

Terrehaven Farms was required to submit an Annual Report by April 1, 2011, pursuant to Part I Sec. A.5.c of the permit. The failure to submit Annual Reports by their due date is a violation of the permit. This same issue has also been addressed in past letters dated June 3, 2008, and October 11, 2010. Terrehaven Farms must take immediate action to achieve and maintain compliance with the terms and conditions of the permit.

Please submit an Annual Report with the required land application information to this office **not later than May 16, 2011.**

The report form can be downloaded from the DEQ website at www.michigan.gov/deq. Enter "CAFO Forms" in the search bar. The first website will take you to the CAFO page. Scroll down to Forms and download the 2-page "Annual Report." Fill this out, include copies of your land application logs and land application plan, and submit the report form.

If you have any factual information you would like us to consider regarding the violations identified in this Violation Notice, please provide them with your written response.

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We anticipate and appreciate your cooperation in resolving this matter. Should you require further information, please contact me by the number listed below; matthewsr@michigan.gov; or at the Department of Environmental Quality, 301 East Louis Glick Highway, Jackson, Michigan 49201-1556.

Sincerely,



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Water Resources Division
Jackson District Office
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CC: File: Terrehaven Farms-CAFO, MIG010061, CAFO, Lenawee County