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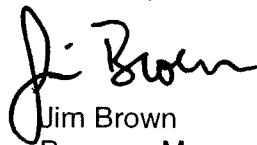
RE: Voluntary Remediation Program
Application, Rheem Manufacturing
Company, Milledgeville

Dear Mr. Holt,

Thank you for submitting a Voluntary Remediation Program Application dated December 2010 for the Rheem facility in Milledgeville. Please note that section 12-8-101(b) of the Voluntary Remediation Program Act, states in part, "...provisions of this part shall apply and take precedence over any conflicting provisions, regulations, or policies existing under Part 2 of this article." Part 2 of the Hazardous Waste Management Act is the Hazardous Site Response Act (HSRA). Therefore, acceptance into the Voluntary Remediation Program (VRP) addresses applicable HSRA obligations, but will not satisfy your Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) obligations under consent order EPD-HW-667.

Please let us know if you wish to have EPD evaluate your Voluntary Remediation Program Application pursuant to your RCRA obligations, as you currently have no HSRA obligations. Also, please provide a written update to EPD within seven (7) days regarding the current status of off-site groundwater delineation efforts. Feel free to call me at (404) 656-7802 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,



Jim Brown
Program Manager

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cc: Alex Cleary, Response and Remediation Program
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