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Mr. Jason Jones (jasonp.jones@cemex.com)
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Re: Collier County - AG
0210012-Prospect Avenue Plant
Non-Compliance Letter

Dear Mr. Jones:

The purpose of this letter is to inform you about a non-compliance issue and seek your assistance in resolving this matter. On February 2, 2012, a Department inspector witnessed the scheduled compliance test at your plant referenced above. The inspector observed visible emissions coming from the shortest northwest silo baghouse that is identified as Emission Unit 4 (EU 4). The tanker driver and a plant staff shutdown the unloading of the cement and the test was cancelled. Shortly after, it was discovered that EU 4 silo was full and the remaining cement in the tanker could not be loaded to this silo. Although the visible emissions were not long enough to create a visible emission violation, the emissions from the bag-house system or other components appeared to have been caused by the improperly operating control devices. Continued operation of this emission unit, with emissions caused by improperly operating control system, may constitute a violation of Rule 62-210.650, Circumvention.

The Department requests your cooperation in resolving this matter. Rule 62-210.650, Florida Administration Code states no person shall circumvent any air pollution control device, or allow the emission of air pollutants without the applicable air pollution control device operating properly. The Department requests that proper measures be implemented, within thirty days of this letter, to correct the control devices to reduce the visible emissions of this nature. In addition, the Department requests EU 4 be re-tested as soon as possible to ensure that the pollution control devices are properly operating.

Should you have any questions, please call Sherrill Culliver at (239) 344-5629 or by e-mail at Sherrill.Culliver@dep.state.fl.us

Sincerely,

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