#### STATE OF FLORIDA

## DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL REGULATION

TWIN TOWERS OFFICE BUILDING 2600 BLAIR STONE ROAD TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA 32301-8241



**BOB GRAHAM** GOVERNOR VICTORIA J. TSCHINKEL SECRETARY

September 2, 1986

Mr. Phillip A. Steadham Agrico Chemical Company Post Office Box 1969 Bartow, Florida 33830

Dear Mr. Steadham:

Permit No. AC 53-111196, Sulfur Pellet Handling and Melting Facility, Specific Condition No. 10

The department has received and reviewed your letter of August 5, 1986.

Your sulfur monitoring plan is acceptable to the department. However, 90 days prior to the commencement date of the monitoring network, the department shall be notified of the monitoring equipment chosen (part C of your letter) and the commencement date.

If you have any questions, please call Pradeep Raval at (904)488-1344 or write to me at the above address.

Sincerely,

C. H. Fancy, P.E.

Deputy Chief

Bureau of Air Quality

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August 5, 1986

Mr. C. H. Fancy, P.E. Deputy Chief, Bureau of Air Quality Management Florida Department of Environmental Regulation Twin Towers Office Building 2600 Blair Stone Road Tallahassee, Florida 32301-8241

RE: PERMIT NO. AC53-111196, SULFUR PELLET HANDLING AND MELTING FACILITY, SPECIFIC CONDITION NO. 10: AMBIENT AIR AND DEPOSITION MONITORING PLAN

Dear Mr. Fancy:

In response to your letter of July 22, 1986 requesting additional information on the above referenced subject, I submit the following:

### A) MONITORING PLAN OBJECTIVE

To comply with F.D.E.R. Permit No. AC53-111196, Specific Condition No. 10, which requires a Sulfur Deposition and an Ambient Air Monitoring Plan to be submitted within 90 days of issuance of the subject permit.

### B) MONITORING SITE SELECTION CRITERIA

The monitoring sites were selected based on the consideration of several factors:

- 1. All stations have a free exposure from local pollution sources and interference from buildings and other high objects.
- 2. All sites are accessible, yet are located in a secure area to assure freedom from tampering. The southwest and southeast stations are located within a five-foot chain link fence. The north station is about 2000 feet from the nearest plant activities in a remote area.
- 3. All sites are at least 100 meters away from the source of sulfur particulate.
- 4. The Hi-Vol sampler site was chosen because of a nearby electrical power source.

### B) [Continued]

5. The stations were chosen so that they would be influenced by the three most predominant wind directions as indicated by the attached wind rose for Lakeland, Florida (1974).

### C) MONITORING EQUIPMENT DESCRIPTION

As yet, no equipment has been purchased for implementing the monitoring plan. We anticipate using modified Nipher Gauges and Hi-Vol samplers. We will provide a description of the equipment once available and prior to commencement of the monitoring program.

D) METHOD OF MONITORING EVALUATION AND ITS FREQUENCY

Method of monitoring evaluation and frequency will be in accordance with Chapter 17-2.753, F.A.C.

E) QUALITY ASSURANCE MEASURES

Test method, sampling, laboratory procedure, and calculations and recordkeeping will be performed in accordance with DER Reference Method for Monitoring the Deposition of Sulfur Particulate, Chapter 17-2.753, F.A.C.

F) FREQUENCY OF MONITORING REPORT SUBMISSION

Monitoring reports will be submitted quarterly.

G) MONITORING NETWORK COMMENCEMENT DATE

Approximately four to five months before completion of construction and before receipt or handling of prilled sulfur, monitoring plan will begin for purposes of determining background amounts of particulate sulfur.

Monitoring will continue as required by the permit.

This completes the topics for which you requested additional information in evaluating our ambient air and sulfur deposition monitoring plan.

Should you have any other questions, please contact me.

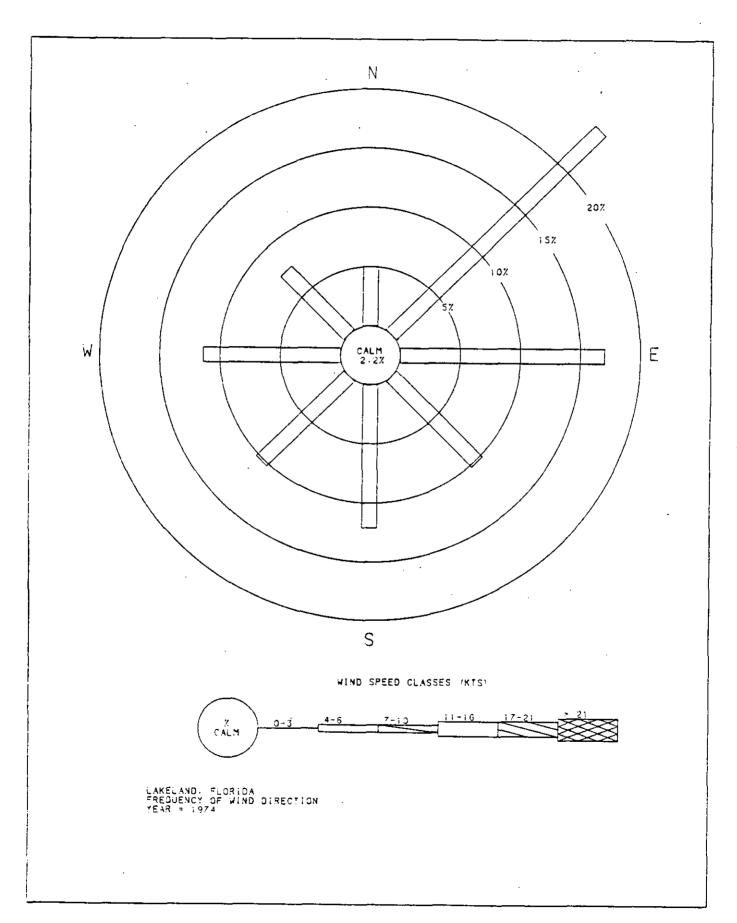
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Phillip A. Steadham, Environmental Chemist Mr. C. H. Fancy Page Three

## Attachment

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July 22, 1986

CERTIFIED MAIL - RETURN RECEIPT 'REQUESTED

Mr. Maurice Johnson Agrico Chemical Company Post Office Box 1969 Bartow, Florida 33830

Dear Mr. Johnson:

Re: Permit No. AC 53-111196, Sulfur Pellet Handling and Melting Facility, Specific Condition No. 10

The department has received and reviewed your submittal dated June 27, 1986, on the requirements of the above referenced subject, and has decided that additional information will be required to evaluate your ambient air and deposition monitoring plan.

Please submit information regarding:

- a) Monitoring plan objective
- b) Monitoring site selection criteria
- c) Monitoring equipment description
- d) Method of monitoring evaluation and its frequency
- e) Quality assurance measures
- f) Frequency of monitoring report submission
- g) Monitoring network commencement date

If you have any questions, please contact Pradeep Raval at (904)488-1344 or write to me at the above address.

Sincerely,

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June 27, 1986

Mr. C. H. Fancy, P.E. Central Air Permitting Department of Environmental Regulation Twin Towers Office Building 2600 Blair Stone Road Tallahassee, Florida 32301-8241

Permit Number AC53-111196, Sulfur Pellet Handling And RE: Melting Facility, Specific Condition Number 10

Dear Mr. Fancy,

We are enclosing a plot plan of Agrico Chemical Company's South Pierce Chemical Works, showing the proposed location of modified nipher gauges and hi volume sampler to satisfy specific condition number 10 on Permit AC53-111196.

Please contact us if you have any questions about this plan.

Maurice/Johnson.

Environmental Chemist

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cc: H. Long V. Snow

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