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Mr. Jerry Kinsella, P.G.  
Rumpke Waste, Inc.  
10795 Hughes Road  
Cincinnati, Ohio 45251

Re: Brown County Sanitary Landfill  
Director's Authorization  
Approval  
Municipal Solid Waste Landfills  
Brown County  
MSWL018788

**Subject: Brown County Sanitary Landfill, Brown County  
Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) Rule 3745-27-10(C)(7)(g) Approval**

Dear Mr. Kinsella:

On June 3, 2015, the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency (Ohio EPA), Division of Materials and Waste Management (DMWM), Southwest District Office (SWDO) received a document titled "Request To Modify the Background Periods for Monitoring Wells P-6S & P-10S" dated May 28, 2015, for Brown County Sanitary Landfill (Facility) located in Brown County. This document was submitted by Rumpke Waste & Recycling Service.

Pursuant to OAC rule 3745-27-10(C)(7)(g), background data can be added only in blocks of data resulting from the analysis of four or more statistically independent samples after the data has been statistically compared to the current background data and no statistical differences are detected, unless another method is deemed acceptable to the director.

Brown County Sanitary Landfill has proposed using the statistically significant data from monitoring well P-6S for chloride as part of the Facility's background data.

Ohio EPA has reviewed the applicable information and concurs with the addition of the chloride data to existing background data for monitoring well P-6S. Therefore, pursuant to OAC rule 3745-27-10(C)(7)(g), the owner or operator is hereby authorized to incorporate the above data in the Facility's background data.

You are hereby notified that this action of the Director of Environmental Protection (Director) is final and may be appealed to the Environmental Review Appeals Commission pursuant to Ohio Revised Code section 3745.04. The appeal must be in writing and set forth the action complained of and the grounds upon which the appeal is based. The appeal must be filed with the Commission within thirty (30) days after notice of the Director's action. The appeal must be accompanied by a filing fee of \$70.00

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made payable to "Treasurer, State of Ohio." The Commission, in its discretion, may reduce the fee if by affidavit it is demonstrated that payment of the full amount of the fee would cause extreme hardship. Notice of filing of the appeal shall be filed with the Director within three (3) days of filing with the Commission. Ohio EPA requests that a copy of the appeal be served upon the Ohio Attorney General's Office, Environmental Enforcement Section. An appeal may be filed with the Environmental Review Appeals Commission at the following address:

Environmental Review Appeals Commission  
77 South High Street, 17<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Columbus, Ohio 43215

If you have any questions concerning this letter, please contact Monte Bluebaum of the Ohio EPA, Southwest District Office at (937) 285-6647.

Sincerely,



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Director, Ohio EPA

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