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Jon Husted, Lt. Governor
Laurie A. Stevenson, Director

May 4, 2021

Mr. John Butler
Rumpke Waste & Recycling
3990 Generation Drive
Cincinnati, Ohio 45251

Re: NPK Compost Facility
Non-permit Related Variance
Correspondence
Composting
Hamilton County
CM010411

Subject: Termination of the August 28, 2007 Director's Final Findings and Orders

Dear Mr. Butler:

I am writing in response to the January 8, 2021, request from Rumpke Waste & Recycling Services (Rumpke) for termination of the Director's Final Findings and Orders issued on August 28, 2007, (Orders) regarding the NPK Compost Facility, located at 10795 Hughes Road, Cincinnati, Ohio.

The Division of Materials and Waste Management (DMWM), Southwest District Office (SWDO) staff have evaluated your request and confirmed the Orders are no longer required due to a change in composting regulations addressing the acceptance and processing of clean wood and pallets. Therefore, Rumpke's obligations under the Orders have been replaced by Ohio Administrative Code Section 3745-560-410(L) and the August 28, 2007 Orders are terminated.

Thank you for your cooperation and assistance in concluding this matter. Please contact Dylan Dyer, DMWM-SWDO, at Dylan.dyer@epa.ohio.gov if you have any questions concerning this correspondence.

Sincerely,

Laurie A. Stevenson
Director

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