

**CERTIFIED MAIL**

June 26, 2008

Cheryl L. Newton, Acting Director  
Air and Radiation Division  
U.S.EPA, Region V  
77 West Jackson Boulevard  
Chicago, Illinois 60604

RE: 2007 SLAMS Data Certification

Dear Ms Newton:

Please find enclosed our SLAMS Report (AMP-450, AMP-450NC and AMP-255) for calendar year 2007 as required in 40 CFR, Part 58, Section 58.15. The ambient concentration and the quality assurance data have been completely submitted to the AQS database.

The PM<sub>2.5</sub> speciation monitor filters have been collected by Ohio EPA, one of our District Offices or contracted Local Air Agencies but all analyses and data submittals have been performed by RTI.

The continuous PM<sub>2.5</sub> monitors are known to produce data which do not compare well with PM<sub>2.5</sub> data collected with a Federal Reference Monitor.

Certification for the Canton Local Air Agency (PQAO 151) will be requested if appropriate and sufficient quality assurance data are received from that agency in the future. Their data are included in this report for the sake of completeness, but we will follow up with an additional submittal.

One ozone site in Lucas County, AQS number 39-095-0024, does not have the required number of precision points (TABLE E in the AMP-255 report) and therefore the data will not be certified unless further research by the Toledo Division of Environmental Services finds an adequate number of precision points. The Toledo DES has taken corrective measures so that this will not happen in the future.

I certify that the data in the report are accurate to the best of our knowledge taking into

consideration the quality assurance findings and only to the extent of the activities performed by Ohio EPA. Furthermore, the certification as applies to PM<sub>2.5</sub> continuous data is limited to the accuracy of the report being produced and is not a certification that the monitors are producing results comparable to the Federal Reference Method.

There were no incidents of air pollution that reached or exceeded levels as specified by Section 51.151 which could cause significant harm to the health of persons.

Sincerely,

Robert Hodanbosi  
Chief, Division of Air Pollution Control

Enclosure