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**CERTIFIED MAIL**

July 6, 2011

Donell P. Jackson  
ABB Inc.  
5 Waterside Crossing  
Windsor, Connecticut 06095

**Re: Closure Period Extension  
Former Basic, Inc. Facility  
495 Emma Street, Bettsville, Ohio, Seneca County  
OHD 004 181 954**

I certify this to be a true and accurate copy of the official documents as filed in the records of the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency.

By:  Date: 7/6/2011

Dear Mr. Jackson:

On June 3, 2011, ABB Inc. submitted a request for an extension to the closure period specified in the approved closure plan dated October 25, 2010, for the Former Basic, Inc. facility located at 495 Emma Street, Bettsville, Ohio. The closure extension request was for an additional 180 days, until December 1, 2011, to complete closure activities. The extension request was submitted pursuant to Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) rule 3745-66-13(B), as closure will require longer than the 180 day period specified in OAC rule 3745-66-13. ABB Inc. has requested this extension because of weather-related delays including heavy snow and excessively rainy conditions preventing the efficient mobilization and use of equipment required to complete closure work.

My staff reviewed your request for an extension to the closure period, and recommends that the extension be granted per OAC rule 3745-66-13(B). I concur, and am therefore granting this extension request. This extension is being granted for the above-referenced closure plan and expires on December 1, 2011. The extension is from the date the closure plan expired which was on May 29, 2011.

ABB Inc. shall continue to take all steps to prevent a threat to human health and the environment from the unclosed, but inactive waste management units per OAC rule 3745-66-13(B)(2).

Please be advised that approval of this closure extension request does not release ABB Inc. from any responsibilities as required under the Hazardous and Solid Waste Amendments of 1984, regarding corrective action for all releases of hazardous waste or constituents from any solid waste management unit, regardless of the time at which waste was placed in the unit.

You are hereby notified that this action of the director is final and may be appealed to the Environmental Review Appeals Commission pursuant to Section 3745.04 of the Ohio Revised Code. 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, made payable to "Ohio Treasurer", which the Commission, in its discretion, may reduce if by affidavit you demonstrate that payment of the full amount of the fee would cause extreme hardship. Notice of the 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:

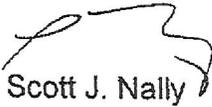
Environmental Review Appeals Commission  
309 South Fourth Street, Room 222  
Columbus, Ohio 43215

When closure is completed, OAC rule 3745-66-15 requires the owner or operator of a facility to submit to the director of Ohio EPA, certification by the owner or operator and an independent, registered professional engineer that the facility has been closed in accordance with the specifications in the approved closure plan. The certification shall follow the format specified in OAC rule 3745-50-42(D), and should be submitted to:

Scott Heidenreich, Manager  
Ohio Environmental Protection Agency  
Division of Materials and Waste Management  
P.O. Box 1049  
Columbus, Ohio 43216-1049

If you have any questions concerning this correspondence, please contact Dawn Pleiman at (419) 373-3148.

Sincerely,



Scott J. Nally  
Director

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