Mr. David Chamberlain  
2211 Parsons Avenue  
Columbus, Ohio 43207

Re: Closure Work Plan Approval for Electric Arc Furnace Closure Unit  
Columbus Steel Castings OHD 000 816 801

Dear Mr. Chamberlain:

On October 29, 2007, Columbus Steel Castings submitted a closure plan for the Electric Arc Furnace Closure Unit located at 2211 Parsons Avenue, Columbus, Ohio in accordance with the Director's Final Findings and Orders dated August 29, 2007. Due to deficiencies found upon review of the plan, Columbus Steel Castings on January 4, 2008, submitted to Ohio EPA a revised closure work plan. As specified in the August 2007 Final Findings and Orders, the revised closure plan was submitted in order to demonstrate that Columbus Steel Castings' proposal for closure complies with the substantive requirements of OAC rules 3745-55-11 and 3745-55-12.

The owner or operator and the public were given the opportunity to submit written comments regarding the closure work plan in accordance with the hazardous waste rule requirements. No public comments were received by Ohio EPA.

Based upon review of Columbus Steel Castings' submittal, I conclude that the revised closure work plan for the hazardous waste facility at 2211 Parsons Avenue, Columbus, Ohio, meets the performance standard contained in OAC rule 3745-55-11 and complies with the pertinent parts of OAC rule 3745-55-12.

The revised closure work plan submitted to Ohio EPA on January 4, 2008, by Columbus Steel Castings is hereby approved.

Compliance with the approved closure plan is expected. Ohio EPA will monitor such compliance. Ohio EPA expressly reserves the right to take action, pursuant to chapters 3734. and 6111. of the Ohio Revised Code, and other applicable law, to enforce such compliance and to seek appropriate remedies in the event of noncompliance with the provisions and modifications of this approved closure plan. Please be advised that approval of this revised closure plan does not release Columbus Steel Castings from any responsibilities regarding corrective action for all releases of hazardous waste of
constituents from any 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 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, OH 43215

When closure is completed, OAC rule 3745-55-15 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 approved closure plan. The certification by the owner or operator shall include the statement found in OAC rule 3745-50-42(D). These certifications should be submitted to:

Ohio Environmental Protection Agency  
Division of Hazardous Waste Management  
Attention: Dave Sholtis, Assistant Chief  
Regulatory and Information Services Section  
P.O. Box 1049  
Columbus, Ohio 43216-1049

Sincerely,

Chris Korleski  
Director

cc: Dave Sholtis, Assistant Chief, DHWM, CO  
Ed Lim, Manager, ERAS, DHWM, CO  
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