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Mr. Ed Gibson, P.E.
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RE: Response to your comment letter dated January 18, 2008 regarding Draft Permit 34-12, Old Salisbury Road Landfill, Forsyth County, document reference number 3880. (Doc Id- 3882)

Dear Mr. Gibson,

I am responding to your comment letter of January 18, 2008. The letter offered comments on a draft of the Permit to Operate for the Old Salisbury Road Landfill, Permit 34-12. I am paraphrasing your comment and offering my response.

1. General Conditions...- The Section is developing permit templates and desire that they be uniform. It is our opinion that permit conditions which appear in all permits, should always be numbered and appear in all permits the same. When a condition does not apply, it is identified as such, so that the numbering of the subsequent permit conditions does not change. Your permit had two conditions, 3 and 4, that were marked "not applicable", and they will remain. For your information, those conditions referred to recordation of a new permit.
2. Pre-Operative- This condition refers to a new rule and requirement for your facility and was included for your information. It does not affect the timing of subsequent submittals of financial assurance. We adjusted the language to make it more clear, and trust it addresses your concern.
3. Noted
4. Condition 20e- Not necessarily, as we standardize permit conditions, this is one that is used at some facilities. In addition there are activities that are not being properly recorded. The section would be happy to discuss specific proposals to determine if a permit modification would be necessary.
5. Not understood, no change made.

Thank you for your comments and if you have any further questions please contact me.

Sincerely,

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