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April 6, 2010

Mr. E.M. Fincher Jr., President  
Hensons' Inc.  
Post Office Box 1060  
Tryon, North Carolina 28782

Subject: Permit to Operate (PTO) – Application for Amendment – Completeness and Technical Review  
Hensons' Pineville Wood Yard  
Land Clearing and Inert Debris (LCID) Treatment and Processing Facility – Permit No. 60-15  
Mecklenburg County, DIN 10270

Dear Mr. Fincher:

On February 15, 2010 the Division of Waste Management (Division), Solid Waste Section received your application for a PTO Amendment, 5 year renewal, at Hensons' Pineville Wood Yard, Permit No. 60-15 in Mecklenburg County, entitled;

*Hensons' Inc., Pineville Wood Yard, Operations Plan, June 1998 (Revised February 1, 2010).* Prepared for Hensons' Inc. Prepared by E&A Environmental Consultants. Dated February 11, 2010. DIN 10212.

The Division has performed a review of your application for a determination of completeness and determined the application is complete in accordance North Carolina General Statute NCGS 130A-295.8(e). A determination of completeness means the application contains the required components in accordance with North Carolina Administrative Code 15A NCAC 13B .0300. In addition to the determination of completeness the Division has completed the technical review of the application and requests that you respond to the following items in order to complete your permit amendment;

1. In the Operation's Plan, Section 1.0 – Introduction and Section 2.0 – Standard Facility Operations, it is stated that the facility will receive "yard waste". "Yard waste" by definition includes leaves and grass which the Division has determined requires composting, since the Facility has no composting permit the receipt of "yard waste" would be inappropriate. Therefore, remove the reference to "yard waste", more appropriately the Plan might list stumps, brush, limbs and untreated wood in addition to the remaining listed items. Please revise the Plan and resubmit to me at the address below.
2. In the Operation's Plan, Section 2.5 – Fires, it is stated that the fire department will be notified. Please add that Mecklenburg Land Use and Environmental Services Agency (LUESA) will be notified, as well as the fire department in case of fire. Please revise the Plan and resubmit to me at the address below.



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3. Please submit Financial Assurance information according to NCGS 130A-295.2. In partial fulfillment of the Financial Assurance requirements, please submit a closure cost estimate equal to the cost to hire a third party to remove and clean up a week's worth of waste from the facility. The cost estimate must include hauling and disposal of the waste at an approved facility and any other measures necessary to secure the solid waste facilities. This information should be submitted to me at the address on the first page.
4. Complete an Environmental Compliance Review in accordance with NCGS 130A-295.3. Mr. Donald Herndon, Compliance Officer, will be contacting you, under separate cover, regarding information that may be needed to satisfy this requirement.
5. Please confirm that the owner of the property is;  
Linell LLC  
Post Office Box 1276  
Columbus, North Carolina 28722-1276
6. Remit the proper permitting activity fee in accordance with NCGS 130A-295.8. Mr. Jeff Skabo, Accountant, will be invoicing you, under separate cover, regarding the fee amount to satisfy this requirement.

If you should have any questions regarding this letter you may contact me at (828) 296-4704 or my email address [Larry.Frost@ncdenr.gov](mailto:Larry.Frost@ncdenr.gov).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Larry Frost".

Larry Frost  
Regional Engineer

cc: Joe Hack – Mecklenburg County  
Deb Aja – SWS/ARO  
Donald Herndon – SWS/CO  
Jeff Skabo – SWS/CO