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North Carolina Department of Environment and Natural Resources

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November 20, 2008

Mr. Melvin R. Nichols, Manager
Hertford County Rural Public Works
P.O. Box 116
Winton, North Carolina 27986

Re: Permit Amendment Application
Hertford County Transfer Station
Hertford County, Permit No. 46-02T, DIN 6529

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Dear Mr. Nichols:

On August 15, 2008, an application for a five-year permit amendment was submitted to the Division of Waste Management (Division) on your behalf by Municipal Engineering Services Company.

The Division has performed a review of your application for a determination of completeness. Your application has been determined to be complete within the context of N.C.G.S. 130A-295.8(e). A determination of completeness means that the application includes required components, but does not mean that the components provide all the information that is required for the Division to make a decision on the application.

The Division will now conduct a technical review of the submittal for compliance with the Solid Waste Management Rules (Rules), 15A NCAC 13B .0400 for Transfer Facilities. Under N.C.G.S. 150B-3, when an applicant makes a timely and sufficient application for issuance or renewal of a permit, the existing permit does not expire until a final decision on the application is made by the Division. Therefore, until the final decision is made, Hertford County is authorized to continue operation of the Hertford County Transfer Station in accordance with your most recent Solid Waste Permit and the Rules. Should you have any questions regarding this matter, you may contact me at (919) 508-8542.

Sincerely,

Patricia M. Backus, P.E.
Environmental Engineer

cc: Wayne Sullivan, MESCO
Ed Mussler, P.E., DWM Permitting Branch Supervisor
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