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Dear Mr Medlow

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION ACT 1990, PART I AUTHORISATION TO OPERATE A PRESCRIBED PROCESS

I confirm my visit on 26th June 1996 to carry out a routine visit to ensure compliance with authorisation references 6/92 as varied by variation notice 4/93.

During my visit I noted the following conditions that require your attention:

- 1. One of the filter socks to the 7 bag filter unit in Unit1 had split and not been replaced.
- 2. There was a considerable amount of wood dust around the bag filter unit and on the ducting in unit 1. Dust should not be allowed to accumulate in these locations. If dust is spilt during the changing of a wood dust collection bag the spillage should be cleaned up as soon as possible.
- 3. A full wood dust collection bag had split and left a trail of dust from the factory to the yard outside where the bag had been left. Any split bags should be rebagged to prevent wood dust escaping.

I trust that action will be taken with regard to the above matters at the earliest opportunity.

I will review all the conditions in your existing authorisation to ensure that they reflect your current operations and also the guidance provided in Process Guidance note PG 6/2(95). I will forward a copy of your draft authorisation for your comments as soon as it is available.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Spittle

ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH OFFICER