

Georgia Department of Natural Resources

Environmental Protection Division-Land Protection Branch

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Ashland, Inc.
c/o Mr. Mike Dever
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Dublin, Ohio 43017

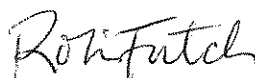
Re: Voluntary Remediation Program Semi-Annual Progress Report # 7 – December 28, 2015
Tara Shopping Center, HSI Site No. 10798
8564 Tara Boulevard, Jonesboro, Georgia (Clayton County)
Tax Parcel ID 13242D B001

Dear Mr. Dever:

The Georgia Environmental Protection Division (EPD) has reviewed the above referenced document which was submitted for the Tara Shopping Center site in accordance with the Voluntary Remediation Program Act (the Act). EPD has no comments on this Semi-Annual Progress Report.

EPD recommends that the recent groundwater sampling results be included in the final groundwater remedy design. Therefore, we anticipate receipt of the final remedial plan for groundwater and the final CSM, no later than March 1, 2016. If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Robin Futch, PG, at 404-657-8686.

Sincerely,



Robin Futch, P.G.
Acting Unit Coordinator
Response and Remediation Program

c: Eric Nathan, Tara Retail Holdings, Inc. (via email)
Michelle Stayrook, EHS Support (via email)

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