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Dear Mr. Sidlow:

I appreciate you taking the time last week to discuss with me the disposal site used by CAPCO. I also inspected the disposal site and talked with the operator.

To comply with Air Pollution and Solid Waste Regulations, we recommend that the following measures be taken immediately at the disposal site:

(1) All baghouse waste and dust waste should be covered with two feet of earth. This includes the waste on the back side of the disposal site along the fence line.

(2) An area of the landfill should be designated for dust that is separate from scrap pipe.

(3) A plan for landfilling the dust should be established. Presently, holes are being dug at random for disposal. This is a waste of land and very confusing to the operator.

(4) All baghouse dust must be in enclosed containers and placed in prepared trenches intact. Six inches of earth should be placed over the waste on a daily basis. Two feet of compacted earth should be placed over each completed trench.

We appreciate your cooperation in this matter and a re-inspection of the site will be made in approximately thirty (30) days to see what progress has been made. If you have any questions or we can be of any assistance in this matter, please contact us.

Sincerely,

Jack Honeycutt, Environmentalist
Division of Solid Waste & Vector Control
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