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Southwest Region Office

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February 13, 2024

Brian Fuller
Hoquiam Plywood
1000 Woodlawn Street
Hoquiam, WA 98550

Re: Industrial Stormwater General Permit NPDES inspection (WAR001939)

Dear Brian Fuller:

Thank you for your time while I visited your facility on November 14, 2023. Enclosed is the Industrial Stormwater General Permit National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) inspection report (WAR001939).

Please contact me at Adonia.McKinzi@ecy.wa.gov or (360) 480-1434 if you have any questions, comments, or would like additional technical assistance.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in brown ink that reads "Adonia McKinzi".

Adonia McKinzi, Ph.D.
Environmental Permit Manager
Southwest Region Office
Water Quality Program

Enclosures: Industrial Stormwater General Permit NPDES Inspection Report (WAR001939)
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Name and Location of Facility Inspected <i>(For industrial users discharging to POTW, also include POTW name and NPDES permit number)</i>	Entry Time / Date 1:30 pm 11/14/23	Permit Effective Date January 1, 2020
Hoquiam Plywood 1000 Woodlawn Street Hoquiam, WA 98550	Exit Time / Date 2:30 pm 11/14/23	Permit Expiration Date December 31, 2024
Name(s) of On-Site Representative(s)/Title(s)/Phone and Fax Number Brian Fuller, Maintenance Superintendent, (360) 581-5029, brian@willisent.com	Other Facility Data <i>(e.g., SIC NAICS, and other description information)</i> Washington Tracking Network (WTN) Environmental Health Disparities V 2.0	
Name, Address of Responsible Official/Title/Phone and email.com Mark McFeely, Mill Superintendent, (360) 533-3060, mark@willisent.com Contacted: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	Rank (5)	

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Permit	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Self-Monitoring Program	<input type="checkbox"/> Pretreatment	<input type="checkbox"/> MS4
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Records/Reports	<input type="checkbox"/> Compliance Schedules	<input type="checkbox"/> Pollution Prevention	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Facility Site Review	<input type="checkbox"/> Laboratory	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Stormwater	
<input type="checkbox"/> Effluent/Receiving Waters	<input type="checkbox"/> Operations & Maintenance	<input type="checkbox"/> Combined Sewer Overflow	
<input type="checkbox"/> Flow Measurement	<input type="checkbox"/> Sludge Handling/Disposal	<input type="checkbox"/> Sanitary Sewer Overflow	

(Attach additional sheets of narrative and checklists, including Single Event Violation codes, as necessary)

Compliance with Industrial Stormwater General Permit Special Conditions:

S4. Sampling and Analysis – S4. Sampling and Analysis – Permitting and Reporting Information System database (PARIS) has Monitoring Point Limit Sets established for pH, Turbidity, Copper, Zinc, visible sheen, TSS, and COD. The latter parameters are specific to wood product industries. Stormwater Outfall B representative.

S6. Impaired Waters – Water Quality (WQ) Atlas review showed no listing indication for this facility.

S7. Monthly Visual Inspections – Monthly Visual Inspections were certified, available for inspection upon request.

S8. Corrective Actions – PARIS review showed none triggered.

S9. Reporting and Recordkeeping – PARIS review shows the facility submits quarterly eDMRs and Annual Reports.

REQUIREMENT:

- The first quarter 2024 DMR and Annual Report for 2023 are **due May 15, 2024**.



REMINDER:

- Sample every quarter there is a discharge and submit eDMRs electronically. Spot check annually during Consistent Attainment in the fourth quarter.

Verify Latitude and Longitude

Sample Point B: 47.0035, -123.8833

☐ Announced
☒ Unannounced

Name(s) and Signature(s) of Inspector(s)	Agency/Office/Phone and Fax Numbers	Date
 Adonia McKinzi, Ph.D.	Ecology/SWRO (360) 480-1434	2/12/24
Signature of Management QA Reviewer	Agency/Office/Phone and Fax numbers	Date
 Sheila Spaulding, General Permit Unit Supervisor	Ecology/SWRO (360) 522-2987	2/13/2024

Hoquiam Plywood
Permit #WAR001939
11/14/23
Photo Log

Inspector: Adonia McKinzi
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Camera: iPhone
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Photo 1: Sawdust hopper.



Photo 2: Outfall B discharge to East Fork Hoquiam River.

