December 13, 1974

To: Vern Meinz

From: Allen Moore

Subject: U.S. Plywood at Morton

On October 31, 1974 an inspection of U. S. Plywood at Morton was conducted to determine the extent of waste water discharges.

No leachate was detected from their woodwaste fill on the westside of their plant.

On the south side of the mill a discharge was observed coming from the vicinity of the sawing area. The discharge flows into a drainage ditch which in turn flows into either Johnson or Minnie Creek which in turn flows into Davis Lake.

Parameters of the discharge are listed below:

Flow 45 gpm
Temp. 83° F
Total Oils 8 ppm
Phenols .002 ppm

The Personnel Manager indicated that the wood is being treated which may explain the phenols.

The oils are probable coming from the sawing operation.

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