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STATE OF ILLINOIS Pollution Control Board

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November 13, 2007

John Therriault Illinois Pollution Control Board James R. Thompson Center 100 West Randolph Street, Suite 11-500 Chicago, Illinois 60601

Re:

Illinois Environmental Protection Agency v. Henry, Patty and Bradley Maynor

IEPA File No. 333-07-AC; 1990505032—Williamson County

Dear Mr. Therriault:

Enclosed for filing with the Illinois Pollution Control Board, please find the original and nine true and correct copies of the Administrative Citation Package, consisting of the Administrative Citation, the inspector's Affidavit, and the inspector's Illinois Environmental Protection Agency Open Dump Inspection Checklist, issued to the above-referenced respondent(s).

On this date, a copy of the Administrative Citation Package was sent by overnight mail to the Marion Regional Office to be delivered to Respondents via hand delivery. As soon as I receive the affidavit of service, I will promptly file a copy with you, so that the Illinois Pollution Control Board may calculate the thirty-five (35) day appeal period for purposes of entering a default judgment in the event the Respondent(s) fails or elects not to file a petition for review contesting the Administrative Citation.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me at the number above. Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely.

Michelle M. Ryan Assistant Counsel

Enclosures

BEFORE THE ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

ADMINISTRATIVE CITATION

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PROTECTION AGENCY,)	STATE OF ILLINOIS
Complainant,)	AC 08 -16 Pollution Control Board
v.)	(IEPA No. 333-07-AC)
HENRY and PATTY and BRADLEY)	
MAYNOR,)	
Respondents.)	

NOTICE OF FILING

To: Henry, Patty and Bradley Maynor

12413 New Virginia Road Johnston City, IL 62951

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that on this date I mailed for filing with the Clerk of the Pollution Control Board of the State of Illinois the following instrument(s) entitled ADMINISTRATIVE CITATION, AFFIDAVIT, and OPEN DUMP INSPECTION CHECKLIST.

Respectfully submitted,

Michelle M. Ryan Assistant Counsel

Illinois Environmental Protection Agency 1021 North Grand Avenue East P.O. Box 19276 Springfield, Illinois 62794-9276 (217) 782-5544

Dated: November 13, 2007



BEFORE THE ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD



ADMINISTRATIVE CITATION

ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY,	
Complainant,	AC 08 -10
V.) (IEPA No. 333-07-AC)
HENRY and PATTY and BRADLEY MAYNOR,	
Respondents.))

JURISDICTION

This Administrative Citation is issued pursuant to the authority vested in the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency by Section 31.1 of the Illinois Environmental Protection Act, 415 ILCS 5/31.1 (2004).

FACTS

- 1. That Henry, Patty and Bradley Maynor are the operators of a facility located at 12413 New Virginia Road, Johnston City, Williamson County, Illinois. The property is commonly known to the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency as Johnston City/Blankenship-Maynor.
- 2. That said facility is an open dump operating without an Illinois Environmental Protection Agency Operating Permit and is designated with Site Code No. 1990505032.
 - 3. That Respondents operated said facility at all times pertinent hereto.
- 4. That on November 7, 2007, Phil Fatka of the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency's Marion Regional Office inspected the above-described facility. A copy of his inspection report setting forth the results of said inspection is attached hereto and made a part hereof.

VIOLATIONS

Based upon direct observations made by Phil Fatka during the course of his November 7, 2007 inspection of the above-named facility, the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency has determined that Respondents have violated the Illinois Environmental Protection Act (hereinafter, the "Act") as follows:

- (1) That Respondents caused or allowed the open dumping of waste in a manner resulting in litter, a violation of Section 21(p)(1) of the Act, 415 ILCS 5/21(p)(1) (2004).
- (2) That Respondents caused or allowed the open dumping of waste in a manner resulting in open burning, a violation of Section 21(p)(3) of the Act, 415 ILCS 5/21(p)(3) (2004).

CIVIL PENALTY

Pursuant to Section 42(b)(4-5) of the Act, 415 ILCS 5/42(b)(4-5) (2004), Respondents are subject to a civil penalty of One Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$1,500.00) for each of the violations identified above, for a total of <u>Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000.00)</u>. If Respondents elect not to petition the Illinois Pollution Control Board, the statutory civil penalty specified above shall be due and payable no later than <u>January 15, 2008</u>, unless otherwise provided by order of the Illinois Pollution Control Board.

If Respondents elect to contest this Administrative Citation by petitioning the Illinois Pollution Control Board in accordance with Section 31.1 of the Act, 415 ILCS 5/31.1 (2004), and if the Illinois Pollution Control Board issues a finding of violation as alleged herein, after an adjudicatory hearing, Respondents shall be assessed the associated hearing costs incurred by the Illinois Environmental

Protection Agency and the Illinois Pollution Control Board. Those hearing costs shall be assessed in addition to the One Thousand Five Hundred Dollar (\$1,500.00) statutory civil penalty for each violation.

Pursuant to Section 31.1(d)(1) of the Act, 415 ILCS 5/31.1(d)(1) (2004), if Respondents fail to petition or elect not to petition the Illinois Pollution Control Board for review of this Administrative Citation within thirty-five (35) days of the date of service, the Illinois Pollution Control Board shall adopt a final order, which shall include this Administrative Citation and findings of violation as alleged herein, and shall impose the statutory civil penalty specified above.

When payment is made, Respondent's check shall be made payable to the Illinois Environmental Protection Trust Fund and mailed to the attention of Fiscal Services, Illinois Environmental Protection Agency, 1021 North Grand Avenue East, P.O. Box 19276, Springfield, Illinois 62794-9276. Along with payment, Respondents shall complete and return the enclosed Remittance Form to ensure proper documentation of payment.

If any civil penalty and/or hearing costs are not paid within the time prescribed by order of the Illinois Pollution Control Board, interest on said penalty and/or hearing costs shall be assessed against the Respondents from the date payment is due up to and including the date that payment is received. The Office of the Illinois Attorney General may be requested to initiate proceedings against Respondents in Circuit Court to collect said penalty and/or hearing costs, plus any interest accrued.

PROCEDURE FOR CONTESTING THIS ADMINISTRATIVE CITATION

Respondents have the right to contest this Administrative Citation pursuant to and in accordance with Section 31.1 of the Act, 415 ILCS 5/31/1 (2004). If Respondents elect to contest this Administrative Citation, then Respondents shall file a signed Petition for Review, including a Notice of Filing, Certificate of Service, and Notice of Appearance, with the Clerk of the Illinois Pollution Control Board, State of Illinois Center, 100 West Randolph, Suite 11-500, Chicago, Illinois 60601. A copy of said Petition for Review shall be filed with the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency's Division of Legal Counsel at 1021 North Grand Avenue East, P.O. Box 19276, Springfield, Illinois 62794-9276. Section 31.1 of the Act provides that any Petition for Review shall be filed within thirty-five (35) days of the date of service of this Administrative Citation or the Illinois Pollution Control Board shall enter a default judgment against the Respondents.

Douglas P. Scott, Director Julinois Environmental Protection Agency

Date: 11/13/07

Prepared by:

Susan E. Konzelmann, Legal Assistant

Division of Legal Counsel

Illinois Environmental Protection Agency

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REMITTANCE FORM Pollution Control Board

ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY, Complainant, ٧. (IEPA No. 333-07-AC) **HENRY and PATTY and BRADLEY** MAYNOR, Respondents.

FACILITY:

Johnston City/Blankenship-Maynor SITE CODE NO.:

1990505032

COUNTY:

Williamson

CIVIL PENALTY:

\$3,000.00

DATE OF INSPECTION:

November 7, 2007

DATE REMITTED:

SS/FEIN NUMBER:

SIGNATURE:

NOTE

Please enter the date of your remittance, your Social Security number (SS) if an individual or Federal Employer Identification Number (FEIN) if a corporation, and sign this Remittance Form. Be sure your check is enclosed and mail, along with Remittance Form, to Illinois Environmental Protection Agency, Attn.: Fiscal Services, P.O. Box 19276, Springfield, Illinois 62794-9276.

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	Complainant,)
) IEPA DOCKET NO.
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Henry, Patty, & Bradley Maynor 1990505032 – Williamson County) Acos
Johnston City/Blakenship-Maynor)
	Respondent.)

AFFIDAVIT

Affiant, Phillip Fatka, being first duly sworn, voluntarily deposes and states as follows:

- 1. Affiant is a field inspector employed by the Land Pollution Control Division of the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency and has been so employed at all times pertinent hereto.
- 2. On November 7, 2007, between 10:11am and 10:33am, Affiant conducted an inspection of a disposal site operated by Henry, Patty, & Bradley Maynor, located in Williamson County, Illinois, and known as Johnston City/Blankenship-Maynor by the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency. Said site has been assigned site code number 1990505032 by the Agency.
- 3. Affiant inspected said open dumping site by an on-site inspection which included walking and photographing the site.

4. As a result of the material actions referred to in paragraph 3 above, Affiant completed the Inspection Report form attached hereto and made a part hereof, which, to the best of Affiant's knowledge and belief, is an accurate representation of Affiant's observations and factual conclusions with respect to said open dumping site.

Bhillp John

Subscribed and Sworn to before me

this

day of

November 2007

Notary Public

PWF

"OFFICIAL SEAL"
ROMALD & MORSE

Notary Summer access 2/21/10

My Corner access 2/21/10

Open Dump Inspection Checklist

County: Williamson	LPC#: 1990505032 $K/G/MA$ / Region: 7 - Marion			
Location/Site Name:	Johnston City/Blankenship-Maynor			
Date: 11/07/2007	Time: From 10:11am To 10:33am Previous Inspection Date: 08/10/2007			
Inspector(s): P. Fatka Weather: 30 F, Clear, Sunny				
No. of Photos Taken: #	20 Est. Amt. of Waste: 116 yds³ Samples Taken: Yes # No ⊠			
Interviewed:	Interviewed: Complaint #: C-08-025			
Latitude: 37.79956	Longitude: 089.93069 Collection Point Description: - Other			
(Example: Lat.: 41.26493	Long.: -89.38294) Collection Method: - Previous report			
	Henry, Patty, and Bradley Maynor			
Responsible Party Mailing Address(es)	12413 New Virginia Road 14256 Jeffrey Mine Road 1 6 2007			
and Phone Number(s):	Johnston City, IL 62951-3120 Johnston City, IL 62951-3120 Johnston City, IL 62951-2931 ILLINOIS 618-942-5100			
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	SECTION	DESCRIPTION	VIOL
	ILL	INOIS ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION ACT REQUIREMENTS	
1.	9(a)	CAUSE, THREATEN OR ALLOW AIR POLLUTION IN ILLINOIS	
2.	9(c)	CAUSE OR ALLOW OPEN BURNING	\boxtimes
3.	12(a)	CAUSE, THREATEN OR ALLOW WATER POLLUTION IN ILLINOIS	
4.	12(d)	CREATE A WATER POLLUTION HAZARD	
5.	21(a)	CAUSE OR ALLOW OPEN DUMPING	
6.	21(d)	CONDUCT ANY WASTE-STORAGE, WASTE-TREATMENT, OR WASTE- DISPOSAL OPERATION:	
-	(1)	Without a Permit	
	(2)	In Violation of Any Regulations or Standards Adopted by the Board	\boxtimes
7.	21(e)	DISPOSE, TREAT, STORE, OR ABANDON ANY WASTE, OR TRANSPORT ANY WASTE INTO THE STATE AT/TO SITES NOT MEETING REQUIREMENTS OF ACT	
8.	21(p)	CAUSE OR ALLOW THE OPEN DUMPING OF ANY WASTE IN A MANNER WHICH R IN ANY OF THE FOLLOWING OCCURRENCES AT THE DUMP SITE:	ESULTS
	(1)	Litter	
	(2)	Scavenging	
	(3)	Open Burning	
	(4)	Deposition of Waste in Standing or Flowing Waters	
	(5)	Proliferation of Disease Vectors	
	(6)	Standing or Flowing Liquid Discharge from the Dump Site	

LPC # Inspection Date:

	(7)	Deposition of General Construction or Demolition Debris; or Clean Construction or Demolition Debris		
9.	55(a)	NO PERSON SHALL:		
	(1)	Cause or Allow Open Dumping of Any Used or Waste Tire		
	(2)	Cause or Allow Open Burning of Any Used or Waste Tire		
	35 ILLINOIS ADMINISTRATIVE CODE REQUIREMENTS SUBTITLE G			
10.	812.101(a)	FAILURE TO SUBMIT AN APPLICATION FOR A PERMIT TO DEVELOP AND OPERATE A LANDFILL		
11.	722.111	HAZARDOUS WASTE DETERMINATION		
12.	808.121	SPECIAL WASTE DETERMINATION		
13.	809.302(a)	ACCEPTANCE OF SPECIAL WASTE FROM A WASTE TRANSPORTER WITHOUT A WASTE HAULING PERMIT, UNIFORM WASTE PROGRAM REGISTRATION AND PERMIT AND/OR MANIFEST		
	OTHER REQUIREMENTS			
14.		APPARENT VIOLATION OF: () PCB; () CIRCUIT COURT CASE NUMBER: ORDER ENTERED ON:		
15.	OTHER:			

Informational Notes

- 1. [Illinois] Environmental Protection Act: 415 ILCS 5/4.
- 2. Illinois Pollution Control Board: 35 III. Adm. Code, Subtitle G.
- 3. Statutory and regulatory references herein are provided for convenience only and should not be construed as legal conclusions of the Agency or as limiting the Agency's statutory or regulatory powers. Requirements of some statutes and regulations cited are in summary format. Full text of requirements can be found in references listed in 1. and 2. above.
- 4. The provisions of subsection (p) of Section 21 of the [Illinois] Environmental Protection Act shall be enforceable either by administrative citation under Section 31.1 of the Act or by complaint under Section 31 of the Act.
- 5. This inspection was conducted in accordance with Sections 4(c) and 4(d) of the [Illinois] Environmental Protection Act: 415 ILCS 5/4(c) and (d).
- 6. Items marked with an "NE" were not evaluated at the time of this inspection.

Illinois Environmental Protection Agency Narrative Inspection Report

Site #: 1990505032 Date: 11-07-07

County: Williamson Inspector: P. Fatka

Subject: Blankenship-Maynor

Complaint #: C-08-025

General Remarks

G.P.S.: N 37.79956 W 089.93069 Time: 10:11am

Volume of waste found at site: ~116yd³

Owner of Property: Millie Blankenship

Weather: Sunny, clear, ~30°F Soil Conditions: Dry

This inspection was made as a follow-up to an inspection and ACWN sent by this office. The site is located at 12413 New Virginia Road in Johnston City, Illinois. The site was easily accessed by New Virginia Road. This is a rental property owned by Ms. Millie Blankenship. The current tenants are Henry, Patty, and Bradley Maynor. I, P. Fatka, knocked on the door but no one came to the door or made any attempt to inquire as to my presence on the property. Twenty (20) pictures were taken of the waste, which consisted of household refuse, used tires, white goods, lead-acid batteries, and general refuse. The front yard had a pile of household goods on and under tables measuring 4yd by 2yd by 1 yd. These items were unprotected and exposed to the elements. The back yard had two piles and a burn pile. An area of past open burning was seen, but this did not appear to have been used recently. One pile measured ~5yd by 12yd by 1 yd, the other measuring 6yd by 4 yd by 1yd. The second pile was covered with black visquene, but there was additional debris on top of the visquene. Looking under the covering revealed that the items were directly sitting on the ground. The active burn pile measured ~ 6yd by 4yd by 1yd Open burning had occurred at the site, both historically (seven (7) 55-gallon plastic drums full of ash were found on-site) and since the last inspection. Based on the state of the primary burn pile open burning had occurred as recently as last week. The area received rain the last full week of October. Ash and residue closest to the ground had been settled and eroded by the rain. Above this was a layer of ash that was loose and unsettled, and showed no signs of erosion. Above this ash layer were bags of burnable general refuse. An area used for past open burning had the ash settled by the rain, and showed erosion rivulets. Leaves also partially covered this section. This past burn site held ash and what appeared to be the burned remnants of a lead-acid battery. Additionally, the primary burn pile was noticeably larger than it was as documented in the 8-10-07 inspection by M. Stevenson.

The following conditions, which constitute violations, were observed:

Illinois Environmental Protection Act Requirements:

- 1. 9(a) Cause, threaten or allow air pollution in Illinois
- 2. 9(c) Cause or allow open burning
- 3. 21(a) Cause or allow open dumping
- 4. 21(d) Conduct any waste-storage, waste-treatment, or waste-disposal operation:
 - (1) Without a permit
 - (2) In violation of any regulations or standards adopted by the Board
- 5. 21(e) Dispose, treat, store, or abandon any waste or transport any waste into the State at/to sites not meeting requirements of Act
- 6. 21(p) Cause or allow the open dumping of any waste in a manner which results in any of the following occurrences at the dump site:
 - (1) Litter
 - (2) Open burning
 - (3) Deposition of general construction or demolition debris or clean construction or demolition debris

35 Illinois Administrative Code Requirements Subtitle G

7. 812.101(a) Failure to submit an application for a permit to develop and operate a landfill

Findings: As indicated above and in the photographs open burning is continuing to occur at this site, as indicated by the growing height of the ash pile as compared to the 8-10-07 inspection, the partially burned material conforming to the ash beneath it, the scorched soil, and the accumulated ash in the barrels. The burn pile also doesn't show any of the pitting or rivulets that would occur after a rainfall, which means that burning has occurred since the rainfall during the fourth week of October (date of rainfall verified at www.weather.com). The apparent violations noted in the 8-10-07 report have not been rectified. Multiple white goods and other wastes observed show that some of the materials are coming from off-site. No records were found indicating that any of the respondents have applied for nor received a permit to develop and operate a landfill.

Illinois Environmental Protection Agency Open Dump Inspection Site Sketch

Date: 11-07-07

Site #: 1900505032

Site Name: Johnston City/Blakenship-Maynor

County: Williamson Inspector: P. Fatka

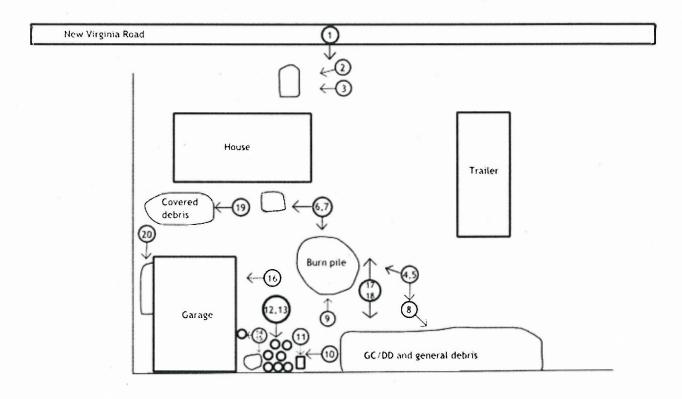
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Not to scale

All locations approximate

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Direction and number of photo







Date: 11-07-07
Time: 10:17am
Direction: S
Photo by: P. Fatka
Exposure #: 001
Comments: View of the
property from the road
showing three debris
piles.



Date: 11-07-07 Time: 10:21am Direction: WSW Photo by: P. Fatka Exposure #: 002 Comments: Household items unprotected from

the elements.



Date: 11-07-07 Time: 10:21am Direction: W Photo by: P. Fatka Exposure #: 003

Comments: View showing intermingled garbage and open Rubbermaid container filled with

rainwater.



Date: 11-07-07
Time: 10:22am
Direction: S
Photo by: P. Fatka
Exposure #: 004
Comments: Debris pile
consisting of household
goods and GC/DD along
back fence. A lead-acid

battery is visible in the right foreground.





Date: 11-07-07 Time: 10:22am Direction: SSW Photo by: P. Fatka Exposure #: 005 Comments: Trash bags stacked on the primary

burn pile.



Date: 11-07-07
Time: 10:22am
Direction: W
Photo by: P. Fatka
Exposure #: 006
Comments: White good
and black visquene
covered debris pile.



Date: 11-07-07 Time: 10:23am Direction: S Photo by: P. Fatka

Exposure #: 007

Comments: Closer view of the trash bags on the

burn pile.



Date: 11-07-07
Time: 10:24am
Direction: SE
Photo by: P. Fatka
Exposure #: 008
Comments: Closer view
of the household waste
and GC/DD pile along the
back fence.





Date: 11-07-07 Time: 10:25am Direction: N Photo by: P. Fatka Exposure #: 009 **Comments: View of the** burn pile showing more ash accumulation since the 8-10-07 inspection. This accumulation is lighter in color, shows partially burned material not present in the previous photo, and has not been flattened or otherwise altered by rainfall.



Date: 11-07-07
Time: 10:25am
Direction: WSW
Photo by: P. Fatka
Exposure #: 010
Comments: View of the seven (7) 55-gallon plastic barrels and half of a pet carrier.





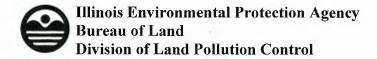
Date: 11-07-07
Time: 10:25am
Direction: S
Photo by: P. Fatka
Exposure #: 011
Comments: Closer view
of the pet carrier full of
ash.



Date: 11-07-07
Time: 10:25am
Direction: S
Photo by: P. Fatka
Exposure #: 012

Comments: Shot showing the contents of one of the 55-gal plastic barrels. Ash and partially burned

material.





Date: 11-07-07 Time: 10:25am Direction: S Photo by: P. Fatka Exposure #: 013

Comments: All seven (7) 55-gal plastic barrels, all full of ash and topped with assorted debris.



Date: 11-07-07 Time: 10:26am Direction: W Photo by: P. Fatka Exposure #: 014

Comments: Barrel full of metal debris. Dismantled small household appliance in foreground right and

center.



Date: 11-07-07
Time: 10:26am
Direction: S
Photo by: P. Fatka
Exposure #: 015
Comments: View of older
burn pile showing
flattening and
deformation due to rain.
Leaves partially cover the
pile as well. Burned
remains of lead-acid
battery in center.



Date: 11-07-07
Time: 10:28am
Direction: W
Photo by: P. Fatka
Exposure #: 016
Comments: Lead-acid
battery directly on the
ground and exposed to
the elements.





Date: 11-07-07
Time: 10:29am
Direction: N
Photo by: P. Fatka
Exposure #: 017
Comments: Lead-acid
battery left unprotected
and exposed to the
elements.



Date: 11-07-07
Time: 10:29am
Direction: S
Photo by: P. Fatka
Exposure #: 018
Comments: Six (6) used
tires, container of
household chemicals, and
assorted household
debris.





Date: 11-07-07
Time: 10:35am
Direction: W
Photo by: P. Fatka
Exposure #: 019
Comments: Closer view
of visquene covered
debris pile showing
additional debris piled on
top of the covering.



Date: 11-07-07 Time: 10:36am Direction: S Photo by: P. Fatka Exposure #: 020 Comments: White goods

and pallets.



PROOF OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I did on the 13th day of November, 2007 send by overnight mail, weather Marion Regional Office of the Illinois EPA, a true and correct copy of the following instrument(s) entitled ADMINISTRATIVE CITATION, AFFIDAVIT, and OPEN DUMP INSPECTION CHECKLIST for hand delivery

To:

Henry, Patty and Bradley Maynor

12413 New Virginia Road Johnston City, IL 62951 ORIGINAL

and the original and nine (9) true and correct copies of the same foregoing instruments on the same date by Certified Mail with postage thereon fully prepaid

To:

John Therriault

Pollution Control Board
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