## ALAMEDA COUNTY HEALTH CARE SERVICES

## **AGENCY**

DAVID J. KEARS, Agency Director



R02773

**ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH SERVICES** 

1131 Harbor Bay Parkway, Suite 250 Alameda, CA 94502-6577 (510) 567-6700 (510) 337-9335 (FAX)

May 13, 1998

ATTN: Tadashi Nakadegawa

Oakland Unified School 1025 - 2nd Ave Oakland CA 94606

RE: Project # 1822A - Type R

at 38403 Cherry St in Newark 94560

Dear Property Owner/Designee:

Our records indicate the deposit/refund account for the above project has fallen below the minimum deposit amount. To replenish the account, please submit an additional deposit of \$407.50, payable to Alameda County, Environmental Health Services, within two weeks of receipt of this letter.

It is expected that the amount requested will allow the project to be completed with a zero balance. Otherwise, more money will be requested or any unused monies will be refunded to you or your designee.

The deposit refund mechanism is authorized in Section 6.92.040L of the Alameda County Ordinance Code. Work on this project will be debited at the Ordinance specified rate, currently \$94 per hour.

Please be sure to write the following identifying information on your check: - project #

- type of project and

- site address

(see RE: line above).

If you have any questions, please contact Amir Gholami at (510) 567-6876.

Sincerely,

Tom Peacock, Manager Environmental Protection

c: files

## ALAMEDA COUNTY HEALTH CARE SERVICES AGENCY

DAVID J. KEARS, Agency Director

Certified Mailer: P 062 127 972

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH Hazardous Materials Program 80 Swan Way, Rm. 200 Oakland, CA 94621 (415) 271-4320

March 11, 1991

Karon Giovannoni, Plant Manager Thoro System Products 38403 Cherry St. Newark, CA 94560

## Notice of Violation

Dear Ms. Giovannoni:

On March 8, 1991, an inspection was conducted of your facility. The following violations of the California Code of Regulations were discovered:

- No waste determination made for:
   13 55 gallon drums of Poly Sat combustible polymer
   400 55 gallon drums of interceptor waste
   about 51 55 gallon drums of dewatered sludge.

   This is a violation of 66471 which requires the generator to
   determine if a waste is hazardous using certain methods.
- 2. About 45 55 gallon drums of waste flammable liquid and other unkown wastes have been stored in excess of 2 years. This is in violation of 66508 which allows a generator only 90 days storage of hazardous waste.
- 3. The above 45 containers were not labeled "hazardous waste" as required by 66508(c).
- 4. The above containers were not appropriate to the type of waste and were not managed properly in violation of 67241 and 67243. These require "tight" drums for liquid wastes and that the containers be kept closed except when filling or removing wastes. The above drums had open tops, many with lids that did not fit or were ajar thus allowing evaporation and also the addition of rainwater or other material.
- 5. Hazardous waste was apparently being treated on site by evaporation and "dewatering" without a permit or variance. This is a violation of 66371.

In accordance with 66328(d) you are directed to submit to this Department, within 10 days, a written Plan of Correction stating the actions to be taken and the expected dates of completion to correct the above violations.

Thoro System Products
March 11, 1991
Page 2 of 2

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact this office, at 271-4320.

Sincerely,

Thomas F. Peacock, Senior Haz Mat Specialist

Hazardous Materials Division

TFP:tfp 34

cc: Donna Weis, Union Sanitary District Gil Jensen, Alameda County District Attorney, Consumer and Environmental Protection Division Sukla Dee, City of Newark Fire Dept.