

NPDES Noncompliance Notification  
Possible Noncompliance with Daily Average/Maximum Limitation  
May 11, 1979

Date

Plant Palisades

Permit No MI 0001457

Outfall Description Neutralizer Tank Wastes (OOF)

Outfall No 800213

Parameter Solids-Suspended

Parameter No 00530

1. Date of Incident 5-7-79

2. Identification of specific effluent limitation exceeded:

Exceeded daily maximum limitation of less than 100 mg/l for TSS.

3. Description of Incident:

On 5-7-79 the neutralizer tank discharge measured 175 mg/l TSS.

4. Apparent Cause:

The higher TSS discharged resulted from an operating error whereby the concentration of TSS within the neutralizer tank was not checked prior to discharge.

5. If not immediately corrected, the anticipated time the condition is expected to continue:

NA

6. Corrective Action - the following corrective action was taken or will be taken to reduce, eliminate and prevent recurrence:

Neutralizer tank effluent limitations and proper procedures for authorizing releases from the tank were discussed with the individuals involved.

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7. Additional Comments:

NA

8. Signed: R L Fobes

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