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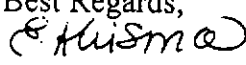
Dear Sir:

Subject: Aggregate Licence #103717
SUSPENSION ORDER

Further to our meeting (Zacher/Elliott/Cutmore/Kuisma/Greenwood/Osier) on August 26, 2003 with Mr. Paul J. Osier, I would like to take this opportunity to remind you of your obligations regarding your suspension order issued April 14, 2003 by Aggregate Resources Inspector Paul Cutmore formerly of this office.

As of this date we have not received any written or verbal confirmation that the items addressed within the suspension order have been completed. Please contact this office immediately as to what items have been completed within the suspension order. The final deadline date for the suspension order is September 30, 2003. Failure to comply with the suspension order by this date shall be deemed an offence under section 57(3) of the Aggregate Resources Act R.S.O. 1990. Failure to comply with this order may also result in further charges or the revocation of your aggregate licence.

Should you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to contact Emilia Kuisma, Aggregate Resources Inspector at 519-773-4747.

Best Regards,

Emilia Kuisma
Aggregate Resources Inspector
Aylmer District

c.c. Paul J. Osier