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Public Records Request RE: “Draft Shale Drilling Site Air Pollution Permit”

Dear Mr. Richard Bouder, Public Records Manager,

Under Ohio’s public records law, I hereby request copies of any and all public records in the possession of Ohio EPA that relate to the “Draft Shale Drilling Site Air Pollution Permit” (hereinafter “Draft Drilling Permit”) that was noticed in OEPA’s July 29, 2011 “Interested Party Letter for the Draft Well-Site General Permit.” This request includes within its scope:

- Any and all draft versions of the Draft Drilling Permit;
- Any and all versions of the Draft Drilling Permit sent to oil and gas industry corporate entities or to representatives thereof;
- Any and all comments or communications received from oil and gas industry corporate entities or their representatives relating to the Draft Drilling Permit;
- Any and all OEPA internal and external communications relating to the Draft Drilling Permit and any versions thereof, including email correspondences; and
- Any and all OEPA internal and external communications relating to Buckeye Forest Council’s previous records requests concerning the Draft Drilling Permit and any versions thereof, including email correspondences.

I would prefer to receive all copies in electronic format (e.g., PDFs or other electronic files burned to a compact disc or forwarded via email). Please send the requested copies to the below email or office address.

I appreciate your prompt attention to this matter. If you have any questions regarding the processing of this request, you may contact me at the following telephone numbers or email address.

Sincerely,

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