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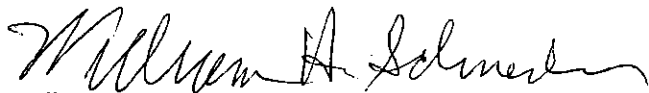
October 19, 2018

Kimberly Fleet 
Compliance Specialist
Air Quality Program
Northwest Regional Office
230 Chestnut Street
Meadville, PA 16335

Dear Ms. Fleet:

In response to the Notice of Violation dated September 20, 2018 regarding August 2, 2018 fugitive emission. Erie Coke disputes that the noted fugitive emission passed outside the facility property. Receipt of photos from PADEP show an emission above Erie Coke, but does not constitute a violation since the property lines cannot be determined. The photos were taken from a distance (approximately one half miles) from the south pier.

Sincerely,
Erie Coke Corporation


William H. Schneider
Environmental Manager

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