



STATE OF TENNESSEE  
**DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND CONSERVATION**

Division of Solid Waste Management  
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February 24, 2017

Mr. Ron Kunkle  
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Kilgore Flares Company, LLC  
155 Kilgore Drive  
Toone, Tennessee 38381

**CERTIFIED MAIL: 7015 0640 0003 9612 6783**  
**RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED**

RE: Temporary Authorization  
Increase Weekly Waste Treatment Capacity  
Kilgore Flares Co., LLC  
EPA ID Number: TND 98 102 6594

Dear Mr. Kunkle:

The Division of Solid Waste Management (DSWM) is hereby granting approval for a "Temporary Authorization" in accordance with Tennessee Rule 0400-12-01-.07(9)(c)5(v). This temporary authorization allows Kilgore Flares Co., LLC (Kilgore) to increase the weekly burning capacity limits of the hazardous waste treatment open burn units (OBU). DSWM authorizes Kilgore to temporarily increase the weekly amount of material burned from 5,000 pounds to 7,500 pounds. The daily burn limit is to remain at 1,500 pounds. This Temporary Authorization becomes effective as of March 3, 2017 and shall remain in effect until August 30, 2017.

Kilgore must continue to operate the open burn treatment unit in a manner to ensure compliance with Tennessee Rule 0400-12-01-.05. While the Temporary Authorization is in effect, Kilgore will continue to work with the DSWM to complete the Part B Permit Application and supporting documents for the hazardous waste treatment open burn units.

Comments and questions concerning this Temporary Authorization approval should be directed to Mr. Al Frakes at (615) 532-0855: Email [Albert.Frakes@tn.gov](mailto:Albert.Frakes@tn.gov).

Sincerely,



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Director

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