



STATE OF TENNESSEE
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND CONSERVATION
DIVISION OF WATER RESOURCES
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312 Rosa L. Parks Avenue, 12th Floor
Nashville, Tennessee 37243-1102

March 1, 2017

Mr. Tim Releford
Tennessee Dickel Distilling Company
1950 Cascade Hollow Road
Tullahoma, TN 37388

CERTIFIED MAIL
RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED
7196 9008 9111 3807 5870

Subject: NOTICE OF VIOLATION
NPDES PERMIT TN0002470
COFFEE COUNTY, TENNESSEE

Dear Mr. Releford,

The Tennessee Division of Water Resources has conducted a Compliance Status Review of the Discharge Monitoring Reports (DMRs) for Tennessee Dickel Distilling Company, (NPDES Permit TN0002470). It has been noted that the facility failed to operate within permit effluent limits at Outfall 002-G for total Residual Chlorine during the monitoring periods of October 2016 and December 2016, as detailed in the attached report.

The Division of Water Resources requires a written explanation for the violations summarized above within 30 days. The explanation must include the precise cause of the violations and the corrective action taken to avoid future violations. Please be aware that failure to comply with your NPDES permit may subject you to enforcement action. Pursuant to T.C.A. §69-3-115, civil penalties may be assessed for each day a violation occurs or continues.

The Division appreciates your efforts to maintain water quality. If you have any comments or questions, please contact Angela Hall at (615) 532-9506.

Sincerely,

Jessica Murphy
Manager, Compliance and Enforcement Unit

EJM:AJH

cc: DWR – EFO-Columbia
DWR – Compliance File

Effluent Violations

Monitoring Period End Date	Limit Set	Parameter	SNC Group	Value Type/ Stat. Base	Reported Value/Units	% Exceed.	Limit Value/Units
12/31/2016	002-G	50060 - Chlorine, total residual	2	C3 DAILY MX	.07 mg/l	250%	<=.02 mg/l
10/31/2016	002-G	50060 - Chlorine, total residual	2	C3 DAILY MX	.04 mg/l	100%	<=.02 mg/l