## Heidi McIntyre-Wilkinson

From: Heidi McIntyre-Wilkinson

Sent: Tuesday, May 26, 2015 11:34 AM To: 'jburcham3269@charter.net'

Cc: 'J.T. Workman IV'

Subject: Notice of Complete Application/Approval Form for Burcham Swine Farm Renewal

Attachments: Approval Form Burcham Swine Farm Renewal.pdf

Dear Mr. Burcham:

The Concentrated Animal Feeding Operation (CAFO) permit renewal application for your farm was received on May 26, 2015 (with additional revisions received later that morning). This letter is to inform you that your application has been reviewed and approved by TDA staff. Your application materials have now been forwarded to the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation (TDEC). Currently, TDEC, the agency responsible for issuing and renewing permits, is updating the General State Operating Permits. Upon completion of the permit revisions, TDEC will issue new General State Operating Permits, under which your operation will be permitted. Until that time, a permit renewal cannot be issued. TDA has informed TDEC of your submission, which confirms your compliance with the reapplication deadline as set forth in your permit. You do not need to take any additional action at this time regarding your permit renewal. Additional information may be requested at a later date. Thank you so much for your prompt attention to renewing your permit, and either TDA or TDEC will contact you when the new General State Operating Permits have been issued.

**PLEASE NOTE**: This approval notice <u>does not</u> constitute a CAFO permit – it is merely meant to notify you that the renewal application you submitted has been approved by TDA. TDA approval of your application is a necessary step towards renewing a CAFO permit, but ultimately TDEC is the agency responsible for issuing your CAFO permit.

The official approval form, as sent from TDA to TDEC, is attached. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me at (615) 837-5492 or Heidi.McIntyre-Wilkinson@tn.gov.

Sincerely, Heidi Wilkinson

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