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Dear Mr. Johnson,

Tate Fabricating Company, Incorporated is requesting an extension to July 30, 2021 to respond to your questions which were summarized in the letter dated May 21, 2021 concerning the State of Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation (Certified Article Number 9414 7266 9904 2170 0975 57).

Tate is still attempting to gather the needed information regarding the Blast Conveyor System (aka Wheelabrator). The literature available in Tate's archive includes the schematics for the machine but does not provide sufficient detail to extract the answers to your specific questions. To further add to the challenge, it appears the machine was provided by Equipment Technologies, a Stone Mountain, Georgia company that is no longer in business. Without the manufacturer as a source, it has been a difficult challenge to reply. The design of Tate's machine (e.g. Equipment Technologies Mark V-P, Serial No. 02400) appears similar to the Wheelabrator Pre-Blast Roll Conveyor Model 2436; however, the Wheelabrator representative stated they were reluctant to provide values for that machine's performance as a comparable without first examining Tate's machine.

I have attempted to schedule Wheelabrator on multiple times since April to make a site visit to assess the machine and provide some insight. Their schedule has been extremely busy, and they have been unable to commit until now. A Wheelabrator representative has now scheduled a date to assess Tate's machine on June 22nd. Upon completion of that assessment, the Wheelabrator representative asserts he should be able to gather the needed information to assist Tate in responding to your questions.

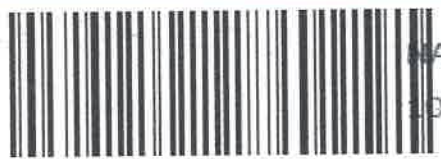
Based upon this timeline, which is beyond the control of Tate, Tate will be unable to respond within the 30-day window stipulated within the letter received.
Thank you in advance for your consideration.

Sincerely,

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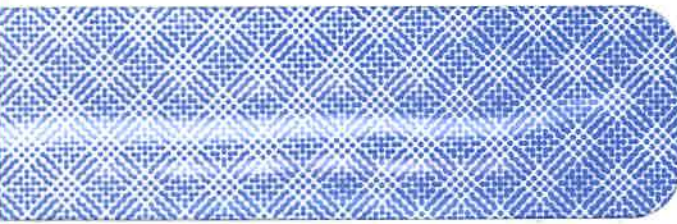


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