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Ms. Jewell Grubbs  
Office of Enforcement and Compliance Assistance  
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Region 4  
Atlanta Federal Center  
61 Forsyth Street SW  
Atlanta, Georgia 30303-3104

RE: RCRA Enforcement Referral

Dear Ms. Grubbs:

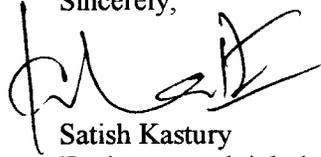
Enclosed please find a list of six files that the Department intends to refer to EPA Region 4 pursuant to the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) Memorandum of Agreement between our agencies. In order to optimize benefits to human health and the environment, Region 4 and the Department have determined that our collective resources should be utilized in the most effective manner possible.

Pursuing civil litigation in RCRA enforcement action, often costly and time-consuming, is not always the best process for achieving compliance, civil penalties or other remedies. Some cases may be more effectively pursued through EPA's administrative litigation. The Department's Hazardous Waste Regulation Section in consultation with the Districts and Office of General Counsel have decided to refer the below listed files to your office for enforcement. If the Department does not resolve these cases within 30 days from the date of this letter, EPA may proceed with its administrative litigation procedures.

<u>CASE NAME</u>	<u>EPA ID#</u>	<u>PROJECT#</u>	<u>DISTRICT</u>
1. DEP vs. Golf Balls Galore, Inc.	FL0000780759	257491	South
2. Lakeland Drum Service (file already provided)	FLD982141046	255343	Southwest
3. DEP vs. Damalos & Sons, Inc.	FLR000075895	247439	Southwest
4. DEP vs. Diversified Marine Tech, Inc. & Diversified Environmental Services, Inc.	FLD984182733	245262	Southwest
5. DEP vs. Carr Connection, Inc.	FLR000057299	260461	Southwest
6. DEP vs. Florida Aircraft Painting, Inc.	FLR000078501	250006	Southeast

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact my office or the former case managers from the Districts listed above.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Satish Kastury', written in a cursive style.

Satish Kastury  
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