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Dear Jim:

I was out of the office Friday and therefore did not receive your fax of April 22, 1994 until today. As I stated in my letter of April 21, 1994, removal of the tire shreds from the Florida Power & Light easement is not contingent upon receipt of the Management and Storage of Surface Waters permit and must be achieved 180 days from the issuance of Judge Smith's order. The material can either be removed from the site and properly disposed of or recycled, or temporarily moved elsewhere on the Florida Tire site as long as: 1) the material is not placed in jurisdictional wetlands or on the perimeter roads and fire lanes and 2) the pile size requirements of Chapter 17-711, F.A.C., are met. As the Department expects Florida Tire to timely construct the MSSW system upon receipt of a MSSW permit, it would be prudent for Florida Tire to avoid moving shreds into the location of the proposed MSSW system by either removing the shreds off-site or locating temporary piles elsewhere on the site outside of the FP & L easement.

If you have any questions, please call me at (904) 488-9730.

Sincerely yours,

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Re: DEP vs. Florida Tire Recycling, Inc.

Dear Janet:

Florida Tire's written question, submitted to DBP on April 18, 1994 and orally previously, was whether or not Plorida Tire can commence its reconfiguration, (assumming it otherwise complies with all other matters involved with the Stipulation, wetlands jurisdictional issues and Chapter 17-711) without awaiting the issuance of the Management and Storage of Surface Waters Permit? That is the single and simple question to which Florida Tire needs an immediate answer! The response Florida Tire has received has answered by saying, Florida Tire's question is irrelevant! Florida Tire most respectfully, but vehmently disagrees.* It needs a definitive answer immediately to the question asked, so that it can proceed with its reconfiguration.

Tames R. Brindell
For the Firm

* DEP's new position of April 21, 1994 is quite disturbing and must be resolved at a later date. As all who participated in the negotiations for and drafting of the Stipulation/Order are aware, Florida Tire's submitted Business Plan of operations, the negotiations and the Stipulation unequivocably envisioned initially resolving DEP's concerns regarding the tire material in the easement by the mechanism of reconfiguration. Please reconsider these facts and the implications of DEP's mistaken position here. We want to cooperate and move forward.

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