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75 Hawthorne Street
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Re: The SoCo Group, Inc. and Floyd Nelson Jr. and Sons, Inc.
Docket No. CAA-09-2007-0029

As stated in the complaint that we received by Certified Mail No. 7003 3110 0006 1997 2630 on October 15, 2007, we are responding as per your request.

We are not requesting a hearing on this matter; we only wish to acknowledge that The SoCo Group, Inc. ("SoCo"), our customer should not be included in this complaint.

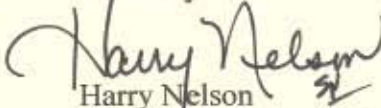
We do agree with the letter sent to you by The SoCo Group, Inc., dated October 15, 2007, that we did not intentionally ignore any EPA guidelines. We have made a mistake. This was an oversight on our part and we have taken measures in our firm so that this will not happen again.

I am sure if you speak with Mr. Bob Trotter that you will find that we have been very cooperative in this matter and only want to get this issue cleared up.

We do ask that we might be given some relief from the penalty that has been issued by your department.

Thank you for your time in this matter and looking forward to resolving this issue.

Sincerely



Harry Nelson
Floyd Nelson Jr. and Sons, Inc.