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Trillium Farm Holdings, LLC
Draft Permits for Goshen Pullet 5 & 6 and Marseilles Layer 6

General overview of the farms

Trillium Farm Holdings, LLC (Trillium Farms) has a total of three separate permitted facilities that are located in eastern Hardin County or southern Wyandot County. The facilities are leased and operated by Trillium Farms and Versova Holdings, LLC (Versova), and are owned by Ohio Fresh Eggs, LLC. The headquarters for Trillium Farms is 10513 Croton Road, Croton, Ohio. These three facilities consist of two egg-laying sites and one pullet site. Two of these facilities are applying for a draft Permit to Operate, a renewal application for the previously issued Permits to Operate (PTO), which were valid for a period of 5 years. The facilities that are renewing are Goshen Pullet 5 & 6 and Marseilles Layer 6.

General overview of the draft Permits

The chart below provides the general information for each permit application.

Table with 5 columns: Name of facility, Proposed Design Capacity, Township, County, Address of Facility. Rows include Goshen Pullet 5 & 6 and Marseilles Layer 6.

Within each draft Permit to Operate, a complete manure management plan is provided, which outlines inspections and monitoring that must be completed by the facility. In addition, the manure management plans describe how the manure generated at each facility will be managed or distributed. All of the solid manure generated at these two sites will be distributed to other cooperating farmers in the area. In addition to the poultry manure produced, Marseilles Layer 6 will also have process wastewater, or egg wash, to manage and land apply through the existing center pivot systems at each site. Additional acreage has been added to the Marseilles Layer 6 permit to handle any excess egg wash produced. Below is a summary of the manure that will be generated at each facility annually, as well as the acres available for liquid manure (egg wash) application.

Table with 5 columns: Name of facility, Process Egg wash Water (gallons), Land Application Area, Crop Rotation, Solid Manure (Tons). Rows include Goshen Pullet 5 & 6 and Marseilles Layer 6.



A detailed Insect and Rodent Control Plan is required to minimize the presence and negative effects of insects and rodents. Extensive maintenance activities, as well as continual monitoring, are very important aspects of these plans in order to prevent problems from occurring. However, if an insect or rodent outbreak were to occur, the plans identify strict control measures that need to be implemented within a specified timeframe from the time of recognition of the problem.

A Mortality Management Plan is required for the disposal of dead livestock. Approved methods of disposal are burying, landfilling, burning, rendering and composting. At these facilities, mortality will be disposed of by utilizing a rendering service or by transporting to a sanitary landfill.

An Emergency Response Plan is required to ensure that emergencies are handled quickly and efficiently to maintain the safety of the environment, wildlife and water supplies and resources. Details of the Emergency Response Plan can be found in the draft permits.

Finally, an Operating Record is included that provides all forms and information that must be maintained by the facility to show compliance with ODA's rules and the permit. These records document inspections of the manure storage structures, groundwater sampling, manure characterization, land application, insect and rodent control, distribution and utilization of manure, and mortality management. The facility and its records are inspected by the ODA to ensure compliance at least three times a year.

