

Ms. Catherine Giacometti
2535 Alpine Street
Tupelo, MS 38801

Dear Ms. Giacometti:

Thank you for your letter dated April 7th. Governor Musgrove shares some of your concerns regarding the expansion of industrial hog farms in Mississippi.

Mr. Charles Chisholm, Executive Director for the Department of Environmental Quality, is in the process of developing regulations for air quality permits. He has assured the governor that no air quality permits will be issued until the regulations have been finalized.

Should you have any additional concerns or questions, please do not hesitate to call us.

Sincerely,

Michael Boyd
Policy and Planning Director