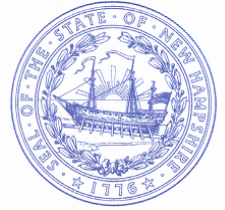




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Thomas S. Burack, Commissioner



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JOSEPH'S EQUIPMENT
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MANCHESTER, NH 03103-4008

CORRESPONDENCE

SUBJECT: KEENE – Joseph's Equipment (formerly Kingsbury Corp) 80
Laurel Street, Holding Tank Requirements
Site# 199102028 / RSN# 34595 / Activity# 216033

Dear Mr. Thibeault:

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If this tank is part of an on-going remedial action or should you have any questions regarding this letter or the law relative to holding tanks or nondomestic wastewater discharges please contact me at the Water Division at (603) 271-2858 or by e-mail at mitchell.locker@des.nh.gov.

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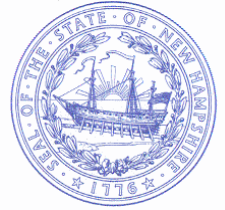
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