

**ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY
P. O. BOX 8913, LITTLE ROCK, AR 72219-8913**

COMPLAINT REPORT

Coordinates: 35°18'20.82" N 94°22'31.79" W	AFIN#: 66-00274 PERMIT#: ARR0039730
DATE RECEIVED: 09-06-06	COUNTY: Sebastian
COMPLAINANT NAME: Kent Keaton	COMPLAINT AGAINST: Quanex Corp.-MacSteel Division
ADDRESS: 4100 Bear Creek Rd. Greenwood	ADDRESS: 5225 Planters Rd. Fort Smith AR 72902
PHONE: 479-461-3528 FAX: NA	PHONE: 479-646-0223 FAX: 479-648-5588

PERSON RECEIVING REPORT: Frank Esry	DATE: 09-06-06	SUPERVISOR REFERRAL:	DATE:
INSPECTOR REFERRED: Jeff Tyler	DATE: 09-06-06	MEDIA SUPERVISOR REFERRAL:	DATE:
PHONE REFERRAL CONTACT:	DATE:	RECEIVING INSPECTOR:	DATE:

DESCRIPTION (IN DETAIL)

Complainant alleges that the facility is polluting the water at the outfall by allowing an excessive build-up of trash and other debris in this location. He also alleges that the facility discharges processed wastewater into the storm water ditch through a pipe on the north end of the ditch.

LOCATION (IN DETAIL)

5225 Planters Road, Fort Smith- back side of the facility at Outfall 001

PREVIOUS COMPLAINT? ☒ YES ☐ NO **Dates:** On-going

DISCHARGE TO STREAM? ☒ YES ☐ NO **NAME OF STREAM:** Unnamed tributary to Massard Creek

HOW COMPLAINT WAS RECEIVED: ☐ PHONE ☐ LETTER ☐ VERBAL ☐ FAX ☒ E-MAIL

FOLLOW UP ON COMPLAINT

COMPLAINT #:

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ACTION TAKEN: Inspection

PHOTOS TAKEN: No

Recon inspection was conducted on 09-08-06. Inspection revealed that the area at outfall 001 was free of excessive trash and debris. The pipe on the north end of the ditch is the location at which the facility re-introduces water mixed with sulfuric acid to help control pH. It is located approximately 600' upstream from outfall 001. Water enters the ditch at a rate of 430 gallons/ minute. No other pipes were observed in the ditch.

FURTHER ACTION TAKEN/TO BE TAKEN:

Recon Inspection report will be sent to NPDES Branch.

INSPECTOR SIGNATURE: Jeff Tyler

DATE: 09-11-06

HOURS WORKED: 1.5

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