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## Putnam County Property Appraiser

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May 23, 2011

Michael P. Halpin, P.E.  
Department of Environmental Protection  
Twin Towers Office Building  
2600 Blair Stone Rd.  
Tallahassee, FL 32399

RE: Lafarge Gypsum Pollution Control Devices

Dear Mr. Halpin:

Enclosed you will find the Return of Pollution Control Devices for the above referenced account in our county.

Would you please review this information and advise me as to what qualifies for assessment as pollution control devices under Section 193.621, Florida Statutes. If you need any additional information, let me know. Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Justin Edwards".

Justin Edwards, CFE  
Office Operations Supervisor



## Return of Pollution Control Devices For Ad Valorem Tax Purposes

Florida Statutes Chapter 193.621

To the Property Appraiser Tim Parker  
County, Florida, Putnam

Return is hereby made for the assessment of the following described property under Florida Statutes as pollution control devices.

### Description of Property

Pollution Control

### Description of Facility

Wallboard Manufacturing?

Name and address of owner:

Lafarge  
886 Hwy 17 N.  
Palatka, FL 32177

The undersigned taxpayer hereby agrees to furnish such other reasonable information as the Appraiser may request in regard to the assessment requested herein.

[Signature] 3/30/11  
Taxpayer's Signature

This form must be filed with the County Property Appraiser before April 1<sup>st</sup>.

ORIGINAL TO BE RETAINED BY PROPERTY APPRAISER

COPY TO BE GIVEN TO TAXPAYER

**Lafarge North America Gypsum  
Palatka, Florida  
Account Number 842814**

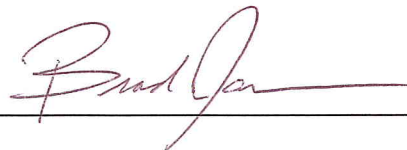
The following assets are used for the purpose of preventing dust and ground water pollution:

**Dust Collector/Baghouse & Spill Containment:** Gypsum plants are required to have baghouses and dust collection systems to manage particulate matter and organics from being released into the atmosphere. These systems collect matter to ensure emissions from the plant are within EPA standard guidelines. Gypsum plants are also required to have containment mechanisms in place in the event of a spill to prevent ground water contamination.

| Asset No.                                                    | Description                    | Year Acq. | Asset Cost     |
|--------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------|----------------|
| 169232                                                       | Dunnage Machine Dust Collector | 2010      | 65,000         |
| 170129                                                       | Liquid Tote Spill Containment  | 2010      | 18,738         |
| 170134                                                       | Bleach Containment             | 2010      | 7,000          |
| 170791                                                       | Active Storage Gutter System   | 2010      | 20,000         |
| <b>Total Dust Collector/Baghouse &amp; Spill Containment</b> |                                |           | <b>110,738</b> |

**Florida P.E. Certification**

The above list of air and ground water pollution abatement devices is being certified in accordance with CCH-ANNO, FL-TAXRPTR 20-300.25, Procedures. This certification confirms that the primary use of each asset is as an air or ground water pollution abatement device. This above asset list, excluding the asset cost values, was generated by me or under my "responsible charge" and is accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge."



**Brad James, P.E.**

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