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Dear Receiving Department Manager:

My name is Dr. Wendy Pollock and I have an office at 4 Milk Street, with windows adjacent to your receiving area on Silver Street. A year ago my office manager spoke with the Receiving Department Manager as well as the General Manager of the Regency concerning the diesel air pollution entering our office due to the delivery trucks not turning off their truck motors. The problem improved for a little while, but now we are again being forced to breathe exhaust fumes because of delivery companies' laziness.

As a place where people come to receive health services, this is a particularly important issue to address. Since this is not a situation that is being addressed, I have no choice but to send a copy of this letter to the Board of Health.

I wish I did not have to take these steps in dealing with the pollution problem myself, but it seems you have had no luck in so doing. If you have any solutions to offer, please call me at 774-9666.

Cordially Yours,

Wendy Pollock, DC

cc: Regency General Manager

City of Portland Public Health Department

Environmental Protection Department-Air Quality Control