



Howard County
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June 25, 2008

Nancy Pickett
5417 Trotter Road
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RE: **Variance Approval**
5417 Trotter Road
Clarksville, MD 21029

Dear Madam:

The Department of Health has received your variance request dated June 12, 2008 for the above referenced property. This agency will grant **approval** of the variance to waive the required Percolation Certification Plan. The variance has been approved on the basis that the proposed garage does not increase the wastewater flow from the single family residence and perc testing performed on July 6, 1977 indicates that there is sufficient area for existing and future on-site wastewater disposal needs. Any deviations from the site plan submitted with the request will be subject to further review by this Department.

Be advised that any future addition, living space or non-living space will require percolation testing and a Percolation Certification Plan will be required. Any questions regarding this decision may be directed to the Well and Septic Program of the Howard County Health Department.

Respectfully,

Michael J. Davis, R.S.
Assistant Director
Bureau of Environmental Health

cc: File

**Bureau of Environmental Health
7178 Columbia Gateway Drive
Columbia, MD 21046
Attention: Mr. Mike Davis**

Dear Sir:

I respectfully request requirement for perk test be waived in pursuant of permit application for a two car garage and a rebuild of front porch stoop on my presently occupied residence at 5417 Trotter Road, Clarksville, MD.

The proposed addition in no way effects existing well and septic area. Locations of well/septic clean-out are accurate resulting from on-site physical measurements.

I have occupied this residence since I had it built in 1985. I have never had a problem of any kind with the well or septic system.

Your cooperation is appreciated.

Sincerely,

 6/12/08
Nancy Pickett

