



**Environmental  
Protection Agency**

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August 23, 2010

**RE: FIRST WARNING LETTER  
BOVILLE INDUSTRIAL COATINGS, INC.  
(OHIO EPA ID 02 85 00 0381)**

**CERTIFIED MAIL**

Mr. Larry A. Boville, Sr.  
Boville Industrial Coating, Inc.  
7459 Leichthy Road  
P.O. Box 487  
Smithville, Ohio 44677

Dear Mr. Boville:

The purpose of this letter is to serve as a follow-up to my August 10, 2010, facility visit to your company, Boville Industrial Coating, Inc. (BIC), located at 7459 Leichthy Road, Smithville, Ohio. Thank you for taking time to accompany me during my visit.

BIC currently has seven (7) coating booths for miscellaneous metal coatings and/or plastic coating operations (R001, R002, R003, R004, R005, R006, and R007), and two blasting operations (P001 and P002). During the visit, we discussed the permit status, reviewed your coating records, and inspected emissions units in your facility.

On June 13, 2005, Ohio EPA issued two permits to your facility, including a permit-to-operate (P0086375) for emissions units P001 and P002, and a federally enforceable permit-to-operate (P0086376) for emissions units R001, R002, R003, R004, R005, R006, and R007. Both permits expired on June 13, 2010. Even though BIC submitted a renewal application on August 12, 2010 and additional information was provided on August 16, 2010, the application was not completed. A preliminary incomplete letter was sent to you on August 20, 2010, requesting that BIV complete the application. Please note operating any air contaminant sources without permits is a violation of Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) 3745-31-02.

The emissions unit R003 is permitted to use coatings that comply with OAC 3745-21-09 (U)(1) only when coating miscellaneous metal parts. BIC has used a non-compliance coating in emissions unit R003 since April 2010 for no more than one (1) gallon a day. The exceedences were reported through the quarterly report submitted on August 2, 2010. Please note it is a violation of Ohio Revised Code (ORC) 3704.05 (C) and OAC 3745-21-09 (U)(1). Please evaluate BIC's operations carefully. You may request a permit modification to change to use no more than 10 gallons of coating per day in any one coating booth, in accordance OAC 3745-21-09 (U)(2).

Should you have any questions regarding this matter, please feel free to contact me at (330) 963-1174.

Sincerely,

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