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September 3, 2009

Patty Crouch
Sterling Auto Body Center
15703 Puritas Avenue
Cleveland, OH 44135

NON-HPV

FACILITY ID: 13-18-00-8451
NOTICE OF VIOLATION: AIR POLLUTION NUISANCE

Dear Ms. Crouch:

On August 31, 2009, the Cleveland Division of Air Quality (CDAQ) responded to an odor complaint at Sterling Auto Body Center located at 15703 Puritas Avenue in Cleveland. This letter serves as notification that you are operating sources in violation of the following applicable air statutes, air regulations, or air permit conditions.

CDAQ detected paint-like odors off of Sterling Auto Body Center's property along West 157th Street at approximately 1:15 p.m. The odors are a violation of the City of Cleveland Codified Ordinance 277.08 and the Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) Rule 3745-15-07 for creating an air pollution nuisance.

Unless you undertake some type of corrective action with respect to the above noted violations, you will remain in non-compliance. CDAQ requests that Sterling Auto Body Center submit a corrective action plan stating how odors will be prevented from leaving the property to the following enforcement representative:

Andrew Marantides
Cleveland Division of Air Quality
75 Erieview Plaza 2nd Floor
Cleveland, Ohio 44114-1839

Your written response to this letter must be received by CDAQ within fourteen (14) days of your receipt of this letter. If there is insufficient time to correct the alleged violations within this timeframe, your response must include a timeline for correcting the alleged violations.



Violations of Ohio air pollution laws and /or permit terms and conditions are subject to the penalties stipulated in Ohio Revised Code Section 3704.99(A), which allows fines of not more than twenty-five thousand dollars or imprisonment for not more than one year, or both, for each violation.

Free assistance with state and/or federal regulations, rules, laws or permit conditions can be provided at no charge through the Ohio EPA Office of Compliance Assistance and Pollution Prevention (OCAPP). OCAPP can be contacted at <http://www.epa.ohio.gov/ocapp> or (614) 644-3469 or (800) 329-7518.

CDAQ makes no guarantee that the facility will meet the qualifying guidelines established by OCAPP.

OCAPP can also provide assistance to facilities that want to investigate methods of pollution prevention to reduce raw material usage and waste production. Again, there is no charge for their services.

CDAQ issues this letter with Ohio EPA's concurrence. The failure to mention any specific violation does not excuse any violations of local, state and federal laws or regulations regarding air pollution control. Violations of air pollution control laws may be pursued in local court or referred to Ohio EPA or U.S. EPA for further enforcement action. Should you have any questions, please call Andrew Marantides at (216) 420-8049. All correspondence with CDAQ must include the Ohio EPA facility identification number for Sterling Auto Body Center: 13-18-00-8451.

Sincerely,

George Baker
Chief of Enforcement

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cc: Larry Maline, CDAQ
Richard Nemeth and Michael J. Krzywicki, CDAQ
John Paulian, Ohio EPA Central Office
Lisa Holscher, U.S. EPA Region V
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