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RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

June 15, 2011

Allan Szarek
The Awning Company
2067 W. 41st St.
Cleveland, OH 44113

FACILITY ID: Unassigned
RECEIPT OF CORRECTIVE ACTION PLAN: Operating an air emissions unit without obtaining a state permit

Dear Mr. Szarek:

On March 31, 2011, the Cleveland Division of Air Quality (CDAQ) issued a Notice of Violation requesting that the Awning Company submit a permit-to-install/operate (PTIO) application within thirty (30) days of receipt of the letter. CDAQ received a letter dated April 15, 2011 stating that a PTIO application would be submitted once the Awning Company had met with the Office of Compliance Assistance and Pollution Prevention (OCAPP). CDAQ issued a Receipt of Corrective Action Plan (RCAP) on April 26, 2011. CDAQ then issued a 2nd RCAP letter giving the Awning Company adequate time to demonstrate compliance with *de minimis* requirements. CDAQ is in receipt of a usage log sheet for the month of May, 2011 dated June 6, 2011. Based on the information submitted, usage records indicate that you are not in compliance with *de minimis* requirements.

You are still expected to comply with submitting a permit-to-install/operate (PTIO) application within thirty (30) days of receipt of this letter. Failure to do so may result in referral to Ohio EPA or U.S. EPA for further enforcement action. Fulfillment of your commitments included in the corrective action plan and/or any modifications contained within this letter does not constitute a waiver of CDAQ's ability to refer this matter to Ohio EPA or U.S. EPA for further enforcement action. Please submit any future correspondence related to this matter to the following enforcement representative:

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

Unless you undertake some type of corrective action with respect to the above noted violations, you will remain in non-compliance. CDAQ requests that The Awning Company submit a permit-to-install/operate (PTIO) application within thirty (30) days of receipt of this letter to the CDAQ representative:



Sarah Buzas
Cleveland Division of Air Quality
75 Erieview Plaza 2nd Floor
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If there is insufficient time to correct the alleged violations within this timeframe, a written response which includes a timeline for correcting the alleged violations must be received within thirty (30) days of receipt of this letter.

CDAQ has provided The Awning Company with a copy of the appropriate forms during the facility inspection on March 25, 2011. CDAQ has enclosed a PTIO application fact sheet which includes additional information you can review and web addresses to obtain additional copies of the necessary forms. Please note that all permit applications submitted to CDAQ must include original signatures. Photocopied signatures are not valid; the application will not be accepted by CDAQ and will be returned to you if original signatures are not provided.

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 and 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 Megan Murphy at 216-664-4258.

Sincerely,

Linda Kimmy
Field Enforcement Manager, CDAQ

LK/mm

cc: Genna Huffman, Awning Company
John Paulian, Ohio EPA Central Office
William MacDowell, U.S. EPA Region V
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THE AWNING COMPANY

June 29, 2011

Megan Murphy
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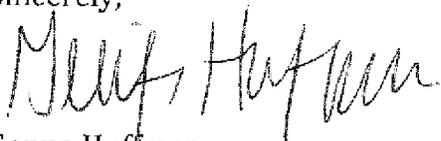
Dear Ms. Murphy,

Per your request, please find a second copy of the painting log for May 2011 with the unit of measurement noted at the bottom. Currently, we use 3M 16024 paint cups for the spray guns. This is how the items on the log are measured. These cups hold 24 ounces of paint. A total of 222 ounces of paint, 270 ounces of wash primer/catalyst, and 42 ounces of thinner were used in the month of May.

Also included per your request, are the MSDS sheets for the products that we use. I also included an email from a contact at our paint supplier explaining the MSDS sheets.

Please let me know if you need anything additional.

Sincerely,



Genna Huffman
Office Manager

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