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**CERTIFIED MAIL – 7010 0290 0000 3734 2095**  
**RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED**

Mr. Jim Matthews  
Facilities Manager  
Industrial Steel Treating Co.  
P.O. Box 98  
Jackson, Michigan 49204-0098

SRN: A1864, Jackson County

Dear Mr. Matthews:

**VIOLATION NOTICE**

On June 24, 2016, the Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ), Air Quality Division (AQD), conducted an inspection of Industrial Steel Treating Co. (IST) located at 613 Carroll Street, Jackson, Michigan. The purpose of this inspection was to determine IST's compliance with the requirements of the federal Clean Air Act; Part 55, Air Pollution Control, of the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Act, 1994 PA 451, as amended (Act 451); the Air Pollution Control Rules; and the conditions of Permit to Install (PTI) number 388-96B;

During this inspection, it was noted that IST had reconstructed and replaced several Emission Units, including EU4CHARDENTEMPER and EU1BTEMPER. These activities were not exempt from R 336.1201 (Rule 201) and a permit to install was not obtained prior to making changes to these Emission Units. The AQD staff advised IST on August 11, 2016, that this is a violation of Act 451, Rule 201.

A program for compliance may include a completed PTI application for the IST's process equipment. An application form is available by request, or at the following website:

[http://www.deq.state.mi.us/aps/nsr\\_information.shtml](http://www.deq.state.mi.us/aps/nsr_information.shtml)

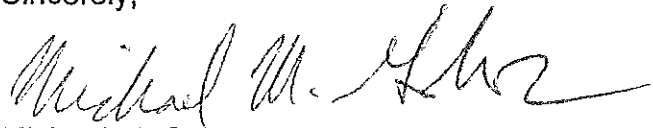
Be advised that Rule 201 requires that a permit be obtained prior to installation, construction, operation, reconstruction, relocation, or alteration of any process or process equipment which may be a source of an air contaminant.

Please initiate actions necessary to correct the cited violation and submit a written response to this Violation Notice by September 9, 2016. The written response should include: the dates the violation occurred; an explanation of the causes and duration of the violation; whether the violation is ongoing; a summary of the actions that have been taken and are proposed to be taken to correct the violation and the dates by which these actions will take place; and what steps are being taken to prevent a recurrence.

If IST believes the above observations or statements are inaccurate or do not constitute violations of the applicable legal requirements cited, please provide appropriate factual information to explain your position.

Thank you for your attention to resolving the violation cited above and for the cooperation that was extended to me during my inspection of IST. If you have any questions regarding the violation or the actions necessary to bring this facility into compliance, please contact me at the number listed below.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Michael M. Gabor". The signature is fluid and cursive, written over a white background.

Michael M. Gabor  
Environmental Quality Analyst  
Air Quality Division  
(517) 780-5496

cc: Mr. Scott Miller, DEQ

cc/via e-mail: Ms. Lynn Fiedler, DEQ  
Ms. Mary Ann Dolehanty, DEQ  
Mr. Thomas Hess, DEQ