

#### STATE OF MICHIGAN

# DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY





C. HEIDI GRETHER
DIRECTOR

December 14, 2016

# **CERTIFIED MAIL**

Mr. Chi H. Yeo Earl Ruby Cleaners 18135 Livernois Avenue Detroit, MI 48221

Establishment Number: 8200220

Wayne County

Dear Mr. Yeo:

#### **VIOLATION NOTICE**

On December 6, 2016, the Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ), Air Quality Division (AQD), conducted an inspection of Earl Ruby Cleaners, 18135 Livernois Avenue, Detroit, Michigan. The purpose of this inspection was to determine Earl Ruby Cleaners' compliance with the requirements of the federal Clean Air Act and Part 55, Air Pollution Control, of the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Act, 1994 PA 451, as amended (Act 451).

Specifically, this dry cleaner is subject to the federal National Perchloroethylene Air Emission Standards for Dry Cleaning Facilities, Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations (CFR), Part 63, Subpart M and the Public Health Code, 1978 PA 368, as amended, Dry Cleaning Establishment Rules Utilizing Class I, II, III, and IV Solvents.

During the inspection, staff observed the following:

Process	Rule/Permit	·
Description	Condition Violated	Comments
Commercial, Dry to	40 CFR 63.322(o)	The monthly leak check with a halogenated
Dry, Type IV	(1)	hydrocarbon detector has not been
Perchloroethylene		performed.
dry cleaning facility	40 CFR 63.324(d)	The NESHAP temperature, leak detection,
	(1,2,3,4,5)	repair, and perc purchase logs are not being
		kept for the dry cleaning machine.

Please initiate actions necessary to correct the cited violations and submit a written response to this Violation Notice by January 4, 2017 (which coincides with 21 calendar days from the date of this letter). The written response should include: the dates the violations occurred; an explanation of the causes and duration of the violations; whether the violations are ongoing; a summary of the actions that have been taken and are proposed to be taken to correct the violations and the dates by which these actions will take place; and what steps are being taken to prevent a reoccurrence.

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If Earl Ruby Cleaners 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 violations cited above and for the cooperation that was extended to me during my inspection of Earl Ruby Cleaners. If you have any questions or require further information, please contact me at 734-564-6724 or jaskowskij@michigan.gov.

Sincerely,

Joseph A. Jaskowski

Environmental Quality Analyst Southeast Michigan District Office

Air Quality Division

### Enclosures

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