

STATE OF MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY GRAND RAPIDS DISTRICT OFFICE



August 23, 2017

Mr. Brian Curry MedPlast Medical, Inc. 520 Watson SW Grand Rapids, Michigan 49504

Dear Mr. Curry:

SRN: N0795, Kent County

VIOLATION NOTICE

On August 17, 2017, the Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ), Air Quality Division (AQD), conducted a review of Rule 912 reporting information provided by MedPlast Medical, Inc. located at 520 Watson SW, Grand Rapids, Michigan. The purpose of this review was to determine MedPlast Medical, Inc.'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 605-89B;

During the information review, staff observed the following:

Process Description	Rule/Permit Condition Violated	Comments
EU-ETOSTERILIZERS	PTI No. 605-89B, Special Condition 1.1b	Excess emissions

The records provided demonstrate that actual emissions of ethylene oxide from the ethylene oxide sterilization process equipment exceeded the 12-month rolling emission limit. The AQD recognizes that MedPlast Medical, Inc. has identified in a letter dated August 17, 2017 that corrective actions have been taken and procedures implemented to eliminate the cause of the exceedance.

If MedPlast Medical, Inc. 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. Mr. Brian Curry MedPlast Medical, Inc. Page 2 August 23, 2017

Thank you for your attention to resolving the violation cited above. 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,

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