

## STATE OF MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

GRAND RAPIDS DISTRICT OFFICE



December 3, 2018

Mr. Bryan Curry Viant Medical, Inc. 520 Watson SW Grand Rapids, Michigan 49504

Dear Mr. Curry:

SRN: N0795, Kent County

## **VIOLATION NOTICE**

On July 25, 2018, the Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ), Air Quality Division (AQD), sent a Violation Notice to Viant Medical, Inc. (formerly MedPlast Medical, Inc.) located at 520 Watson SW, Grand Rapids, Michigan. The purpose of the letter was to cite Viant Medical, Inc.'s non-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. In that letter the AQD required that Viant Medical, Inc. conduct stack testing of the ethylene oxide sterilization process prior to November 30, 2018.

During a review of information, staff identified the following:

·	Rule/Permit	
Process Description	Condition Violated	Comments
Ethylene Oxidide	40 CFR Part 63, Subpart O	Failure to conduct stack
Sterilization Process	(40 CFR 63.363)	testing by November 30,
	,	2018

Please initiate actions necessary to correct the cited violation and submit a written response to this Violation Notice by December 17, 2018. 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 reoccurrence.

Additionally, please include an update on all measures Viant Medical, Inc. has taken, to date, to reduce emissions of ethylene oxide and include the stack and fugitive emissions data for the months of September, October and November 2018 for the stationary source.

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Please submit the written response to the DEQ, AQD, Grand Rapids District, at 350 Ottawa Avenue, Unit 10, Grand Rapids, Michigan 49503 and submit a copy to Ms. Jenine Camilleri, Enforcement Unit Supervisor at the DEQ, AQD, P.O. Box 30260, Lansing, Michigan 48909-7760.

If Viant 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.

Thank you for your attention to resolving the violation cited above and for the cooperation that was extended to me during my inspection of Viant Medical, Inc. 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,

April Lazzaro

Senior Environmental Quality Analyst

Air Quality Division 616-558-1092

cc: Ms. Mary Ann Dolehanty, DEQ Dr. Eduardo Olaguer, DEQ

Mr. Christopher Ethridge, DEQ

Ms. Jenine Camilleri, DEQ

Ms. Heidi Hollenbach, DEQ