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STATE OF MICHIGAN  
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY  
SAGINAW BAY DISTRICT OFFICE



C. HEIDI GREYER  
DIRECTOR

July 19, 2018

Mr. Aaron Darbee  
Huron Tool & Engineering  
635 Liberty Street  
Bad Axe, Michigan 48413

SRN: N3224, Huron County

Dear Mr. Darbee:

**SECOND VIOLATION NOTICE**

On January 4, 2018, the Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ), Air Quality Division (AQD), conducted an inspection of Huron Tool & Engineering, located at 635 Liberty Street, Bad Axe, Michigan. The purpose of the inspection was to determine Huron Tool & Engineering's 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); the Air Pollution Control Rules;

During this inspection, it was noted that Huron Tool & Engineering had installed and commenced operation of the Heat Treat Molten Salt Quench Equipment. However, the determination that this equipment was unpermitted equipment that required a permit was not made until after the follow-up meeting on June 15, 2018.

On June 25, 2018, the AQD sent Huron Tool & Engineering a Violation Notice citing a violation discovered as a result of the inspection and requested your written response by July 16, 2018. A copy of that letter is enclosed for your reference. As of this date, we have not received your response.

Please be advised that failure to respond in writing and identifying actions Huron Tool & Engineering will take or has taken to resolve the cited violation may result in escalated enforcement action by the AQD. Please provide the information requested in our June 25, 2018 letter by July 26, 2018, which corresponds to 7 days from the date of this letter.

Please submit the written response to the DEQ, AQD, Saginaw Bay District, at 401 Ketchum Street, Suite B, Bay City, Michigan 48708 and submit a copy to Ms. Jenine Camilleri, Enforcement Unit Supervisor at the DEQ, AQD, P.O. Box 30260, Lansing, Michigan 48909-7760.

Be further advised that issuance of this Violation Notice does not preclude or limit the DEQ's ability to initiate any other enforcement action under state or federal law as appropriate.

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If you have any questions regarding the violation or the actions necessary to bring Huron Tool & Engineering into compliance, please contact me at the number listed below.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Matthew K. Karl".

Matthew Karl  
Environmental Quality Analyst  
Air Quality Division  
989-439-3779

cc/via e-mail: Ms. Mary Ann Dolehanty, DEQ  
Mr. Craig Fitzner, DEQ  
Mr. Christopher Ethridge, DEQ  
Ms. Jenine Camilleri, DEQ  
Mr. Chris Hare, DEQ