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DIRECTOR

January 28, 2016

Mr. Thomas Winks, Plant Manager
Huntington Foam
1323 Moore Drive
Greenville, Michigan 48838

SRN: N6976, Montcalm County

Dear Mr. Winks:

VIOLATION NOTICE

On January 22, 2016, the Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ), Air Quality Division (AQD), conducted an inspection of Huntington Foam located at 1323 Moore Drive, Greenville, Michigan. The purpose of this inspection was to determine Huntington Foam'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 administrative rules; and the conditions of Permit to Install (PTI) number 156-01C.

During the inspection, staff observed the following:

Process Description	Rule/Permit Condition Violated	Comments
EU02000; polystyrene bead expansion	PTI No. 156-01C Special Condition I.1	Available records indicate VOC emissions in excess of the VOC limit of 490 pounds VOC per day, established per Rule 225, for three days in 2015 and 2016 (to date).

The records provided demonstrate that actual emissions of Volatile Organic Compounds (VOC) from the polystyrene bead expansion process were in excess of the daily limit for three days in 2015 and 2016 (to date.) The conditions of PTI No. 156-01C limit the daily emissions of VOC to 490 pounds.

Please initiate actions necessary to correct the cited violation and submit a written response to this Violation Notice by February 18, 2016 (which coincides with 21 calendar days from the date of this letter). 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

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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.

If Huntington Foam 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 your facility. 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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Air Quality Division
616-356-0239

cc: Ms. Prudence Blue, DEQ
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