

## STATE OF MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY KALAMAZOO DISTRICT OFFICE



DIRECTOR

October 20, 2015

Mr. Mark Frank, President North Shore Manufacturing Corporation 4706 M-63 Coloma, MI 49038

Dear Mr. Frank:

SRN: N7448, Berrien County

## VIOLATION NOTICE

On September 15, 2015, the Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division (AQD), received a Permit to Install (PTI) application for North Shore Manufacturing Corporation (Facility), located at 4706 M-63, Coloma, Michigan. AQD staff reviewed the PTI application to determine 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. After the review, staff noted the following:

Process Description	Rule/Permit Condition Violated	Comments
Aluminum and/or Zinc Melting Furnaces	Rule 336.1201 of Part 55 (Air Pollution Control Rules).	The facility had installed and has been operating metal melting furnaces without first obtaining a PTI.
Molten Metal Holding Furnaces	Rule 336.1201 of Part 55 (Air Pollution Control Rules).	The facility had installed and has been operating molten metal holding furnaces without first obtaining a PTI.

Please initiate actions necessary to correct the cited violations and submit a written response to this Violation Notice by November 10, 2015 (which coincides with 21 calendar days from the date of this letter). The written response should include the following:

- 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
- what steps are being taken to prevent a reoccurrence

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If the Facility 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 this office, explaining your position.

Thank you for your attention to resolving the violations cited above. If you have any questions regarding the violations or the actions necessary to bring this facility into compliance, please contact me at the number listed below.

Sincerely,

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Matt Deskins

**Environmental Quality Analyst** 

Air Quality Division

269-567-3542

cc: Ms. Mary Douglas, DEQ

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