

STATE OF MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

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ENFORCEMENT NOTICE

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Mr. Tom Jasper Andy J. Egan Company 2001 Waldorf NW Grand Rapids, Michigan 49544 Mr. Gregory F. Collins Energy Systems Group, LLC 4655 Rosebud Lane Newburgh, Indiana 47630

Dear Messrs. Sproul, Vallad, Jasper, and Collins:

SUBJECT: Violations that occurred at 1342 West Main Street in Ionia, Michigan

On May 23, 2016, and July 6, 2016, the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality (MDEQ), Air Quality Division (AQD) sent Violation Notices in reference to violations of the National Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants (NESHAP) that occurred at 1342 West Main Street in Ionia, Michigan (ID: U341604265). These regulations hold all owners and operators, such as contractors and/or subcontractors fully liable for compliance with the NESHAP regulations. On July 20, 2016, the AQD staff met with representatives of Melching Incorporated to discuss the administrative enforcement process.

The NESHAP violations have resulted in the commencement of formal civil and/or administrative proceedings pursuant to 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), Article II, Pollution Control, Chapter 1: Point Source Pollution Control and Air Resources Protection. The AQD is hereby providing you with an opportunity to demonstrate compliance, present factual information in writing that should be considered regarding the violations and meet to discuss options for satisfactorily resolving the violations. This proposed administrative resolution will include, among other things, a compliance schedule and an appropriate monetary penalty.

In an effort to seek resolution of the cited federal and state air quality violations, the cited parties will be given an opportunity to discuss a resolution of this matter with the AQD pursuant to Section 5515 of Act 451, which will satisfy both state and federal requirements. Please contact me no later than Tuesday, August 9, 2016, to schedule a meeting to discuss the resolution of this matter.

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Be advised that failure to respond to this Enforcement Notice in a timely manner and adequately resolve or address the cited violations may result in further enforcement proceedings including, but not limited to, referral of the matter to the Michigan Department of Attorney General (MDAG) for commencement of civil litigation. Be further advised that this Enforcement Notice does not preclude or limit the MDEQ's ability to initiate any other enforcement action under federal or state law as appropriate.

Sincerely,

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