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STATE OF MICHIGAN
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY
KALAMAZOO DISTRICT OFFICE



C. HEIDI GREYER
DIRECTOR

September 14, 2017

Mr. Bruce Hedges
B & S Auto
13432 Portage Road
Vicksburg, Michigan 49097

SRN: U391705996, Kalamazoo County

Dear Mr. Hedges:

SECOND VIOLATION NOTICE

On August 14, 2017, the Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ), Air Quality Division (AQD), conducted a complaint investigation of B & S Auto (Facility), located at 13432 Portage Road, Vicksburg, Michigan.

The purpose of the investigation was to determine the Facility'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; the Air Pollution Control Rules; and to investigate a recent complaint that the DEQ, AQD, received on August 9, 2017, regarding open burning and smoke attributed to the Facility's operations.

On August 17, 2017, the AQD sent the Facility a Violation Notice citing a violation discovered as a result of the investigation and requested your written response by September 7, 2017. A copy of that letter is enclosed for your reference. As of this date, the DEQ, AQD, have not received your response.

Please be advised that failure to respond in writing and identifying actions the Facility 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 August 17, 2017, letter by September 28, 2017, which corresponds to 14 days from the date of this letter.

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 the Facility into compliance, please contact me at the telephone number listed below.

Sincerely,



Monica Brothers
Environmental Quality Analyst
Air Quality Division
269-567-3552

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Enclosure

cc: Ms. Lynn Fiedler, DEQ
Ms. Mary Ann Dolehanty, DEQ
Mr. Christopher Ethridge, DEQ
Mr. Thomas Hess, DEQ
Ms. Mary Douglas, DEQ