

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY
AIR QUALITY DIVISION
ACTIVITY REPORT: Self Initiated Inspection

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FACILITY: Continental Automotive Systems Harmon Road Facilit		SRN / ID: U631410488
LOCATION: 1791 Harmon Road, Auburn Hills		DISTRICT: Southeast Michigan
CITY: Auburn Hills		COUNTY: OAKLAND
CONTACT: Adam Terbrack , Engineer - Prototype/Testing		ACTIVITY DATE: 08/19/2014
STAFF: Rebecca Loftus	COMPLIANCE STATUS: Compliance	SOURCE CLASS: Minor
SUBJECT:		
RESOLVED COMPLAINTS:		

On August 19, 2014, I, Rebecca Loftus, from the Department of Environmental Quality's (DEQ), Air Quality Division (AQD), conducted a self-initiated inspection of Continental Automotive Systems – Harmon Road, located at 1791 Harmon Road, in Auburn Hills, Michigan. The purpose of this inspection was to determine the facility's compliance with the Federal Clean Air Act Part 55, Air Pollution Control, of the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Act of 1994, PA 451, as amended, and Michigan's Air Pollution Control Rules.

Ms. Kathy Spinks, Senior EHS Administrator, and I arrive at the Harmon Road location at 11:40am. We met with Mr. Adam Terbrack, Engineer – Prototype/Testing and he escorted us through the building.

At this location, Continental Automotive Systems recently installed a rubber injection machine. The machine will be used to create prototypes and sample parts for testing. During my inspection the machine was not operating. Mr. Terbrack stated the machine will most likely be used 8-16 hours each week. The remainder of the building is lab and office space.

On August 22, 2014, Mr. Terbrack emailed me an air quality study prepared for the facility (see attached). Mr. Terbrack had also contacted Jim Ostrowski with DEQ's Office of Environmental Assistance prior to installing the equipment (see attached emails). Continental Automotive Systems believes the equipment is exempt from obtaining a permit to install pursuant to Rule 286(b) and Rule 286(d).

Based on the information provided, Continental Automotive Systems' Harmon Road location appears to be in compliance with the Federal Clean Air Act and Michigan's Air Pollution Control Rules.

NAME Rebecca Loftus DATE 9/24/14 SUPERVISOR CJE