

## STATE OF MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY DETROIT



January 4, 2018

Ms. Ane Jademi 22123 Chatsford Circuit St. Southfield, MI 48034

Mr. James Johnson Mr. Jim's Home Improvement 25315 Frontier Circle Flat Rock, MI 48134

Dear Ms. Jademi and Mr. Johnson:

SRN: U821708482, Wayne County

## VIOLATION NOTICE

On December 19, 2017, the Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ), Air Quality Division, conducted an inspection of commercial facility located at 16820 Greenfield, Detroit. The purpose of this inspection was to determine Ms. Jademi's and Mr. Jim's Home Improvement's compliance with the requirements of Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 61, Subpart M (National Emission Standard for Asbestos), and Rule 942 of Part 55, Air Pollution Control of the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Act, 1994 PA 451, as amended.

According to our investigation, Ms. Ane Jademi owns the facility and Mr.Jim's Home Improvement performed the renovation activities at the facility. The National Emission Standard for Asbestos holds both the owner and operator equally liable for violations.

During the inspection, staff observed that a regulated asbestos containing material (textured ceiling) had been disturbed during renovation activities. Category I non-friable floor tile had also been removed from the building, and additional asbestos containing materials remain at the site which may require abatement prior to further renovation activities.

Process Description	Section Violated	Comments
Renovation activities at the commercial building located at	40 CFR 61.145(a)4(iii)	Failure to thoroughly inspect for asbestos prior to renovation activities.
16820 Greenfield,	40 CFR 61.145(c)(1)	Failure to remove RACM
Detroit.	40 CFR 61.145(c)(3)	Failure to wet RACM during stripping
	40 CFR 61.145(c)(4)	Failure to contain in leak tight container

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40 CFR 61.145(c)(6)(i)	Failure to wet RACM that has
6 97.56 (2) 929	been stripped
40 CFR 61.145(c)(8)	No contractor supervisor on site
40 CFR 61.150(a)(1)(v)	No generator labels
40 CFR 61.150(c)	No signs during loading of debris

Please initiate actions necessary to correct the cited violations and submit a written response to this Violation Notice by January 25, 2018 (which coincides with 21 calendar days from the date of this letter). The written response should include: 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; and what steps are being taken to prevent a reoccurrence. Please note that both parties are required to submit a response to this violation notice.

If Ms. Jademi and/or Mr. Jim's Home Improvement 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 violations cited above and for the cooperation that was extended to me during my inspection of 16820 Greenfield, Detroit. 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,

Tammy 8. Bell

Senior Environmental Quality Analyst

Air Quality Division 313-330-0105

## Enclosures

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Mr. Nicholas Sadiq, Nibas Realty & Management LLC

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