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Mr. Todd Zynda  
Mr. Jerry Krawiec  
Air Quality Division  
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**Re: 9/20/16 Notice of Violation – Global Titanium Inc., 19300 Filer, Detroit, MI 48234 Status Report and Request to Consider 9/20/16 Violation Resolved**

Dear Mr. Zynda and Mr. Krawiec:

This correspondence serves as the status report due January 5, 2018 regarding Global Titanium Inc.'s ("GTI's") investigation into the issues raised by the Notice of Violation referenced above. GTI is submitting this status report ahead of schedule because it has concluded its investigation and corrective action, and hereby requests confirmation that the 9/20/16 Notice of Violation is considered resolved by MDEQ.

A recap of the corrective action is as follows:

- The corrective action at Wash Building 2 ("WB2") included the installation of an upgraded fan and scrubber to remove sub-micron and oil particles on June 20, 2017. As a result of subsequent evaluation of the optimal speed and operational protocols, an additional part to complete the fan upgrade at WB2 was installed on September 1, 2017.
- The corrective action at Wash Building 1 ("WB1") included increased flow rate to the rinsing nozzles, a monitor for low flow rate during the rinse process, use of an upgraded detergent, and increased training of employees and supervisors.
- No odor complaints have been received since GTI commenced the corrective action described above. There has been no evidence of further odor from the buildings since GTI commenced the corrective action described above.

GTI has concluded that the corrective action described above has resolved any odor issue described in the 9/20/16 Notice of Violation. Under the circumstances, GTI respectfully requests

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that MDEQ confirm that with this status report, the 9/20/26 Notice of Violation is considered resolved and that no further status reports will be required regarding the subject Notice of Violation.

Thank you for your consideration with respect to this matter.

Very truly yours,

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