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SOUTHEAST MICHIGAN DISTRICT OFFICE



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CERTIFIED MAIL

Ms. Barbara Suttles  
Jeff's Cleaners  
12540 Livernois  
Detroit, MI 48204

Establishment Number: 8200371  
Wayne County

Dear Ms. Suttles:

**VIOLATION NOTICE**

On October 20, 2016, the Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ), Air Quality Division (AQD), conducted an inspection of Jeff's Cleaners, 12540 Livernois, Detroit, Michigan. The purpose of this inspection was to determine Jeff's Cleaners' 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 (Act 451).

Specifically, this dry cleaner is subject to the federal National Perchloroethylene Air Emission Standards for Dry Cleaning Facilities, Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations (CFR), Part 63, Subpart M and the Public Health Code, 1978 PA 368, as amended, Dry Cleaning Establishment Rules Utilizing Class I, II, III, and IV Solvents.

During the inspection, staff observed the following:

| Process Description   | Rule/Permit Condition Violated | Comments  |
|---|--------------------------------|---|
| Commercial, Dry to Dry, Type IV Perchloroethylene dry cleaning facility | 40 CFR 63.322(o) (1)           | The monthly leak check with a halogenated hydrocarbon detector has not been performed.  |
|   | 40 CFR 63.324(d) (1,2,3,4,5)   | The NESHAP temperature, leak detection, repair, and perc purchase logs are not being kept for the dry cleaning machines.      |
|   | R 325.17107                    | Empty the separator water from the dry cleaning machines into a hazardous waste container before it overflows onto the floor. |

Also, we recommend that you label the hazardous waste containers and store them in an area protected from the elements.

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Please initiate actions necessary to correct the cited violations and submit a written response to this Violation Notice by November 16, 2016 (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.

If Jeff's Cleaners 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 Jeff's Cleaners. If you have any questions or require further information, please contact me at 734-564-6724 or [jaskowskij@michigan.gov](mailto:jaskowskij@michigan.gov).

Sincerely,



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Air Quality Division

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