

STATE OF MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY DETROIT



July 20, 2017

Ms. Janet Godfrey, Owner Pita Metals/AMP Recycling 411 S. Fort Street Detroit, MI 48217

Dear Ms. Godfrey:

SRN: N7742, Wayne County

VIOLATION NOTICE

On June 22, 2017, the Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ), Air Quality Division (AQD), conducted an inspection of Pita Metals and AMP Recycling Inc. located at 411 S. Fort Street, Detroit, Michigan. The purpose of this inspection was to determine compliance with the requirements of the federal Clean Air Act; Part 55, Air Pollution Control, of the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Act, 1994 PA 451, as amended (Act 451); the administrative rules; the conditions of Permit to Install (PTI) number 373-06; and 40 CFR Part 63 Subpart RRR (NESHAP for Secondary Aluminum Production).

During the inspection and records review, staff observed the following:

Process Description	Rule/Permit Condition Violated	Comments
EUFURNACE	40 CFR Part 63, Subpart RRR, §63.1516(b)	Failure to submit timely excess emissions/summary reports on a semi annual basis for January – June 2016 and July – December 2016.
		Excess emissions/summary reports are due within 60 days after the end of each 6-month period.

Secondary aluminum production processes are subject to the federal Nation Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants (NESHAP) Subpart RRR. An aluminum sweat furnace was started at your facility in 2008. An aluminum sweat furnace is an affected source per 63.1500(a) and was subject to the NESHAP upon start up per 63.1501(d). The owner or operator of the affected source is required to submit semiannual excess emissions/summary reports as described in 63.1516(b).

Please initiate actions necessary to correct the cited violation and submit a written response to this Violation Notice by August 10, 2017 (which coincides with 21 calendar days from the date of this letter). The written response should include: the dates the violation occurred; an explanation of the cause and duration of the violation; whether the violation is ongoing; a summary of the actions that have been taken and are proposed to be taken to correct the violation and the dates by which these actions will take place; and what steps are being

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taken to prevent a reoccurrence. AQD acknowledges that the semiannual reports for 2016 were submitted via email on July 7, 2017.

If Pita Metals/AMP Recycling believes the above observations or statements are inaccurate or do not constitute a violation of the applicable legal requirements cited, please provide appropriate factual information to explain your position.

Thank you for your attention to resolving the violation cited above and for the cooperation that was extended to me during my inspection. If you have any questions regarding the violation or the actions necessary to bring this facility into compliance, please contact me at the number listed below.

Sincerely,

Katie Koster

Senior Environmental Engineer

Air Quality Division

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313-456-4678

cc: Ms Cheyanne Pistole, AMP Recycling

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cc/via e-mail: Ms. Lynn Fiedler, DEQ

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