

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY
AIR QUALITY DIVISION
ACTIVITY REPORT: On-site Inspection

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FACILITY: Heath Outdoor Products		SRN / ID: U70080653
LOCATION: 140 Mill Street, Coopersville		DISTRICT: Grand Rapids
CITY: Coopersville		COUNTY: OTTAWA
CONTACT: Ken Daly , General Manager		ACTIVITY DATE: 07/12/2023
STAFF: Chris Robinson	COMPLIANCE STATUS: Compliance	SOURCE CLASS:
SUBJECT: FY '23 onsite inspection to determine compliance status with respect to PTI No. 20-83 and other applicable air quality rules and regulations.		
RESOLVED COMPLAINTS:		

An onsite inspection of Heath Outdoor Products was conducted on July 11, 2023, by Chris Robinson from the Michigan Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy's (EGLE) Air Quality Division (AQD). CR met with the General Manager, Ken Daly, and informed him of the inspection and its purpose which was to determine compliance with respect to applicable state and federal air quality rules and regulations including Permit to Install (PTI) No. 20-83.

CR discussed the PTI and its requirements. Mr. Daly informed CR that the facility no longer does any woodworking. All components are purchased pre-made and only assembled onsite. No coating operations of any type is performed. All of the equipment that had been connected to the baghouse has been removed from the facility. The baghouse remains onsite and connected but, Per Mr. Daly, has not operated in at least 11 years and its operational status is unknown. Since the baghouse has not operated in some time and the equipment that had been connected to it has been removed PTI No. 20-83 is no longer required but could be kept for future use if the facility decided to go back to woodworking. CR also discussed use of PTI exemption Rule 285(2)(l)(vi) in place of the PTI. Mr. Daly will check into the operational status of the baghouse and discussed voiding the current PTI with his supervisor.

A few saws are utilized primarily for maintenance but are occasionally used for correcting an issue with products. They are vented internally and exempt per Rule 201 permitting requirements per Rule 285(2)(l)(vi)(B) for equipment used for cutting with particulate emissions being released to the in-plant environment.

Heath still manufactures suet, which was observed. This utilizes 100% natural ingredients, such as grains, and peanuts. There are two tankers inside that contain beef fat, which is a liquid when kept warm. The grains and liquid fat are mixed in mixers that are vented internally, and do not appear to have emissions. Once mixed the suet is placed into the packing material and sent to the stores. The packaging is made from thermoformed plastic which is exempt from Rule 201 permitting requirements per rule 286(2)(d) for plastic thermoforming equipment.

Based on observations and discussions Heath Outdoor Products appears to be operating in compliance with applicable air quality rules and regulations.

NAME DATE 7/12/2023SUPERVISOR 