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Mr. Thomas Koprowski, Supervisor Plant Operations
Spectrum Health Blodgett Hospital
Facilities Support Service MC417
1840 Wealthy Street SE
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SRN: E6807, Kent County

Dear Mr. Koprowski:

VIOLATION NOTICE

On September 19, 2018, the Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ), Air Quality Division, conducted an inspection of Spectrum Health Blodgett Hospital (Spectrum Health) located at 1840 Wealthy Street SE in Grand Rapids, Michigan. The purpose of this inspection was to determine Spectrum Health's 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; the Air Pollution Control Rules; and Permit to Install (PTI) No. 51-11.

During the inspection, staff observed the following:

Process Description	Rule/Permit Condition Violated	Comments
EU-ENGINE1, EU-ENGINE2, and EU-ENGINE3	PTI No. 51-11, Special Condition II.1, for each engine	Company fuel sample data indicates that prior to September 2017, engines operated using diesel fuel with a sulfur content greater than the 15ppm permit limit (average of 480 ppm sulfur).

In email correspondence from Spectrum Health subsequent to the inspection, Spectrum Health indicated that a complete replacement of the existing fuel occurred in September 2017 in response to high sulfur in fuel sample results. The documentation noted that new fuel delivered, consisted of ultra low sulfur diesel fuel with a sulfur content of less than 15ppm.

Since the correspondence and supporting documentation outlined actions taken in September 2017 that addressed the fuel violation, an additional compliance plan will not be required at this time.

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If Spectrum Health 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 violation cited above and for the cooperation that was extended to me during my inspection of Spectrum Health Blodgett Hospital. 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,



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