

**MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY  
AIR QUALITY DIVISION**

December 7, 2012

**PERMIT TO INSTALL**  
1316-90C

**ISSUED TO**  
Emerald Steel Processing, LLC

**LOCATED AT**  
31624 Stephenson Highway  
Madison Heights, Michigan

**IN THE COUNTY OF**  
Oakland

**STATE REGISTRATION NUMBER**  
A4744

The Air Quality Division has approved this Permit to Install, pursuant to the delegation of authority from the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality. This permit is hereby issued in accordance with and subject to Section 5505(1) of Article II, Chapter I, Part 55, Air Pollution Control, of the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Act, 1994 PA 451, as amended. Pursuant to Air Pollution Control Rule 336.1201(1), this permit constitutes the permittee's authority to install the identified emission unit(s) in accordance with all administrative rules of the Department and the attached conditions. Operation of the emission unit(s) identified in this Permit to Install is allowed pursuant to Rule 336.1201(6).

DATE OF RECEIPT OF ALL INFORMATION REQUIRED BY RULE 203:

**November 30, 2012**

DATE PERMIT TO INSTALL APPROVED:

**December 7, 2012**

SIGNATURE:

DATE PERMIT VOIDED:

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DATE PERMIT REVOKED:

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**Common Abbreviations / Acronyms**

<b>Common Acronyms</b>		<b>Pollutant / Measurement Abbreviations</b>	
AQD	Air Quality Division	BTU	British Thermal Unit
BACT	Best Available Control Technology	°C	Degrees Celsius
CAA	Clean Air Act	CO	Carbon Monoxide
CEM	Continuous Emission Monitoring	dscf	Dry standard cubic foot
CFR	Code of Federal Regulations	dscm	Dry standard cubic meter
CO <sub>2</sub> e	Carbon Dioxide Equivalent	°F	Degrees Fahrenheit
COM	Continuous Opacity Monitoring	gr	Grains
EPA	Environmental Protection Agency	Hg	Mercury
EU	Emission Unit	hr	Hour
FG	Flexible Group	H <sub>2</sub> S	Hydrogen Sulfide
GACS	Gallon of Applied Coating Solids	hp	Horsepower
GC	General Condition	lb	Pound
GHGs	Greenhouse Gases	kW	Kilowatt
HAP	Hazardous Air Pollutant	m	Meter
HVLP	High Volume Low Pressure *	mg	Milligram
ID	Identification	mm	Millimeter
LAER	Lowest Achievable Emission Rate	MM	Million
MACT	Maximum Achievable Control Technology	MW	Megawatts
MAERS	Michigan Air Emissions Reporting System	ng	Nanogram
MAP	Malfuction Abatement Plan	NO <sub>x</sub>	Oxides of Nitrogen
MDEQ	Michigan Department of Environmental Quality (Department)	PM	Particulate Matter
MSDS	Material Safety Data Sheet	PM10	PM less than 10 microns diameter
NESHAP	National Emission Standard for Hazardous Air Pollutants	PM2.5	PM less than 2.5 microns diameter
NSPS	New Source Performance Standards	pph	Pounds per hour
NSR	New Source Review	ppm	Parts per million
PS	Performance Specification	ppmv	Parts per million by volume
PSD	Prevention of Significant Deterioration	ppmw	Parts per million by weight
PTE	Permanent Total Enclosure	psia	Pounds per square inch absolute
PTI	Permit to Install	psig	Pounds per square inch gauge
RACT	Reasonably Available Control Technology	scf	Standard cubic feet
ROP	Renewable Operating Permit	sec	Seconds
SC	Special Condition	SO <sub>2</sub>	Sulfur Dioxide
SCR	Selective Catalytic Reduction	THC	Total Hydrocarbons
SRN	State Registration Number	tpy	Tons per year
TAC	Toxic Air Contaminant	µg	Microgram
TEQ	Toxicity Equivalence Quotient	VOC	Volatile Organic Compound
VE	Visible Emissions	yr	Year

\* For High Volume Low Pressure (HVLP) applicators, the pressure measured at the HVLP gun air cap shall not exceed ten (10) pounds per square inch gauge (psig).

### GENERAL CONDITIONS

1. The process or process equipment covered by this permit shall not be reconstructed, relocated, or modified, unless a Permit to Install authorizing such action is issued by the Department, except to the extent such action is exempt from the Permit to Install requirements by any applicable rule. **(R 336.1201(1))**
2. If the installation, construction, reconstruction, relocation, or modification of the equipment for which this permit has been approved has not commenced within 18 months, or has been interrupted for 18 months, this permit shall become void unless otherwise authorized by the Department. Furthermore, the permittee or the designated authorized agent shall notify the Department via the Supervisor, Permit Section, Air Quality Division, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 30260, Lansing, Michigan 48909-7760, if it is decided not to pursue the installation, construction, reconstruction, relocation, or modification of the equipment allowed by this Permit to Install. **(R 336.1201(4))**
3. If this Permit to Install is issued for a process or process equipment located at a stationary source that is not subject to the Renewable Operating Permit program requirements pursuant to R 336.1210, operation of the process or process equipment is allowed by this permit if the equipment performs in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Permit to Install. **(R 336.1201(6)(b))**
4. The Department may, after notice and opportunity for a hearing, revoke this Permit to Install if evidence indicates the process or process equipment is not performing in accordance with the terms and conditions of this permit or is violating the Department's rules or the Clean Air Act. **(R 336.1201(8), Section 5510 of Act 451, PA 1994)**
5. The terms and conditions of this Permit to Install shall apply to any person or legal entity that now or hereafter owns or operates the process or process equipment at the location authorized by this Permit to Install. If the new owner or operator submits a written request to the Department pursuant to R 336.1219 and the Department approves the request, this permit will be amended to reflect the change of ownership or operational control. The request must include all of the information required by subrules (1)(a), (b), and (c) of R 336.1219 and shall be sent to the District Supervisor, Air Quality Division, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality. **(R 336.1219)**
6. Operation of this equipment shall not result in the emission of an air contaminant which causes injurious effects to human health or safety, animal life, plant life of significant economic value, or property, or which causes unreasonable interference with the comfortable enjoyment of life and property. **(R 336.1901)**
7. The permittee shall provide notice of an abnormal condition, start-up, shutdown, or malfunction that results in emissions of a hazardous or toxic air pollutant which continue for more than one hour in excess of any applicable standard or limitation, or emissions of any air contaminant continuing for more than two hours in excess of an applicable standard or limitation, as required in Rule 912, to the Department. The notice shall be provided not later than two business days after start-up, shutdown, or discovery of the abnormal condition or malfunction. Written reports, if required, must be filed with the Department within 10 days after the start-up or shutdown occurred, within 10 days after the abnormal conditions or malfunction has been corrected, or within 30 days of discovery of the abnormal condition or malfunction, whichever is first. The written reports shall include all of the information required in Rule 912(5). **(R 336.1912)**
8. Approval of this permit does not exempt the permittee from complying with any future applicable requirements which may be promulgated under Part 55 of 1994 PA 451, as amended or the Federal Clean Air Act.
9. Approval of this permit does not obviate the necessity of obtaining such permits or approvals from other units of government as required by law.
10. Operation of this equipment may be subject to other requirements of Part 55 of 1994 PA 451, as amended and the rules promulgated thereunder.

11. Except as provided in subrules (2) and (3) or unless the special conditions of the Permit to Install include an alternate opacity limit established pursuant to subrule (4) of R 336.1301, the permittee shall not cause or permit to be discharged into the outer air from a process or process equipment a visible emission of density greater than the most stringent of the following. The grading of visible emissions shall be determined in accordance with R 336.1303. **(R 336.1301)**
  - a) A six-minute average of 20 percent opacity, except for one six-minute average per hour of not more than 27 percent opacity.
  - b) A visible emission limit specified by an applicable federal new source performance standard.
  - c) A visible emission limit specified as a condition of this Permit to Install.
  
12. Collected air contaminants shall be removed as necessary to maintain the equipment at the required operating efficiency. The collection and disposal of air contaminants shall be performed in a manner so as to minimize the introduction of contaminants to the outer air. Transport of collected air contaminants in Priority I and II areas requires the use of material handling methods specified in R 336.1370(2). **(R 336.1370)**
  
13. The Department may require the permittee to conduct acceptable performance tests, at the permittee's expense, in accordance with R 336.2001 and R 336.2003, under any of the conditions listed in R 336.2001. **(R 336.2001)**

**SPECIAL CONDITIONS**

**EMISSION UNIT SUMMARY TABLE**

The descriptions provided below are for informational purposes and do not constitute enforceable conditions.

<b>Emission Unit ID</b>	<b>Emission Unit Description (Process Equipment &amp; Control Devices)</b>	<b>Flexible Group ID</b>
EUTANKS	Four sulfuric acid tanks vented to an acid scrubber system	N/A
EUTANKS2	Two sulfuric acid tanks vented to a separate acid scrubber system	N/A
Changes to the equipment described in this table are subject to the requirements of R 336.1201, except as allowed by R 336.1278 to R 336.1290.		

**FLEXIBLE GROUP SUMMARY TABLE**

The descriptions provided below are for informational purposes and do not constitute enforceable conditions.

<b>Flexible Group ID</b>	<b>Flexible Group Description</b>	<b>Associated Emission Unit IDs</b>
FGTANKS	Four sulfuric acid tanks controlled by an acid scrubber and two sulfuric acid tanks controlled by a separate scrubber	EUTANKS, EUTANKS2

**The following conditions apply to: FGTANKS**

**DESCRIPTION:** Four sulfuric acid tanks controlled by an acid scrubber and two sulfuric acid tanks controlled by a separate scrubber

**Emission Units:** EUTANKS, EUTANKS2

**POLLUTION CONTROL EQUIPMENT:** Two acid scrubber systems

**I. EMISSION LIMITS:** N/A

**II. MATERIAL LIMITS:** N/A

**III. PROCESS/OPERATIONAL RESTRICTIONS**

1. The permittee shall not operate an emission unit of FGTANKS unless its associated packed bed scrubber system with mist eliminators is installed, maintained, and operated in a satisfactory manner. Satisfactory operation includes but is not limited to maintaining and operating the packed bed scrubber system with mist eliminators as specified by the manufacturer. All manufacturer specifications shall be included in the MAP, as required in SC III.2. **(R 336.1224, R 336.1225, R 336.1901, R 336.1910)**

2. The permittee shall not operate an emission unit of FGTANKS unless its associated malfunction abatement plan (MAP) as described in Rule 911(2), for the acid scrubber, has been submitted within 60 days of permit issuance, and is implemented and maintained. The MAP shall, at a minimum, specify the following:
  - a) A complete preventative maintenance program including identification of the supervisory personnel responsible for overseeing the inspection, maintenance, and repair of air-cleaning devices, a description of the items or conditions that shall be inspected, the frequency of the inspections or repairs, and an identification of the major replacement parts that shall be maintained in inventory for quick replacement.
  - b) An identification of the source and air-cleaning device operating variables that shall be monitored to detect a malfunction or failure, the normal operating range of these variables, and a description of the method of monitoring or surveillance procedures.
  - c) A description of the corrective procedures or operational changes that shall be taken in the event of a malfunction or failure to achieve compliance with the applicable emission limits.

If at any time the MAP fails to address or inadequately addresses an event that meets the characteristics of a malfunction, the permittee shall amend the MAP within 45 days after such an event occurs. The permittee shall also amend the MAP within 45 days, if new equipment is installed or upon request from the District Supervisor. The permittee shall submit the MAP and any amendments to the MAP to the AQD District Supervisor for review and approval. If the AQD does not notify the permittee within 90 days of submittal, the MAP or amended MAP shall be considered approved. Until an amended plan is approved, the permittee shall implement corrective procedures or operational changes to achieve compliance with all applicable emission limits. **(R 336.1225, R 336.1910, R 336.1911)**

#### **IV. DESIGN/EQUIPMENT PARAMETERS**

1. The permittee shall install, calibrate, maintain and operate in a satisfactory manner, for each emission unit FGTANKS, a device to monitor and record the pressure drop across the packed bed scrubber system for on a continuous basis. **(R 336.1224, R 336.1225, R 336.1901, R 336.1910)**
2. The permittee shall install, calibrate, maintain and operate in a satisfactory manner, for each emission unit of FGTANKS, a device to monitor and record the liquid flow, in gallons per minute, for the packed bed scrubber system on a continuous basis. **(R 336.1224, R 336.1225, R 336.1901, R 336.1910)**

#### **V. TESTING/SAMPLING:** N/A

#### **VI. MONITORING/RECORDKEEPING**

Records shall be maintained on file for a period of five years. **(R 336.1201(3))**

1. The permittee shall perform inspections of each packed bed scrubber system as follows:
  - a) Determine pressure drop across the packed bed scrubber once each day that the associated tank(s) is operating. If the pressure drop across the control varies by more than what is recommended by the manufacturer specifications, the permittee shall document the variation, and review the operation and maintenance procedures. The permittee shall document any corrective action.
  - b) The permittee shall monitor the water flow into the packed bed scrubber system on a continuous basis using an automated system. The permittee shall record instances (alarms) when the water flow is below the flow rate identified in the malfunction abatement plan, as required by SC III.2.
  - c) The permittee shall monitor and record the pH of the acid scrubber liquid on a weekly basis.

- d) Visually inspect the packed bed scrubber, on a quarterly basis, to ensure there is proper drainage, no build up on packed beds, and no evidence of chemical attack on the structural integrity of the control device.
  - e) Visually inspect the back portion of the mist eliminator, on a quarterly basis, to ensure that it is dry and there is no breakthrough.
  - f) Visually inspect ductwork from tanks to the packed bed scrubber, on a quarterly basis, to ensure there are no leaks. **(R 336.1224, R 336.1225, R 336.1901, R 336.1910)**
2. The permittee shall keep, in a satisfactory manner, records of the daily pressure drop readings and the inspections of the packed bed scrubber system on file and make them available to the Department upon request. **(R 336.1224, R 336.1225, R 336.1901, R 336.1910)**

## VII. REPORTING

1. Within 30 days after completion of the installation, construction, reconstruction, relocation, or modification authorized by this Permit to Install, the permittee or the authorized agent pursuant to Rule 204, shall notify the AQD District Supervisor, in writing, of the completion of the activity. Completion of the installation, construction, reconstruction, relocation, or modification is considered to occur not later than commencement of trial operation of EUTANKS2. **(R 336.1201(7)(a))**

## VIII. STACK/VENT RESTRICTIONS

Stack & Vent ID	Maximum Exhaust Diameter/Dimensions (inches)	Minimum Height Above Ground (feet)	Underlying Applicable Requirements
1. SVTANKS <sup>1</sup>	55	35	R 336.1225, R 336.1901,
2. SVTANKS2 <sup>1</sup>	48	37	R 336.1225, R 336.1901

## IX. OTHER REQUIREMENTS

N/A

### Footnotes:

<sup>1</sup>This condition is state only enforceable and was established pursuant to Rule 201(1)(b).