DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY AIR QUALITY DIVISION ACTIVITY REPORT: Scheduled Inspection

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FACILITY: AZ Automotive Corp		SRN / ID: B6380
LOCATION: 23745 Mound, WARREN		DISTRICT: Southeast Michigan
CITY: WARREN		COUNTY: MACOMB
CONTACT: Sean Paul, Safety Coordinator		ACTIVITY DATE: 10/20/2016
STAFF: Rem Pinga	COMPLIANCE STATUS: Compliance	SOURCE CLASS: Minor
SUBJECT: Unannounced Leve	2 Target Inspection	
RESOLVED COMPLAINTS:		

On October 20, 2016, I conducted an unannounced level 2 target inspection at AZ Automotive Corp. located at 23745 Mound Road, Warren, Michigan 48089. The purpose of the inspection was to determine the facility'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 (Act 451), and the administrative rules. I initially went to AZ Automotive Corp. located at 24331 Sherwood, Center Line, Michigan. I met with Mr. Sean Paul, Safety Coordinator and new facility contact person. I showed my ID Badge, stated the purpose of my visit, and inquired about the 23745 Mound Road facility in Warren. Mr. Paul accompanied me to the Warren facility after I conducted inspection at the Center Line facility.

I found out that AZ Automotive Corp. has changed its assumed name to SODECIA NORTH AMERICA. After the inspection, I conducted online search and found out that, under the Department of Licensing and Regulatory Affairs (LARA), SODECIA NORTH AMERICA is an assumed name for SODECIA, N.A., Inc. and SODECIA USA AUTOMOTIVE CORP. SODECIA, N.A., Inc. has a 2016 annual report filing with LARA. LARA documents showed a 2012 Filing Endorsement that AZ Automotive Corp. was an assumed name for SODECIA USA AUTOMOTIVE CORP.

Per Mr. Paul, the facility in 23745 Mound Road, Warren, is still under AZ Automotive Corp. but currently shutdown. During the facility walk through inspection, I observed the facility to be in complete shutdown. We were met there by a staff that opened the door to let us in. There were no vehicles in the parking lot and the interior lights in the building were off. I observed some stamping, and miscellaneous metal fabrication equipment still stored in the building. This facility did not have any equipment/processes that were subject to AQD permit to install requirements. The machining operations previously conducted in this facility were exempt from permit to install requirements per AQD Administrative Rule R 336.1285(I)(vi). The welding operations were exempt from permit to install requirements per AQD Administrative Rule R 336.1285(i & j).

Overall, I did not find any noncompliance issues during the walk through inspection.

DATE 11/03/2016 SUPERVISOR