

STATE OF MICHIGAN

## DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT, GREAT LAKES, AND ENERGY



GRETCHEN WHITMER GOVERNOR LANSING

December 6, 2023

UPS NEXT DAY DELIVERY

Alvin Earl Brown Northend Cleaners 11345 John R Street Detroit, Michigan 48202-1110

Establishment #: 8200369 Wayne County

Dear Alvin Earl Brown:

## SECOND VIOLATION NOTICE

On August 23, 2023, the Michigan Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy (EGLE), Air Quality Division (AQD), conducted an annual and follow up inspection of Northend Cleaners (Company), located at 11345 John R Street, Detroit, Michigan. The purpose of the inspections was to determine the Company'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 Air Pollution Control Rules.

On October 25, 2023, the AQD sent the Company a Violation Notice (VN) citing violations of the Public Health Code, 1978 PA 368, as amended, Dry Cleaning Establishment Rules Utilizing Class I, II, III, and IV Solvents. These violations were discovered because of the inspection and requested the Company's written response by November 15, 2023. A copy of this VN has been enclosed for your reference. As of the date of this letter, the AQD has not received the Company's written response to the cited violations.

Please be advised that failure to respond in writing and identifying actions the Company will take or has taken to resolve the cited violations may result in an escalated enforcement action by the AQD. Please provide the information requested in the VN dated October 25, 2023, by **December 20, 2023**, which corresponds to 14 days from the date of this letter.

The Company's written response must be submitted to Jeremy Howe, Technical Programs Unit Supervisor at EGLE, AQD, P.O. Box 30260, Lansing, Michigan 48909-7760; or scanned and e-mailed to HoweJ1@Michigan.gov.

Be further advised that issuance of this VN does not preclude or limit EGLE's ability to initiate any other enforcement action under state or federal law as appropriate.

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If you have any questions regarding this matter or the actions necessary to bring the Company into compliance, please contact me at the number listed below.

Sincerely,

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Erin Moran Enforcement Unit Air Quality Division 517-275-0883

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