

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

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FACILITY: Gerber Collision and Glass		SRN / ID: M3663
LOCATION: 29187 Gratiot Avenue, ROSEVILLE		DISTRICT: Southeast Michigan
CITY: ROSEVILLE		COUNTY: MACOMB
CONTACT: Brad Michels , General Manager		ACTIVITY DATE: 02/15/2019
STAFF: Shamim Ahammod	COMPLIANCE STATUS: Non Compliance	SOURCE CLASS: MINOR
SUBJECT: Conducted a scheduled inspection of Gerber Collision & Glass.		
RESOLVED COMPLAINTS:		

On Tuesday, February 15, 2019, I, Shamim Ahammod (Environmental Engineer) and Jessica Worley (Intern student) Michigan Department of Environmental Quality-Air Quality Division (MDEQ-AQD) staff, conducted a scheduled inspection of Gerber Collision & Glass located at 29187 Gratiot Avenue, Roseville, Michigan. The purpose of the inspection 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 and Permit to Install (PTI) No. 543-92.

**SOURCE DESCRIPTION:**

In 1992, Arnold Automotive Group LTD was issued PTI # 543-92 for the two automotive refinishing booths with filters. The facility is currently owned by Gerber Collision & Glass. This facility provides collision repair, autobody repair and auto glass, windshield replacement and/or repair service.

**INSPECTION & REGULATORY ANALYSIS:**

We arrived at the facility at approximately 2:00 PM, entered the Customer Service office and identified ourselves to a member of the office staff. This staff member introduced me to Mr. Brad Michels, General Manager, Gerber Collision & Glass. I introduced myself and Jessica Worley to Mr. Michels, showed him my credentials, provided him my visiting card and stated the purpose of the inspection. During the pre-inspection meeting, we discussed the current permit for the two automotive refinishing booths with filters. After that, we toured the plant to inspect the facility. During the inspection, refinishing booths were not in operation.

**PTI No. 543.92**

Special condition (SC) 15 requires the process be operated with no visible emissions. At the time of inspection, two paint booths were not in operation.

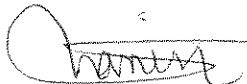
As required in SC 18, the filters in the paint booth I inspected were properly installed. SC 19 requires the exhaust gases from the paint booths be discharged unobstructed vertically upwards to the ambient air. At the time of inspection, Jessica and I observed the stack and appeared to us that exhaust gases are exhausted vertically upwards.

At the time of inspection, I asked Mr. Michels for records for the paint and reducer used in last twelve months. Mr. Michels said the maintenance department have that information and he will send me when the information available. After the inspection day, I sent three follow-up emails to Mr. Michels at weekly intervals. I did not receive the requested records. This is a violation of SC 17 which states "Applicant shall not use more than 2080

**gallons of paint and reducer combined per year. A record of the amount of paint and reducer used shall be kept on file for a period of at least two years and made available to the Air Quality Division upon request". A violation notice will be issued to Gerber Collision & Glass for this violation.**

**Based on the on-site inspection, and discussion with staff, Gerber Collision & Glass appears to be in violation of SC 17 which requires keeping records of the amount of paint and reducer used in the two paint booths for a period of at least two years.**

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