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SOUTHEAST MICHIGAN DISTRICT OFFICE



KEITH CREAGH
DIRECTOR

April 1, 2016

Mr. Don Tate, President
REX Performance Products, LLC
2700 Wall Street
Marysville, Michigan 48040

SRN: N6944, St. Clair County

Dear Mr. Tate:

VIOLATION NOTICE

On March 11, 2016, the Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ), Air Quality Division (AQD), received from REX Performance, LLC located at 2700 Wills Street, Marysville, Michigan, its Renewable Operating Permit (ROP) Annual Report Certification for January to December, 2015 and Semi-Annual Report Certification for July to December, 2015. The purpose of these reports was to determine REX Performance, LLC'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); the administrative rules, the conditions of Renewable Operating Permit (ROP) number MI-ROP-N6944-2011b and the Consent Order AQD number 21-2010.

During the review of the reports, staff observed the following:

Process Description	Rule/Permit Condition Violated	Comments
FGFACILITY	MI-ROP-N6944-2011b, Section IV, SC 3. AQD Consent Order NO. 21-2010	From July 1 to December 31, 2015, the facility failed to operate the VOC monitor continuously on several days for various reasons. The facility is required to monitor the VOC emissions on a continuous basis.

Please initiate actions necessary to correct the cited violation and submit a written response to this Violation Notice by April 22, 2016 (which coincides with 21 calendar days from the date of this letter). The written response should include: the dates the violation occurred; an explanation of the causes and duration of the violation; whether the violation is ongoing; a summary of the actions that have been taken and are proposed to be taken to correct the violation and the dates by which these actions will take place; and what steps are being taken to prevent a reoccurrence.

If REX Performance, LLC 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. 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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Air Quality Division
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cc: Ms. Lynn Fiedler, DEQ
Ms. Teresa Seidel, DEQ
Ms. Heidi Hollenbach, DEQ
Mr. Thomas Hess, DEQ
Mr. Chris Ethridge, DEQ