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STATE OF MICHIGAN
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY
KALAMAZOO DISTRICT OFFICE



DAN WYANT
DIRECTOR

October 6, 2014

Mr. Kevin Robinson, President
Postle Aluminum
511 Pine Creek Court
Elkhart, Indiana 46516

SRN: P0448, Cass County

Dear Mr. Robinson:

VIOLATION NOTICE

On August 29, 2013, the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality (MDEQ), Air Quality Division (AQD), issued Permit to Install (PTI) No. 93-13 to Postle Aluminum (Facility), located at 201 North Edwards Street, Cassopolis, Michigan. This permit included a requirement for the testing of the regenerative thermal oxidizer (RTO) within 180 days of permit issuance, and submittal of a malfunction abatement plan (MAP) within 90 days of permit issuance. As of this date, the MAP has not been received. The testing of the RTO is scheduled for October 28, 2014, and October 29, 2014, which is more than 180 days past the permit issuance date.

This is summarized below:

Process Description	Rule/Permit Condition Violated	Comments
EUCOATINGLINE	Special Condition V.2. of PTI No. 93-13.	The testing of capture and destruction efficiency of the RTO was to be performed within 180 days of permit issuance.
EUCOATINGLINE	Special Condition III.4. of PTI No. 93-13.	A MAP was to submitted within 90 days of permit issuance.

Special Condition VII. 1. of PTI 93-13 also required notification within 30 days after completion of the installation and construction authorized by the permit.

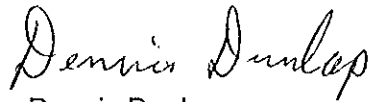
Please initiate actions necessary to correct the cited violations and submit a written response to this Violation Notice by October 27, 2014. The written response should include: the dates the violations occurred; an explanation of the causes and duration of the violations; whether the violations are ongoing; a summary of the actions that have been taken and are proposed to be taken to correct the violations and the dates by which these actions will take place; and what steps are being taken to prevent a reoccurrence.

If the Facility 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.

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Thank you for your attention to resolving the violations cited above. If you have any questions regarding the violations or the actions necessary to bring this Facility into compliance, please contact me at the telephone number listed below.

Sincerely,



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Environmental Quality Specialist
Air Quality Division
269-567-3553

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cc: Ms. Lynn Fiedler, MDEQ
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