



Michigan Foam Products 1820 Chicago Drive, Grand Rapids, MI 49519

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April Lazzaro
Senior Environmental Quality Analyst at EGLE
Air Quality Division
Grand Rapids District
350 Ottawa Avenue NW, Unit 10,
Grand Rapids, MI 49503-2341

**Regarding: Request for Construction Waiver for Regenerative Thermal Oxidizer
(Pursuant to Section R. 336.1202 - Waivers of approval)
Michigan Foam Products, LLC.
1425 Burlingame Ave, SW, Wyoming, MI 49509**

Dear Ms. Lazzaro:

Michigan Foam Products, LLC. has applied for an air permit to relocate and install a polystyrene foam products manufacturing process at the above-mentioned facility. The air permit application has been submitted and is currently pending review and approval by the Michigan EGLE Air Quality Division Permit Section. The summary of the status permit application are as follows:

Permit Application Number: APP-2024-0248
Receipt Date: 10/15/2024
Permit Engineer: Jacob Young
Equipment: New Polystyrene Foam Products Manufacturing Facility

It may be noted that the following items do not apply to this facility:

- Any activity that is subject to prevention of significant deterioration (PSD) regulations;
- Facilities located in an area that is non-attainment for new source review;
- Construction or reconstruction of a major source of hazardous air pollutants subject to 40 CFR Part 63 (MACT standards); and
- Construction or modification subject to 40 CFR Part 61 (NESHAPs).

Michigan Foam Products is requesting the Michigan EGLE to approve a construction waiver in order to allow the company to proceed with the construction of the infrastructure and placement of related equipment for the polystyrene foam manufacturing process prior to the issuance of the permit to install. The construction permit would expedite the final installation and testing process upon issuance of the final permit. Michigan Foam Products currently has order backlogs due to the current high demands of our products that require production increase.

Additionally, the nature of the information requested by the AQD, as part of the permit review process, is taking more than what was anticipated as it involves coordination with the equipment manufacturer, raw material manufacturer, equipment installers and our environmental consultants.

It is hoped that the above information is sufficient for your present requirements. However, if you have any further questions or require additional assistance, please do not hesitate to contact me at (616) 633-7380.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Jeff Meyer', is written over a horizontal line.

Jeff Meyer
President

Michigan Foam Products, LLC.