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May 19, 2011

By Electronic Mail, Received Receipt Requested
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Mr. John Knott
Nine Mile Cleaners
662 South Wilson Avenue
Mobile, Alabama 36617

Dear Mr. Knott:

On May 4, 2011, a Department representative with the Air Resource Management Program inspected your facility, ID 0330228. A copy of the inspection report is enclosed. The inspection and a review of Department records indicate the facility was in compliance at the time of the inspection for those items specifically noted in the inspection report. As a reminder, authority to operate this facility expires on March 3, 2012. To avoid lapse of authority to operate, an owner or operator intending to continue to use an air general permit must submit the proper registration form and processing fee at least 30 days prior to expiration of the facility's existing air operation permit or air general permit.

This letter applies only to activities covered by the Air Resource Management Program. If you have any questions, please contact Jennifer Waltrip at 850/595-0662 or jennifer.waltrip@dep.state.fl.us.

Sincerely,

Carol Melton
Air Compliance Supervisor

CM/jw/c

Enclosure



PERCHLOROETHYLENE DRY CLEANERS



COMPLIANCE INSPECTION CHECKLIST

INSPECTION TYPE: ANNUAL (INS1, INS2) COMPLAINT/DISCOVERY (CI)
 RE-INSPECTION (FUI) ARMS COMPLAINT NO:

AIRS ID#: 0330228 **DATE:** 5/4/11 **ARRIVE:** 1:50 PM **DEPART:** 2:09 PM
FACILITY NAME: NINE MILE CLEANERS
FACILITY LOCATION: 176 E Nine Mile Rd
 PENSACOLA 32534-3144
OWNER/AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE: JOHN KNOTT **PHONE:** (251)452-0813
Email: **Mobile:**
CONTACT NAME: BRUTIES LINDSEY **PHONE:** (850)479-2293
Email: **Mobile:**
ENTITLEMENT PERIOD: 3/3/2007 / 3/3/2012
 (effective date) (end date)

PART I: INSPECTION COMPLIANCE STATUS (check only one box)

IN COMPLIANCE MINOR Non-COMPLIANCE SIGNIFICANT Non-COMPLIANCE

PART II: FACILITY CLASSIFICATION - Rule 62-213.300 FAC

(check only one box in A)

A. 1. **Existing small area source**

dry-to-dry only, $x < 140$ gal/yr
transfer only, $x < 200$ gal/yr
both types, $x < 140$ gal/yr
(constructed before 12/9/91)

3. **Existing large area source**

dry-to-dry only, $140 \leq x \leq 2,100$ gal/yr
transfer only, $200 \leq x \leq 1,800$ gal/yr
both types, $140 \leq x \leq 1,800$ gal/yr
(constructed before 12/9/91)

5. **Ineligible for General Permit**

d rop store/out of business/petroleum /
facility exceeds above limits

2. **New small area source**

dry-to-dry only, $x < 140$ gal/yr
transfer only, $x < 200$ gal/yr
both types, $x < 140$ gal/yr
(constructed on or after 12/9/91)

4. **New large area source**

dry-to-dry only, $140 \leq x \leq 2,100$ gal/yr
transfer only, $200 \leq x \leq 1,800$ gal/yr
both types, $140 \leq x \leq 1,800$ gal/yr
(constructed on or after 12/9/91)

B. The sum of the volume of all perchloroethylene (perc) purchases made in each of the previous 12 months by this dry cleaning facility was 50.00 gallons.

PART III: GENERAL CONTROL REQUIREMENTS – Rule 62-213.300 FAC

(check only one box for each question)

1. Is all perc, and wastes containing perc, in tightly sealed & impervious containers? ----- Yes No N/A
2. Are all perc. containers leak free? ----- Yes No N/A
3. Are all machine doors kept closed and secured except during loading/unloading? ----- Yes No
4. Are cartridge filters drained in their housing or in sealed containers for at least 24 hours prior to disposal? ----- Yes No N/A
5. Has each dry cleaning system installed after December 21, 2005 at an area source, routed the air-PCE gas-vapor stream contained within each dry cleaning machine through a refrigerated condenser and passed the air-PCE gas-vapor stream from inside the dry cleaning machine drum through a non-vented carbon adsorber or equivalent control device immediately before the door of the dry cleaning machine is opened? The carbon adsorber must be desorbed in accordance with manufacturer's instructions. ----- Yes No N/A
6. Is solvent-to-carbon ratios and steam pressure for carbon adsorber beds maintain according to the manufacturer's specifications? ----- Yes No N/A

PART IV: PROCESS VENT CONTROLS – Rule 62-213.300 FAC

(Refer to Part II-A.1.-4. Classification: page 1 of 4, this form)

1. If the facility classification is an **existing small area source**, no controls are required. **Proceed to Part V.**
2. If the facility classification is a **new small area source**, the machine should be equipped with a refrigerated condenser. **Complete section A. below.**
3. If the facility classification is an **existing large area source**, the machine should be equipped with either a refrigerated condenser or a carbon adsorber. **Complete both sections A and B below.** *Carbon adsorber must have been installed prior to September 22, 1993*
4. If the facility classification is a **new large area source**, the machine should be equipped with a refrigerated condenser. **Complete both sections A and B below.**

A. Has the responsible official of all existing large area & new sources:

(check only one box for each question)

1. Equipped all machines with the appropriate vent controls? ----- Yes No
2. Equipped dry-to-dry machines with a closed-loop vapor venting system? ----- Yes No N/A
3. Equipped the condenser with a diverter valve so airflow will be directed away from the condenser upon opening the door? ----- Yes No N/A
4. Measured and recorded the temperature of the outlet exhaust stream of a refrigerated condenser on a weekly basis? ----- Yes No N/A
5. Repaired or adjusted the equipment within 24 hours if the exhaust temperature of the condenser exceeded 45° F? ----- Yes No N/A
6. Conducted all temperature monitoring after an appropriate cool-down period and after verifying that the coolant had been completely charged? ----- Yes No

PART IV: PROCESS VENT CONTROLS – Rule 62-213.300 FAC (continued)

B. For all existing large or new large area sources:

1. Is the exhaust temperature on the outlet side of the condenser located on dry-to-dry, reclaimer, and dryer machines measured and recorded on a weekly basis? ----- Yes No
2. Is the washer exhaust temperature at the condenser inlet and outlet measured and recorded weekly? ----- Yes No N/A
 - a) Is the temperature differential equal to, or greater than 20° F? ----- Yes No N/A
3. Is the perc concentration in the exhaust stream inlet and outlet measured weekly at the end of the final drying cycle while the machine is venting to the adsorber, if machines are equipped exclusively with a carbon adsorber? ----- Yes No N/A
 - a) Is the perc concentration equal to, or less than 100 ppm? ----- Yes No N/A
4. Is the sampling port on the carbon adsorber exhaust for measuring perc concentrations at least 8 duct diameters downstream of any bend, contraction, or expansion; is at least 2 duct diameters upstream from any bend, contraction, or expansion; and downstream from no other inlet? ----- Yes No N/A
5. Are transfer machines equipped (dryers, reclaimers, and washers) with individual condenser coils? ----- Yes No N/A
6. Is airflow routed to the carbon adsorber (if used) at all times? ----- Yes No N/A

PART V: RECORDKEEPING REQUIREMENTS – Rule 62-213.300(3) FAC

(check only one box for each question)

1. Are receipts maintained for all perc purchased? ----- Yes No
2. Are rolling monthly totals of yearly perc consumption maintained? ----- Yes No
3. Are leak detection inspection and repair reports maintained for the following:
 - a) Of any leaks repaired w/in 24 hrs? or; ----- Yes No N/A
 - b) Of any parts ordered to repair leak and leak repaired w/in 2 days and parts installed w/in 5 days of receipt? ----- Yes No N/A
4. Is calibration data maintained for applicable direct reading instruments? ----- Yes No N/A
5. Is exhaust duct monitoring data on perc concentrations maintained? ----- Yes No N/A
6. Is a startup/shutdown/malfunction plan maintained for each machine? ----- Yes No
7. Are deviation reports maintained? ----- Yes No N/A
 - a) Problem corrected? ----- Yes No N/A
8. Is a compliance plan maintained, if applicable? ----- Yes No N/A

PART VI: LEAK DETECTION AND REPAIRS – Rule 62-213.300 FAC

(check only one box for each question)

1. What type of leak detection equipment is used to detect leaks?
 Halogenated hydrocarbon detector PCE gas analyzer None used
2. Is the halogenated hydrocarbon detector or PCE gas analyzer operated according to the manufacturer's instructions (*manual was available and RO could demonstrate procedure*) ? ----- Yes No
3. For major sources is the halogenated hydrocarbon detector or PCE gas analyzer operated according to EPA Method 21 ?- ----- Yes No N/A
4. Is the vapor leak inspection conducted by placing the probe inlet at the surface of each component interface where leakage could occur and moving it slowly along the interface periphery? ----- Yes No
5. Is the PCE gas analyzer a flame ionization detector, photo ionization detector, or infrared analyzer capable of detecting vapor concentrations of PCE of 25 parts per million by volume (*based on documented specifications*) ? ----- Yes No N/A
6. Is the halogenated hydrocarbon detector capable of detecting vapor concentrations of PCE of 25 parts per million by volume (*based on documented specifications*) and indicating a concentration of 25 parts per million by volume or greater by emitting an audible or visual signal that varies as the concentration changes? ----- Yes No N/A
7. Are the following dry cleaning system components inspected weekly for perceptible leaks (sight, smell or touch) while the system is in operation (§63.322(k))?
(Inspection with a halogenated hydrocarbon detector or PCE gas analyzer also fulfills the requirement for inspection of perceptible leaks)

a) Hose connections, fittings, couplings, and valves -----	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A	g) Muck cookers -----	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A
b) Door gaskets and seating -----	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A	h) Stills -----	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A
c) Filter gaskets and seating -----	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A	i) Exhaust dampers -----	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A
d) Pumps -----	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A	j) Diverter valves -----	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A
e) Solvent tanks and containers --	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A	k) Cartridge filter housings	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A
f) Water separators -----	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A				
8. Are the following dry cleaning system components inspected monthly for vapor leaks using a halogenated hydrocarbon detector or PCE gas analyzer while the system is in operation? (*Any inspection conducted according to this paragraph shall satisfy the requirements to conduct an inspection for perceptible leaks under §63.322(k) or (l)*)

a) Hose connections, fittings, couplings, and valves -----	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A	g) Muck cookers -----	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A
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PART VI: LEAK DETECTION AND REPAIRS – Rule 62-213.300 FAC (continued)

9. What evidence suggests that leak checks are performed as required?

Leak log documentation RO Assurances On-site observation other

Explain other :

Jennifer Waltrip

May 4, 2011

Inspector's Name (Please Print)

Date of Inspection

/s/

May 2012

Inspector's Signature

Approximate Date of Next Inspection

COMMENTS: On May 4, 2011, Department personnel conducted an unannounced annual air program compliance inspection of Nine Mile Cleaners located in Escambia County. Ms. Bruties Lindsey was available to assist during the inspection.

Ms. Lindsey produced logs which detailed yearly perc purchased with running annual totals for each month for calendar year 2010. According to Ms. Lindsey, the records for calendar year 2011 had been sent off for insurance purposes. I notified Ms. Lindsey that a copy of the records shall be retained onsite and available for inspection at all times. Receipts for purchases in 2010 and 2011 were available for review. The logs also included weekly inspections, leak checks, repairs and temperature checks.

The records for January 2011 through April 2011 were faxed to the Department on May 5, 2011. The rolling totals did not appear to be calculated correctly, so records for 2010 were requested for a more thorough review. Following review of the calculations, it was determined that a follow-up inspection was needed to compare receipts to calendar entries. The follow-up inspection was conducted on May 13, 2011. Multiple errors were noted on the calendars from January 2010 to April 2011. Errors included calculation errors, failure to enter all perc purchase amounts, transcription errors, and two purchases on the calendar did not have a receipt. The calendars were updated and the rolling perc total was still within limits. The requirement to keep these calendars up to date and to make sure the entries are correct was discussed with Ms. Lindsey.

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