

# Florida Department of Environmental Protection

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May 9, 2011

By Electronic Mail, Received Receipt Requested noahm@readymixusa.com

Mr. Noah McBride Operations Manager Pensacola Ready Mix USA Post Office Box 7142 Pensacola, Florida 32534

Dear Mr. McBride:

On May 4, 2011, a Department representative with the Air Resource Management Program inspected your facility, ID 0330071. 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.

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

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Air Compliance Supervisor

CM/jw/c

Enclosure

c: Sue Cummings, Ready Mix USA: suecu@readymixusa.com



### **CONCRETE BATCHING PLANT**



### COMPLIANCE INSPECTION CHECKLIST

| IN               | NSPECTION TYPE: ANNUAL (INS1, INS2) COMPLAINT/DISCOVERY RE-INSPECTION (FUI) ARMS COMPLAINT NO:  | ґ (CI) 🗌                                 |  |  |  |  |
|------------------|---|--|--|--|--|--|
| ΑI               | ARRIVE: <u>3:00 PM</u>  | DEPART: <u>4:00 PM</u>                   |  |  |  |  |
| FA               | 'ACILITY NAME: PENSACOLA RM USA-MAIN SITE PLANTS #1&2   |  |  |  |  |  |
| FA               | ACILITY LOCATION: 3008 N PALAFOX RD   |  |  |  |  |  |
|                  | CANTONMENT 32533  |  |  |  |  |  |
| CC               | OWNER/AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE: NOAH MCBRIDE Email: NoahM@readymixusa.com CONTACT NAME: Email: PHONE: Mobile: PHONE: Mobile: CNTITLEMENT PERIOD: / (effective date) (end date) | (850)477-2899<br>(850)554-5017           |  |  |  |  |
| Facility Section |   |  |  |  |  |  |
| PA               | PART I: INSPECTION COMPLIANCE STATUS (check ☑ only one box)  ☐ IN COMPLIANCE ☐ MINOR Non-COMPLIANCE ☐ SIGNIFICANT Non-COMPLIANCE  |  |  |  |  |  |
|                  |   |  |  |  |  |  |
|                  | PART II: ONSITE INTRODUCTORY MEETING  Name(s) of facility representative(s): Noah McBride  Brief Notes:   | (check ☑ only one box for each question) |  |  |  |  |
| 2.               | Is the Authorized Representative still NOAH MCBRIDE?  | YesNo                                    |  |  |  |  |
| 3.               | If different, did the facility provide an administrative update within 30 days?  Is the facility contact still?  If no, who is?:  | YesNo YesNo                              |  |  |  |  |
| 4.               | . Will facility be conducting VE test(s) during today's inspection?   |  |  |  |  |  |

## $Emissions\ Unit\ Section \\ \underline{5\ -CCBPlant\ -Plt\#1(2silo)w/cent.b-hse\&Plt\#2(2silo)w/silotopb-hse\ subject\ to\ Reasonable\ Precautions}$

| PART I: FILE REVIEW PRIOR TO INSPECT  | <u>FION</u>   | (check <b>☑</b> box for each | only one question) |
|---|---|------------------------------|--------------------|
| If not: a. Did the inspector perform a general \  | ons during the last inspection? VE test (20% opacity)? e visible emissions < 20% opacity?  N/A n)?  | Yes                          | No No No           |
| PART II: FIELD OBSERVATIONS – Rule 62-  | 296.414(2), F.A.C.  | (check 🗹                     | only one           |
| <u>Unconfined Emissions from Truck Loading and</u><br><u>Conveying Equipment, Conveyor Drop Points, 1</u> |   | box for each                 | •                  |
| Does the owner/operator of the concrete batchir emissions by:   | ng plant take reasonable precautions to control unco  | nfined                       |                    |
| paving and maintenance of roads, park     application of water or environmentall control emissions?       | oiles, and yards, which shall include one or more of ting areas, stock piles, and yards?y safe dust-suppressant chemicals when necessary to | X Yes                        | ☐ No               |
| owner/operator to re-entrainment, and from particulate matter?  | ds and other paved areas under control of the m building or work areas to reduce airborne   | of                           | □ No               |
| -   | to mitigate emissions at the drop point to the truck?   | _                            | □ No               |
|   | (20% opacity)?e emissions < 20% opacity?  |                              | ☐ No<br>☐ No       |

### **Facility Section (continued)**

| CONFIRMATION OF GENERAL PERMIT ELIGIBILITY   | (check ☑<br>box for each |  |
|--|--------------------------|--|
| Does this facility keep records to show that it does not have the potential to emit:     a. 10 tons per year or more of any hazardous air pollutant?     b. 25 tons per year or more of any combination of hazardous air pollutants?     c 100 tons per year or more of any other regulated air pollutant?       | Yes                      | <ul><li>□ No</li><li>□ No</li><li>□ No</li></ul> |
| 2. Does this facility include:  a. Any emission units or activities not covered by the applicable air general permit (with the exception units and activities that are exempt from permitting pursuant to subsection Rule 62-210.300(3) or Rule 62-4.040, F.A.C.)?  If YES, what non-exempt units or activities? |                          | ⊠ No   |
| b. Any emissions units or activities authorized by another air general permit where such other air general permit and this general permit specifically allow the use of one another at the same facility?  |                          | ⊠ No   |
| 3. Is the total combined annual facility-wide fuel usage of all plants less than or equal to: a. 275,000 gallons of diesel fuel?   | -                        | No   |
| 4. Has the owner/operator maintained, available for inspection, site-wide records of monthly fuel consum for each consecutive 12-period for the past 5 years?  |                          | □ No   |
| GENERAL CONDITIONS   | (check ☑<br>box for each | •  |
| Has the owner or operator allowed the circumvention of any air pollution control device, or allowed the emission of air pollutants without the proper operation of all applicable air pollution control devices?   | Yes                      | ⊠ No   |
| Does the owner or operator:     a. Maintain the authorized facility in good condition?     b. Ensure that the facility maintains its eligibility to use the air general permit and complies with all   | - 🛭 Yes                  | ☐ No   |
| terms and conditions of the air general permit?  |                          | ☐ No   |
| to the facility at reasonable times to inspect and test and to determine compliance with the air general permit and Department rules?  | X Yes                    | ☐ No   |

| RELOCATABLE PLANT: (check 🗹 or  |  |          |  |  |
|---|--|----------|--|--|
| 1. Is the facility: stationary ⊠; relocatable □; or consisting of concrete batching and/or nonmetallic mineral processing plan  |  | on)      |  |  |
| 2. Is the relocatable concrete batching plant used to mix cement soil for onsite soil augmentation or stabilization? ( <i>If YES</i> , <i>answer 2. a and 2.b; if NO</i> , <i>answer question 2.c belo</i> a. Did the owner or operator notify the appropriate Department | w.)  | No       |  |  |
| e-mail, fax, or written communication at least one business b. Did the owner or operator transmit a Facility Relocation N   | s day prior to changing location? Yes                | No       |  |  |
| to the Department or Local Air Program no later than five c. Did the owner or operator transmit a Facility Pelocation   | owing a relocation? Yes DEP No. 62-210.900(6)]       | No       |  |  |
| to the appropriate Department or I peal fir FA g  |  | No       |  |  |
| 3. If the relocatable plant was co-located at a facility with a separand the relocatable batch plant is not included as an emission a. Was the relocatable batch plant being used for a non-routin  | s unit in that separate permit:                      | No       |  |  |
| If YES, what was the purpose?  b. Were records kept by the owner/operator to indicate how lo  |  | 140      |  |  |
| co-located at the permitted facility?   | Yes  | No<br>No |  |  |
|   |  |          |  |  |
| CHANGES   | (check ☑ only o                                      |          |  |  |
| Administrative Changes:   | box for each question                                | on)      |  |  |
| 1. Were there any changes in the name, address, or phone numb associated with a change in ownership or with a physical relo   |  |          |  |  |
| operations comprising the facility; or any other similar minor  | administrative change at the facility? Yes           | No       |  |  |
| 2. If YES, did the facility provide written notification within 30 days of the change? Yes Now or Modified Process Equipment or Change in Ownership:  |  |          |  |  |
| 3. Since the last registration form submittal has there been  |  |          |  |  |
| <ul><li>a. Installation of any new process equipment?</li><li>b. Alterations to existing process equipment without replacer</li></ul>   |  | No<br>No |  |  |
| c. Replacement of existing equipment with equipment that is   | substantially different? Yes                         |          |  |  |
| d. A change in ownership?   | Yes 🖂 1  | No       |  |  |
| 4. If the answer to any question 3a. – d. is YES, was a new regi 30 days prior to the change?   | struction forms and the appropriate for subsection d | No       |  |  |
|   |  |          |  |  |
|   |  | No       |  |  |
| Jennifer Waltrip  |  | No       |  |  |
| Jennifer Waltrip  Inspector's Name (Please Print)   | Yes 1  | No       |  |  |
| -<br>-  | May 4, 2011  | No       |  |  |

**COMMENTS:** A Department representative conducted an unannounced annual air program compliance inspection on May 4, 2011 at the Pensacola Ready Mix located in Escambia County. Mr. Noah McBride was present to assist during the inspection.

To prevent fugitive emissions, most of the site is paved and the yard is swept or watered down as needed. Aggregate is stored in three-sided concrete wind breaks. The facility operates on electricity, so there are no fuel requirements. There is a front plant and a back plant. The front plant has a dust collector/baghouse on the fly ash silo and a dust collector/ baghouse on the cement silo. Emissions from the truck loading area are controlled with a spraybar. The back plant has two silos (one is a split silo) and a central dust collector which also controls emissions from the truck loading area.

The 2011 visible emission test was performed during the inspection. No emissions were noted. The requirement to record the batching rate during the emissions test on the back plant was discussed. The previous VE test did not include that information. As a reminder, Rule 62-296.414(3)(c), Florida Administrative Code states if emissions from the weigh hopper (batcher) operation are also controlled by the silo dust collector, the batching operation shall be in operation during the visible emissions test. The batching rate during the emissions test shall be representative of the normal batching rate and duration. Each test report shall state the actual silo loading rate during emissions testing and, if applicable, whether or not batching occurred during emissions testing.