

**SURFACE COATING OPERATIONS  
AIR GENERAL PERMIT REGISTRATION FORM**

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**Part II. Notification to Permitting Office**

(Detach and submit to appropriate permitting office; keep copy onsite)

Bureau of Air Quality  
& Mobile Sources

**Instructions:** To give notice to the Department of an eligible facility's intent to use this air general permit, the owner or operator of the facility must detach and complete this part of the Air General Permit Registration Form and submit it to the appropriate Department of Environmental Protection or local air pollution control program office which has permitting authority. Please type or print clearly all information, and enclose the appropriate air general permit registration processing fee pursuant to Rule 62-4.050, F.A.C. (\$100 as of the effective date of this form)

1150164 - 001

**Registration Type**

Check one:

**INITIAL REGISTRATION** - Notification of intent to:

- Construct and operate a proposed new facility.
- Operate an existing facility not currently using an air general permit (e.g., a facility proposing to go from an air operation permit to an air general permit).

**RE-REGISTRATION** (for facilities currently using an air general permit) - Notification of intent to:

- Continue operating the facility after expiration of the current term of air general permit use.
- Continue operating the facility after a change of ownership.
- Make an equipment change requiring re-registration pursuant to Rule 62-210.310(2)(e), F.A.C., or any other change not considered an administrative correction under Rule 62-210.310(2)(d), F.A.C.

**Surrender of Existing Air Operation Permit(s) - For Initial Registrations Only**

If the facility currently holds one or more air operation permits, such permit(s) must be surrendered by the owner or operator upon the effective date of this air general permit. In such case, check the first box, and indicate the operation permits being surrendered. If no air operation permits are held by the facility, check the second box.

- All existing air operation permits for this facility are hereby surrendered upon the effective date of this air general permit; specifically permit number(s): \_\_\_\_\_
- No air operation permits currently exist for this facility.

**General Facility Information**

**Facility Owner/Company Name** (Name of corporation, agency, or individual owner who or which owns, leases, operates, controls, or supervises the facility.)

Mercedes-Benz of Sarasota

(AUTONATION) ←

**Site Name** (Name, if any, of the facility site; e.g., Plant A, Metropolis Plant, etc. If more than one facility is owned, a registration form must be completed for each.)

**Facility Location** (Provide the physical location of the facility, not necessarily the mailing address.)

Street Address: 6828 S. Tamiami Trail

City: Sarasota

County: Sarasota

Zip Code: 34231 - 5604

**Facility Start-Up Date** (Estimated start-up date of proposed new facility.) (N/A for existing facility)

\*SEE ATTACHED E-MAIL DATED 03/05/10 AS AN ADDENDUM TO THIS FORM  
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**Owner/Authorized Representative**

Name and Position Title (Person who, by signing this form below, certifies that the facility is eligible to use this air general permit.)

Print Name and Title: Robert Plainte

Owner/Authorized Representative Mailing Address

Organization/Firm: The Wheel Wizard

Street Address: P.O. Box 1345

City: Nokomis

County: Sarasota

Zip Code: 34274

Owner/Authorized Representative Telephone Numbers

Telephone: (941) 400-9519

Fax: (941) 377-8939

Cell phone (optional):

**Facility Contact (If different from Owner/Authorized Representative)**

Name and Position Title (Plant manager or person to be contacted regarding day-to-day operations at the facility.)

Print Name and Title:

Facility Contact Mailing Address

Organization/Firm:

Street Address:

City:

County:

Zip Code:

Facility Contact Telephone Numbers

Telephone: (941) 400-9519

Fax:

Cell phone (optional):

**Owner/Authorized Representative Statement**

This statement must be signed and dated by the person named above as owner or authorized representative

*I, the undersigned, am the owner or authorized representative of the owner or operator of the facility addressed in this Air General Permit Registration Form. I hereby certify, based on information and belief formed after reasonable inquiry, that the facility addressed in this registration form is eligible for use of this air general permit and that the statements made in this registration form are true, accurate and complete. Further, I agree to operate and maintain the facility described in this registration form so as to comply with all applicable standards for control of air pollutant emissions found in the statutes of the State of Florida and rules of the Department of Environmental Protection and revisions thereof.*

*I will promptly notify the Department of any changes to the information contained in this registration form.*

Signature



Date

02-22-10

**Material Usage Rates**

If this is an **initial registration** for a surface coating operation, provide an estimate of the average quantity of volatile organic compounds in all coatings (solvents and thinners) expected to be used on a daily basis.

Expected usage per day of less than 15 pounds as estimated using much more than regular usage.

If this is a **re-registration** for an existing surface coating operation, provide the highest monthly average of the daily quantity of volatile organic compounds in all coatings (solvents and thinners) used in the last five years. Indicate the month and year during which this usage occurred.

**Description of Facility**

Below, or as an attachment to this form, provide a description of the surface coating operations at the facility in sufficient detail to demonstrate the facility's eligibility for use of this air general permit and to provide a basis for tracking any future equipment or process changes at the facility. Describe all air pollutant-emitting processes and equipment at the facility, and identify any air pollution control measures or equipment used.

Spot repairs on cars done using HVLP guns and none of the chemicals controlled by the new EPA Paint Stripping and Miscellaneous Surface Coating Operations Area Source Rule 40 CFR Part 63 Subpart HHHHHH.

**Dibble, Dickson**

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**From:** Geidy Rodriguez [geylily@yahoo.com]  
**Sent:** Friday, March 05, 2010 4:27 PM  
**To:** Dibble, Dickson  
**Cc:** Rob Plante  
**Subject:** Wheel Wizard Air General Permits

Good afternoon Mr. Dibble,

As per our conversation here is the information that I have about the parent companies of the three locations:

Mercedes Benz of Sarasota - Autonation

Honda Cars of Bradenton - Hendrick Automotive Group

BMW of Sarasota - Morgan Automotive Group

Please do not hesitate to contact me at (941) 284-1375 if you need anything further.

Best regards,

Geidy Rodriguez

\* *ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REQUEST #1150164-001*

**Dibble, Dickson**

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**From:** Dibble, Dickson  
**Sent:** Friday, March 12, 2010 9:03 AM  
**To:** 'Geidy Rodriguez'  
**Cc:** Ajhar, Rebecca  
**Subject:** RE: Wheel Wizard Air General Permits

Good morning Geidy!

I just hung up the phone from leaving you a message and realized that I had your e-mail address, so thought I would also send my request to you.

On page seven (7) of each of the forms it asks the following:

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The answers provided on each form seem somewhat generic in nature and don’t really describe all of the equipment other than the “use of HVLP guns” and it is a “spot” repairs operation. See below.

**ANSWERS PROVIDED: “Spot repairs on cars done using HVLP guns and none of the chemicals controlled by the new EPA Paint Stripping and Miscellaneous Surface Coating Operations Area Source Rule CFR Part 63 Subpart HHHHHH.”**

This answer doesn’t really provide a description of the process or the pollution control equipment as requested on the form.

For example:

- 1) Is/are there a paint booth(s)?
- 2) If so, is there a manufacturer name/type/size? and
- 3) If enclosed, does the facility it have a filter system and if so, what is the type/size? or
- 4) Is the painting done in the open air, a building, or other type of full or partial enclosure?

I just need a few more details on each facility’s surface coating operations in order to continue the review process.

You may e-mail the information to me for each facility and I will attach each as an addendum to the appropriate form.

If you have any questions, comments or concerns please e-mail or call.

Thank you and have a great weekend!

Sincerely yours,

*Dickson E. Dibble*

**Dickson E. Dibble, ES III**  
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Good afternoon,

I do apologize for missing your call, but it's been one of those crazy Fridays.

As far as the description of the locations they are all as follows:

None have a paint booth since our spraying is done outside and involves only spot repairs. We have reviewed our procedures and even with the new EPA regulations coming in effect in 2011 we would still be allowed to continue as is since we spray from 3oz cups and therefore would not be governed by this new regulation. When it comes to our VOC usage we keep a daily log of our use and as described in our applications even estimating higher than our busiest days we are well below the allowed usage.

I hope this information is in line with what need and I apologize for not including a more detailed description in the applications.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you need anything further.

Sincerely,

Geidy Rodriguez  
The Wheel Wizard  
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