

MEMORANDUM

DATE: June 19, 2000

TO: Mallika Muthiah

(MB)

FROM: Marcelo Barros, Frank Echanique

RE: Nailite Inspection

On June 14, 2000 Marcelo and I visited Nailite International, Inc., located at 1251 NW 165 Street, Miami, approximately at 10:30 am, in response to a request from Patrick Wong in order to collect data necessary to run a computer simulation of the air toxics emissions from this facility.

We found that this facility was in operation at the time of our visit. A survey of the surroundings of this site revealed that the building height was about 7 meters and the length was around 50 meters. To the north of the building there are some railroad tracks and a building that belongs to Modernage Furniture. To the west, there is a parking lot, and to the east, separating the present building and the future operations building, there is another parking lot and two other facilities.

At the time of our visit we spoke with Mr. Douglas Kalvig, Plant Manager, who informed us that Mr. Dave Steadman, President was busy at the time. Mr. Kalvig gave us a tour of the old facility and later took us to the new site located at 1111 NW 165 Street. The new facility was not operating at the time of our visit, but part of the new paint line was already installed. The findings inside the new building included the following:

- 1- A chemical pumping room inside the building.
- 2- A chemical storage room next to the chemicals pumping room outside the production area.
- 3- Three conveyor booths under construction. These booths have a semi-closed face draft system and each booth was found with bottom openings of 3 - 4 feet high.
- 4- One large oven
- 5- One unpacked Thermal Oxidizer located outside the building, in an open area.
- 6- Part of the building was under remodeling.

On our way out, Mr. Steadman approached and told us that the old facility will have to close down in the near future due to lease arrangements.

Our findings were discussed with Mallika Muthiah and Patrick Wong. A letter sent to John Reynolds, DEP Tallahassee, dated June 16, 2000, included information about the on-going new construction at Nailite.

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Mr. C.H. Fancy, P.E.
Chief, Bureau of Air Regulation
Department of Environmental Protection
111 S. Magnolia Drive, Suite 4
Tallahassee, FL 32301

Re: Nailite International, Inc.
Proof of Public Notice
Project No. 0250407-003-AC (PSD-FL-289A)
Installation of New Panel Line and Relocation of Existing Panel Line

Dear Mr. Fancy:

Golder Associates Inc. on behalf of Nailite International, Inc. is transmitting herein the official notarized proof of Public Notice of Intent to Issue Air Construction Permit as required by Section 403.815, and 403.0815 F.S./DEP Rules 62-110.106(7)(a), F.A.C. for your files.

Sincerely,

GOLDER ASSOCIATES INC.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Benny Susi'.

Benny Susi, P.E.
Associate

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Enclosure: Proof of Public Notice

cc: D. Buff, Golder
D. Steedman, Nailite

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