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December 14, 2010

<u>BY ELECTRONIC MAIL</u> <u>dennis@the naturallight.com</u>

Mr. Dennis Thompson Plant Manager The Natural Light Post Office Box 16449 Panama City, Florida 32406

Dear Mr. Thompson:

On December 7 2010, a Department representative with the Air Resource Management Program inspected The Natural Light Facility ID 0050054. 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 C. Mark Sumner at 850/767-0046, or *mark.c.sumner@dep.state.fl.us*.

Sincerely,

Sally M. Cooey Panama City Branch Administrator

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Enclosure c: Ms. Mary Beth Curle, FDEP Pensacola (<u>mary.beth.curle@dep.state.fl.us</u>)

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INSPECTION TYPE: ANNUAL (INS RE-INSPECTIO	51, INS2) 🛛 COMPLAINT/DISC DN (FUI) 🗌 ARMS COMPLAIN	
	ARRIVE: <u>9:28</u> ,INC. THUR DR. IAVEN 32444	DEPART: <u>10;31</u>
OWNER/AUTHORIZED REPRESENT Email: tnlinc@aol.com CONTACT NAME: DENNIS THOMP Email: dennis@thenaturallight.com ENTITLEMENT PERIOD: 8/3/2007 (effective date	SON P / 8/3/2012	TH PHONE: (850)265-0800 Iobile: HONE: (850)265-0800 Iobile:
PART I: INSPECTION COMPLIANCE		FICANT Non-COMPLIANCE
 which are exempt from permitting have been exempted from permitting 2. Does the owner/operator of the face and the quantity of the coatings use 3. Does the owner/operator retain, an of at least five years? 4. Is the total quantity of VOC's in su 5. Does the amount of coatings used, 	REMENTS – Rule 62-210.300, F.A.C. ions units other than the surface coating pursuant to the criteria of paragraph 62-7 ng under Rule 62-4.040, F.A.C.? (Rule 6 ility maintain records to document the V ed? d make available for Department inspect ach coatings 44 lbs/day or less, averaged include solvents and thinners used in the	210.300(3)(a) or (b), F.A.C., or 52-210.300(3)(c)4.a., F.A.C.) □Yes ⊠ No 7OC content of the coatings tion, these records for a period monthly? ⊠Yes □ No ∞Yes □ No ∞Yes □ No ∞Yes □ No
PART III: <u>CONTROL/OPERATING/M</u> (check ☑ appropriate box(es))	1AINTANANCE REQUIREMENTS	

1.	is the surface could be perturbed to a voc reasonably rivaliable control reelihology (it is		
	emission limiting standard of Chapter 62-296.500, F.A.C.? (Rule 62-210.300(3)(c)4.b., F.A.C.)	Yes	No
2.	Does the facility cause, suffer, allow or permit the discharge of air pollutants which cause or contribute t	0	
	an objectionable odor? (Rule 62.296.320(2), F.A.C.)	Yes	No

PART III: CONTROL/OPERATING/MAINTENANCE REQUIREMENTS - Rule 62-210.300, F.A.C. - (continued)

(check ☑ appropriate box(es))

3.	Does the owner/operator encourage pollution prevention through such measures as training employees
	involved in surface coating operations on methods of reducing VOC emissions by:

a)	maintaining spray	coating equ	uipment to ensu	re effective a	pplication	with a minimu	m of overspray?	⊠Yes	N	٧o

	monitoring the coating thickness to avoid		-	⊠Yes [
c)	considering the use of low-VOC coatings	(e.g., waterborne, ultra-violet cured,	or powder coatings)?	⊲Yes [

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d)	implementing inventory control practices to prevent spillage?	⊠Yes	No

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mpi	ementing management practices to reduce v o c emissions during cleanap of:			
1.	spraying light colored coatings before dark colored coatings to reduce the number of cleaning			
	cycles?	⊠Yes		lo
2)	recycling cleaning solvents?	Yes	N	lo
3)	using water based cleaners?	Yes	\boxtimes N	lo

•	Since the last inspection has there been a) installation of any new process equipment?	□Yes	No
		\square Yes	
	c) replacement of existing equipment substantially different than that noted on the most		NATIO
		Yes	No
	d) If you answered <u>YES</u> to any of the above, did the owner submit a new and complete		
	notification form and appropriate fee (Rule 62-4.050, F.A.C.) to the appropriate DEP or		
	local program office?	Yes	No

C. Mark Sumner

Inspector's Name (Please Print)

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Inspector's Signature

December 7, 2010

Date of Inspection

December 2011

Approximate Date of Next Inspection

COMMENTS: I met with Mr. Dennis Thompson, the plant manager. No objectionable odors or visible emissions were noted at the time of this inspection. The Natural Light uses four paint booths. Three smaller booths each equipped with a 2500 CFM exhaust fan and one larger booth equipped with a 4690 CFM exhaust fan. The outlets for these booths each have a spun glass filter that is changed when it becomes visibly coated. A review of the filter change log for each booth revealed that the filters are changes every 2-3 working days. This facility uses a variety of stains, paints, and lacquers to coat and finish the end products. A review of the coating and solvent records revealed that the facility uses the information provided by the supplier in addition to the quantity purchased to calculate VOC emissions from the coating activities. The logs were reviewed from January 2009 to November 2010, and the highest daily average was 22.27 lbs/day for August 2009. The next two months with the highest daily average were June 2010 with 18.82 lbs/day and February 2010 with 17.18 lbs/day. These amounts include the solvents and thinners used in the process and those used for cleanups. The operator of this facility encourages pollution prevention by maintaining the equipment and using HVLP spray guns when possible; the employees are trained to minimize overspray and to prevent product spillage and waste. Many of the coatings now being used were chosen for their low VOC content, and all waste cleaning solvents are kept in sealed containers and properly disposed of with an appropriate waste handler.

No

No