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SENT VIA EMAIL
ELECTRONIC READ RECEIPT REQUESTED

Jesse Mease, Owner
Monument Powder Coating
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Re: EPA Pretreatment Notification of Categorical Industrial User Requirements, ICIS Number:
CO-PF00108

Dear Mr. Mease:

EPA conducted a Pretreatment facility inspection of Monument Powder Coating on April 11, 2022 and determined that Monument Powder Coating no longer meets the non-significant categorical industrial user criteria based on exceedances of the pH limit in 2022. Monument Powder Coating is now classified as a Categorical Industrial User (CIU) subject to the Metal Finishing Point Source Category Pretreatment Standards at 40 C.F.R. 433.17 and monitoring, reporting and notification requirements at 40 C.F.R. 403.12. Monument Powder Coating is an industrial user of the City of Fruita's publicly owned treatment works (POTW), which does not have a Pretreatment Program approved by EPA. Therefore, EPA Region 8 serves as the Control Authority and directly oversees compliance of industrial users that discharge to the City of Fruita's POTW and is partnering with the City to ensure its POTW is protected from potential impacts of pollutants discharged from non-domestic sources.

Enclosed is information regarding Monument Powder Coating's discharge requirements as a CIU (Enclosure 1, Categorical Industrial User Requirements). This enclosure sets forth specific notification and reporting requirements EPA has established in accordance with the SIU definition found in 40 C.F.R. Part 403.3(v). Enclosure 2 is the associated fact sheet, which provides a rationale for the conditions set forth in Enclosure 1.

The Categorical Industrial User Requirements and Fact Sheet were public noticed on EPA's website on May 17, 2023 for a 30-day public comment period. There were no substantive comments received.

The Pretreatment Regulations at 40 C.F.R. 403.12(j) require Monument Powder Coating to promptly notify EPA and the City of Fruita in advance of any substantial change in the volume or character of pollutants in its discharge. These substantial changes could include changes at Monument Powder Coating that may affect its compliance with the CIU requirements contained in this notification such as changes to the operations, wastestream generation, and/or wastewater management that may affect the status of Monument Powder Coating under the Pretreatment Regulations.

Nothing contained in this notification package or in any EPA regulations restrict State or local agencies from imposing additional requirements in accordance with applicable laws, including requirements which are more stringent than those imposed by EPA.

If you have any questions about the enclosed information, please contact Al Garcia at 303-312-6382 or garcia.al@epa.gov.

Sincerely,

Stephanie DeJong, Manager
Clean Water Branch

Enclosures:

1. Categorical Industrial User Requirements under the Metal Finishing Point Source Category and the General Pretreatment Regulations
2. Monument Powder Coating Fact Sheet

cc:

Kimberly Bullen, Public Works Director, City of Fruita
Jon Wallace, Pretreatment Coordinator, Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment