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100 North Senate Avenue
MC 61-53 IGCN 1003
Indianapolis, Indiana 46204-2251

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State of Indiana

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Dept of Environmental Mgmt
Office of Air Quality

**Re: Air Permit Response
Urschel Laboratories, Inc.
Chesterton, Indiana
August Mack Project Number JZ0017.250**

Dear Madam or Sir:

August Mack Environmental, Inc. (August Mack) was retained by Urschel Laboratories, Inc. (Urschel) to prepare the enclosed response for the Urschel facility located in Chesterton, Indiana. The purpose of this response is to provide the Indiana Department of Environmental Management (IDEM) with information with respect to the reclassification of Porter County as serious nonattainment. Recently, Urschel received a letter from the IDEM, dated December 19, 2024, regarding the reclassification of Lake and Porter Counties to Serious nonattainment for the 2015 ozone standards. Based on the reclassification, Urschel's permit does not need to be revised to remain a minor stationary source under 326 IAC 2-7 (Part 70 Operating Permit) and 326 IAC 2-3 (Emission Offset). Attachment A includes the response letter. Attachment B includes the necessary response form.

SOURCE DESCRIPTION

Urschel is a food processing equipment manufacturing plant located in Chesterton, Indiana.

STATE RULE APPLICABILITY RULE DETERMINATIONS

326 IAC 2-2 (Prevention of Significant Deterioration (PSD))

The potential to emit of all attainment regulated criteria pollutants are less than 250 tons per year, therefore, the source is not subject to 326 IAC 2-2 (Prevention of Significant Deterioration).



326 IAC 2-3 (Nonattainment NSR)

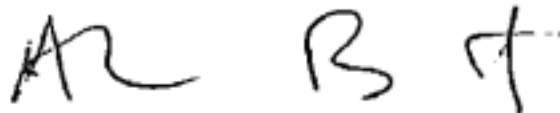
The source is located in Porter County, a county considered by the United States Environmental Protection Agency to be serious nonattainment for ozone. The potential to emit of VOC and NOx is less than 50 tons per year, respectively, therefore, the source is not subject to 326 IAC 2-3 (Nonattainment NSR).

CONCLUSION

Based on the uncontrolled potential emissions of VOCs and the applicable requirements, the source still qualifies for a federally enforceable state operate permit (FESOP).

If you have any questions or concerns, or if you require additional information, please do not hesitate to contact us at 317.916.8000.

Sincerely,

Handwritten signature of Alic Bent in black ink.

Alic Bent
Director of Specialty Projects

Attachment

ATTACHMENT A

Response Letter

Response Letter

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Dear Jenny Acker,

Re: Urschel Laboratories, Inc
Source ID: 127-00132
FESOP revision or Part 70 Operating Permit transition application response

I Patrick Urschel [Name] am President/CEO [position] with Urschel Laboratories Inc, located at 1200 Cutting Edge Dr, Chesterton, IN 46304. I certify that I am an authorized individual for said source. I hereby swear that:

I have determined NO ACTION BY IDEM IS NEEDED. I recognize that I am responsible for any potential future U. S. EPA enforcement action, IDEM compliance action, or citizen civil lawsuit if later determined that our permit did not have sufficient limitations to ensure that our source is not subject to the Part 70 Operating program under the 2015 ozone serious nonattainment status.

I have determined I will apply for a FESOP revision to make permit revisions in order to comply with the reclassification of Lake and Porter Counties to "Serious" nonattainment for the 2015 Ozone NAAQS. I:

- Have attached a complete FESOP revision application.
- Will submit a complete FESOP revision application within three (3) months after the effective date of the reclassification of Lake and Porter Counties to "Serious" nonattainment for the 2015 Ozone NAAQS.

I have determined I will apply for a transition to a Part 70 Operating Permit. I:

- Have attached a complete Part 70 Operating Permit transition application.
- Will submit a complete Part 70 Operating Permit transition application within six (6) months after the effective date of the reclassification of Lake and Porter Counties to "Serious" nonattainment for the 2015 Ozone NAAQS.

I certify, based on information and belief formed after reasonable inquiry, the statements and information contained herein are true, accurate, and complete.

Name Patrick Urschel Title President/ CEO
Signature  Date 1/29/2025

ATTACHMENT B

Form GSD-12



OAQ GENERAL SOURCE DATA APPLICATION
GSD-12: Affidavit of Nonapplicability
 State Form 51600 (R3 / 1-10)
 INDIANA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT

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NOTES:


- The purpose of GSD-12 is to certify that the requirement to notify adjacent landowners and occupants is not applicable to the source of air pollutant emissions.
- Detailed instructions for this form are available on the Air Permit Application Forms website.
- All information submitted to IDEM will be made available to the public unless it is submitted under a claim of confidentiality. Claims of confidentiality must be made at the time the information is submitted to IDEM, and must follow the requirements set out in 326 IAC 17.1-4-1. Failure to follow these requirements exactly will result in your information becoming a public record, available for public inspection.

PART A: Affidavit Of Nonapplicability

Complete this form to certify that the requirement to notify adjacent landowners and occupants pursuant to Indiana Code (IC) 13-15-8 is not applicable to the source of air pollutant emissions. This form must be notarized by a public notary.

Patrick Urschel, being first duly sworn upon oath, deposes and says:

1. I live in Porter County, State of Indiana, and being of sound mind and over twenty-one (21) years of age, I am competent to give this affidavit.
 2. I hold the position of President/CEO for Urschel Laboratories, Inc. (permit applicant's or facility's name).
 3. By virtue of my position with Urschel Laboratories, Inc. (permit applicant's name), I am authorized to make the representation contained in this affidavit on behalf of the facility.
 4. I understand that the notice requirements of Ind. Code § 13-15-8 do not apply to Urschel Laboratories, Inc. (permit applicant's or facility's name) for purposes of the accompanying permit application.
 5. **Further Affiant Saith Not.**
- I affirm under the penalty for perjury that the representations contained in this affidavit are true, to the best of my information and belief.

Patrick Urschel
 Name (typed)

 Signature

President/CEO
 Title
1/29/2025
 Date

STATE OF Indiana

COUNTY OF Porter

PART B: Notarization

This section must be completed by a Public Notary.

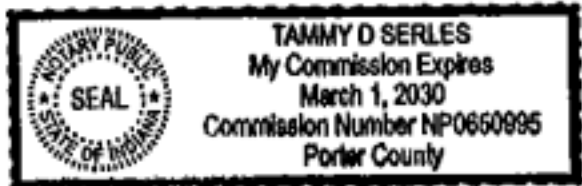
Before me a notary Public in and for said County and State, personally appeared Patrick Urschel, and being first duly sworn by me upon oath, says that the fact stated in the foregoing instrument are true. Signed and sealed this 29th of January, 2025

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My Commission Expires: March 1, 2030

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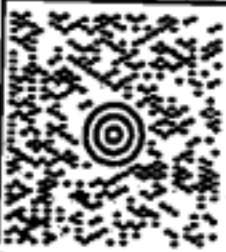
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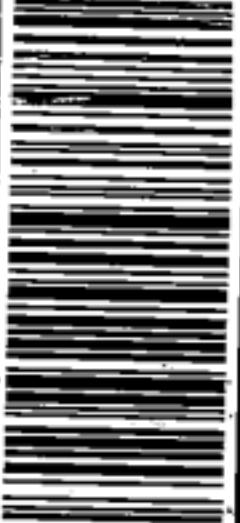
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