



Indiana Department of Environmental Management Emergency Response Incident Report

Description

Incident # 112660

Incident Description: Manufacturing facility emitting VOC odor

Incident Type: Emergency Response-Other

Occurred Date/Time: 05/29/2024 2:00 am

Regulatory Program: Emergency Response

Sub-Program: Industrial

Follow-Up Priority: 3-Low

Follow-Up Status: Closed

Incident Priority: 3-Low

Incident Status: Closed

Closure Method: Referred Inside IDEM

Weather Condition: Overcast

Lead Investigator: Caldwell, Dwayne

Resolution Desc: Referred to OAQ, Danial Roos is Air Inspector ACES 297825

D. Roos:

On June 3, 2024, I conducted a complaint inspection of the facility. Once on site, I met with Mr. Berg and Mr. Brown who gave me a tour of the facility.

Mr. Brown stated there have been no issues with the plant operations and the only thing that has changed recently was a couple of weeks ago they started using a new solvent coating in two of their booths. Mr. Brown stated the only issue they had was the application with a HVLP spray gun caused them to have to replace the filters more often, but this was corrected by switching to an Air Assisted Airless spray gun. I reviewed the daily, weekly, and monthly filter and overspray records from May 2024 and deemed them complete.

I walked through the facility and checked the perimeter for any strong odors and did not observe any. No violations were observed during the inspection. I have closed the complaint in RM and recommend closure in ACES.

Other Substance: "VOC odor"

Media Impacted: Air (Outdoor)



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Location

Location Description: 501 E 6th St,
Jasper
Dubois County

Region Code: Southwest Regional Office

County: Dubois

Latitude DD: 38.3909

Longitude DD: 86.9254

Method: Interpolation-Map

System: Lat.\Long - Decimal Degrees

Datum: NAD83

Collected By: IDEM Staff

Source Entity

Source Type: Agency Interest

Source Entity Name: Jasper Seating Company Incorporated

Address 1: 415 E 6TH ST

Municipality: Jasper

County: Dubois

State: IN

Zip Code: 47546

Reporter

Received By: Caldwell, Dwayne

Received Date/Time: 05/29/2024 2:23:26 pm

Reporter Type: Anonymous

Actions

Task	Staff Assigned	Start Date	Due Date	Completed Date	Hours Spent
Refer to Office of Air Quality Comments: Referred via email	Caldwell, Dwayne			05/29/2024	



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Lead ER Staff	Caldwell, Dwayne			05/29/2024		
Comments: An anonymous caller reports VOC odors (paint thinner) coming from the stacks at Jasper Desk Co, 501 E 6th St, Jasper, Dubois County. Stated the odors are very strong.						
Complete Emergency Response	Caldwell, Dwayne			05/29/2024		