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**CERTIFIED MAIL**

06-34-00-0066  
Harrison Mining Corp.  
Robert Griffin  
P.O. Box 176  
Cadiz, OH 43907

**RE: Final Chapter 3745-35 Permit To Operate**

Dear Robert Griffin:

The enclosed Permit(s) to Operate allow you to operate the described emissions unit(s) in the manner indicated in the Permit(s). Because each permit contains several terms and conditions, I urge you to read them carefully.

The Ohio EPA is urging companies to investigate pollution prevention and energy conservation. Not only will this reduce pollution and energy consumption, but it can also save you money. If you would like to learn ways you can save money while protecting the environment, please contact our Office of Pollution Prevention at (614) 644-3469.

You are hereby notified that this action of the Director is final and may be appealed to the Environmental Review Appeals Commission pursuant to Section 3745.04 of the Ohio Revised Code. The appeal must be in writing and set forth the action complained of and the grounds upon which the appeal is based. It must be filed with the Environmental Review Appeals Commission within thirty (30) days after notice of the Director's action. A copy of the appeal must be served on the Director of the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency within three (3) days of filing with the Commission. It is also requested by the Director that a copy of the appeal be served upon the Environmental Enforcement Section of the Office of the Attorney General. An appeal may be filed with the Environmental Review Appeals Commission at the following address:

Environmental Review Appeals Commission  
236 East Town Street  
Room 300  
Columbus, Ohio 43215

If you have any questions, please contact the Southeast District Office at (740) 385-8501.

Very truly yours,

Thomas G. Rigo, Manager  
Field Operations and Permit Section  
Division of Air Pollution Control

cc: Southeast District Office

## PERMIT TO OPERATE AN EMISSIONS UNIT

Effective Date: 02/23/01

Facility ID: 06-34-00-0066

Expiration Date: 02/23/06

**FINAL ISSUE**

This document constitutes issuance for:

Harrison Mining Corp.  
44961 Old Hopedale Rd.  
Cadiz, OH 43907

of a permit to operate for:

F007 (Access Roads)  
Unpaved Gravel Access Roads to Rail Loadout

### 1. Compliance Requirements

The above-described emissions unit is and shall remain in full compliance with all applicable State and federal laws and regulations and the terms and conditions of this permit.

### 2. Permit to Install Requirement

Prior to the "installation" or "modification" of any "air contaminant source," as those terms are defined in OAC rule 3745-31-01, a permit to install must be obtained from the Ohio EPA pursuant to OAC Chapter 3745-31.

### 3. Reporting Requirements Related to Monitoring and Recordkeeping Requirements

The permittee shall submit required reports in the following manner:

- a. Reports of any required monitoring and/or recordkeeping information shall be submitted to the appropriate Ohio EPA District Office or local air agency.
- b. Except as otherwise may be provided in the terms and conditions for a specific emissions unit, quarterly written reports of (a) any deviations (excursions) from emission limitations, operational restrictions, and control device operating parameter limitations that have been detected by the testing, monitoring, and recordkeeping requirements specified in this permit, (b) the probable cause of such deviations, and (c) any corrective actions or preventive measures which have been or will be taken, shall be submitted to the appropriate Ohio EPA District Office or local air agency. If no deviations occurred during a calendar quarter, the permittee shall submit a quarterly report, which states that no deviations occurred during that quarter. The reports shall be submitted quarterly, i.e., by January 31, April 30, July 31, and October 31 of each year and shall cover the previous calendar quarters. (These quarterly reports shall exclude deviations resulting from malfunctions reported in accordance with OAC rule 3745-15-06.)

#### **4. Records Retention Requirements**

Each record of any monitoring data, testing data, and support information required pursuant to this permit shall be retained for a period of five years from the date the record was created. Support information shall include, but not be limited to, all calibration and maintenance records and all original strip-chart recordings for continuous monitoring instrumentation, and copies of all reports required by the permit. Such records may be maintained in computerized form.

#### **5. Inspections and Information Requests**

The Director of the Ohio EPA, or an authorized representative of the Director, may, subject to the safety requirements of the permittee and without undue delay, enter upon the premises of this source at any reasonable time for purposes of making inspections, conducting tests, examining records or reports pertaining to any emission of air contaminants, and determining compliance with any applicable State and federal air pollution laws and regulations and the terms and conditions of this permit. The permittee shall furnish to the Director of the Ohio EPA, or an authorized representative of the Director, upon receipt of a written request and within a reasonable time, any information that may be requested to determine whether cause exists for modifying, reopening or revoking this permit or to determine compliance with this permit. Upon verbal or written request, the permittee shall also furnish to the Director of the Ohio EPA, or an authorized representative of the Director, copies of records required to be kept by this permit.

#### **6. Scheduled Maintenance/Malfunction Reporting**

Any scheduled maintenance of air pollution control equipment shall be performed in accordance with paragraph (A) of OAC rule 3745-15-06. The malfunction of any emissions unit or any associated air pollution control system(s) shall be reported to the appropriate Ohio EPA District Office or local air agency in accordance with paragraph (B) of OAC rule 3745-15-06. Except as provided in that rule, any scheduled maintenance or malfunction necessitating the shutdown or bypassing of any air pollution control system(s) shall be accompanied by the shutdown of this emissions unit(s) that is (are) served by such control system(s).

#### **7. Permit Transfers**

Any transferee of this permit shall assume the responsibilities of the prior permittee. The appropriate Ohio EPA District Office or local air agency must be notified in writing of any transfer of this permit.

#### **8. Air Pollution Nuisance**

The air contaminants emitted by the emissions units covered by this permit shall not cause a public nuisance, in violation of OAC rule 3745-15-07.

#### **9. Permit Renewal**

Approximately six months prior to the expiration date of this permit, a notice regarding the renewal of this permit will be sent to the permittee's designated facility contact. If you are not contacted, please contact the appropriate Ohio EPA District Office or local air agency. It is the permittee's responsibility to renew this permit even if no notice of its expiration is received.

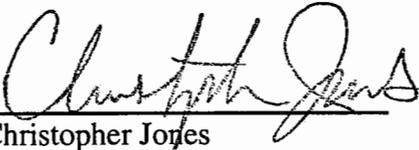
10. The permittee is also subject to the attached special terms and conditions.

The following Ohio EPA District Office or local air agency has jurisdiction in the area in which the facility is located:

Southeast District Office  
2195 Front Street  
Logan, OH 43138  
(740) 385-8501

You will be contacted approximately six months prior to expiration date regarding the renewal of this permit. If you are not contacted, please contact the Southeast District Office.

OHIO ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY



Christopher Jones  
Director

## Part II: Special Terms and Conditions

### A. Applicable Emissions Limitations and/or Control Requirements

1. The specific operation(s), property, and/or equipment which constitute this emissions unit are listed in the following table along with the applicable rules and/or requirements and with the applicable emissions limitations and/or control measures. Emissions from this unit shall not exceed the listed limitations, and the listed control measures shall be employed. Additional applicable emissions limitations and/or control measures (if any) may be specified in narrative form following the table.

<u>Operations, Property, and/or Equipment</u>	<u>Applicable Rules/ Requirements</u>	<u>Applicable Emissions Limitations/Control Measures</u>
unpaved access road to rail loadout See A.2.a)	OAC rule 3745-31-05 PTI # 06-91678	No visible particulate emissions except for three minutes during any 60-minute period.  Emissions of particulate emissions (PE) shall not exceed 0.026 TPY.  best available control measures that are sufficient to minimize or eliminate visible emissions of fugitive dust (see Sections A.2.b, through A.2 g.)
unpaved plant roads and parking areas (existing-previously F001)	None	None

### 2. Additional Terms and Conditions

- 2.a The unpaved roadways and parking areas that are covered by this permit and subject to the requirements of OAC 3745-31-05 are listed below:
- unpaved roadways: unpaved access road to rail loadout
- unpaved parking areas: none
- 2.b The permittee shall employ best available control measures on all unpaved roadways and parking areas listed in A.2.a. for the purpose of ensuring compliance with the above-mentioned applicable requirements. In accordance with the permittee's permit application, the permittee has committed to treat the unpaved roadways and parking areas listed in A.2.a. with water spray and speed zones of 15 mph or less at sufficient treatment frequencies to ensure compliance. Nothing in this paragraph shall prohibit the permittee from employing other control measures to ensure compliance.
- 2.c The needed frequencies of implementation of the control measures shall be determined by the permittee's inspections pursuant to the monitoring section of this permit. Implementation of the control measures shall not be necessary for a paved or unpaved roadway or parking area that is covered with snow and/or ice or if precipitation has occurred that is sufficient for that day to ensure compliance with the above-mentioned applicable requirements. Implementation of any control measure may be suspended if unsafe or hazardous driving conditions would be created by its use.
- 2.d Any unpaved roadway or parking area listed in A.2.a. that takes the characteristics of a paved roadway or parking area due to the application of certain types of dust suppressants shall remain subject to the visible emission limitation for unpaved roadways and parking areas. Any unpaved roadway or parking area that is paved shall be subject to the visible emission limitation for paved roadways and parking areas.
- 2.e The permittee shall promptly remove, in such a manner as to minimize or prevent resuspension, earth and/or other material from paved streets onto which such material has been deposited by trucking or earth moving equipment or erosion by water or other means.
- 2.f Open-bodied vehicles transporting materials likely to become airborne shall have such materials covered at all times if the control measure is necessary for the materials being transported.

**2. Additional Terms and Conditions (continued)**

- 2.g Implementation of the above-mentioned control measures in accordance with the terms and conditions of this permit is appropriate and sufficient to satisfy the best available technology requirements of OAC rule 3745-31-05.

**B. Operational Restrictions**

None

**C. Monitoring and/or Record Keeping Requirements**

1. Except as otherwise provided in this section, the permittee shall perform inspections of the roadways and parking areas in accordance with the following frequencies:

unpaved plant roads and parking areas: minimum inspection frequency:

unpaved access road to rail loadout daily

2. The purpose of the inspections is to determine the need for implementing the above-mentioned control measures. The inspections shall be performed during representative, normal traffic conditions. No inspection shall be necessary for a roadway or parking area that is covered with snow and/or ice or if precipitation has occurred that is sufficient for that day to ensure compliance with the above-mentioned applicable requirements. Any required inspection that is not performed due to any of the above-identified events shall be performed as soon as such event has ended, except if the next required inspection is within one week.
3. The permittee may, upon receipt of written approval from the appropriate Ohio EPA District Office or local air agency, modify the above-mentioned inspection frequencies if operating experience indicates that less frequent inspections would be sufficient to ensure compliance with the above-mentioned applicable requirements.
4. The permittee shall maintain records of the following information:
- a. the date and reason any required inspection was not performed, including those inspections that were not performed due to snow and/or ice cover or precipitation;
  - b. the date of each inspection where it was determined by the permittee that it was necessary to implement the control measures;
  - c. the dates the control measures were implemented; and
  - d. on a calendar quarter basis, the total number of days the control measures were implemented and the total number of days where snow and/or ice cover or precipitation were sufficient to not require the control measures.

The information required in 4.d. shall be kept separately for (i) the unpaved roadways and parking areas and (ii) unpaved access road to rail car loadout and shall be updated on a calendar quarter basis within 30 days after the end of each calendar quarter.

**D. Reporting Requirements**

1. The permittee shall submit deviation reports that identify any of the following occurrences:
- a. each day during which an inspection was not performed by the required frequency, excluding an inspection which was not performed due to an exemption for snow and/or ice cover or precipitation; and
  - b. each instance when a control measure, that was to be implemented as a result of an inspection, was not implemented.
2. The deviation reports shall be submitted in accordance with the reporting requirements of the General Terms and Conditions of this permit.

**E. Testing Requirements**

1. Compliance with the emission limitation for the unpaved access road to rail loadout and unpaved plant roads and parking areas identified above shall be determined in accordance with Test Method 22 as set forth in "Appendix on Test Methods" in 40 CFR, Part 60 ("Standards of Performance for New Stationary Sources," as such Appendix existed on July 1, 1996, and the modifications listed in paragraphs (B)(4)(a) through (B)(4)(d) of OAC rule 3745-17-03.
2. Emissions Limitation:  
0.026 TPY PE  
  
Compliance Method:  
Compliance with the ton/year PE limitation shall be demonstrated by the use of emission factors in AP-42, Compilation of Air Pollutant Emission Factors, Fifth Edition, Chapter 13.2.2 (9/98).

**F. Miscellaneous Requirements**

**None**