OhioEPA

Re: Permit to Install
Ashtabula County
Application No. 02-691

October 27, 1980

Gulf & Western Natural Resources
Group-Titanium
P. O. Box 160, Middle Road
Ashtabula, Ohio 44004

CERTIFIED MAIL

Attention: Douglas A. Towner

Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find an Ohio EPA Permit to Install which will allow you to install the described source(s) in a manner indicated in the permit. Because this permit contains several conditions and restrictions I urge you to read it carefully.

You are hereby notified that this action by the Director is final and may be appealed to the Environmental Board of Review pursuant to Chapter 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 Board of Review 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 and the Environmental Law Division of the Office of the Attorney General within three (3) days of filing with the Board. An appeal may be filed with the Environmental Board of Review at the following address:

Environmental Board of Review
240 Parsons Avenue, Suite 123
Columbus, Ohio 43215

Very truly yours,

Thomas E. Crepeau

Thomas E. Crepeau, Chief
Division of Authorization & Compliance
Office of Air Pollution Control

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cc: Northeast District Office

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Permit to Install

Application No. 02-691

Name of Facility: Gulf and Western Natural Resources Group-Titanium

Permit Fee: $390.00

Person to Contact: Douglas A. Towner

Address: P. O. Box 160, Middle Road
Ashtabula, Ohio 44004

Location of proposed source(s): Northeast corner of State and Middle Roads and 1/3 mile from State Road on south side of Middle Road, Ashtabula, Ashtabula County, Ohio

Description of proposed source(s): Titanium tetrachloride and titanium dioxide production facilities

Issuance Date: October 27, 1980

Effective Date: October 27, 1980

The above named entity is hereby granted a permit to install for the above described source pursuant to Chapter 3745-31 of the Ohio Administrative Code (former Ohio EPA Regulation EP-30). Issuance of this permit does not constitute expressed or implied approval or agreement that, if constructed or modified in accordance with the plans included in the application, the above described source of environmental pollutants will operate in compliance with applicable State and Federal laws and regulations, and does not constitute expressed or implied assurance that if constructed or modified in accordance with those plans and specifications, the above described source of pollutants will be granted the necessary operating permits. This permit is granted subject to the following conditions attached hereto:

Ohio Environmental Protection Agency

James F. McAvoy

by James F. McAvoy
Director
361 East Broad Street
Columbus, Ohio 43215

Substantial construction for installation must take place within eighteen months of the effective date of this permit. This deadline may be extended by up to twelve months, if application is made to the Director no less than sixty days before the expiration of this permit and the party shows good cause for any such extension.

The Director of the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency, or his authorized representatives, may enter upon the premises of the above named applicant during construction and operation at any reasonable time for the purpose of making inspections, conducting tests, examining records or reports pertaining to the construction, modification or installation of the above described source of environmental pollutants.

If the construction of the proposed source has already begun or has been completed prior to the date the Director of the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency approves the permit application and plans, the approval does not constitute expressed or implied assurance that the proposed facility has been constructed in accordance with the approved plans. The action of beginning and/or completing construction prior to obtaining the Director's approval constitutes a violation of OAC Rule 3745-31-02 (former EP-30-02). Furthermore, issuance of the Permit to Install does not constitute an assurance that the proposed source will operate in compliance with all Ohio laws and regulations. Approval of the plans in any case is not to be construed as an approval of the facility as constructed and/or completed. Moreover, issuance of the Permit to Install is not to be construed as a waiver of any rights that the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency (or other persons) may have against the applicant for starting construction prior to the effective date of the permit. Additional facilities shall be installed upon orders of the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency if the proposed facilities prove to be inadequate or cannot meet applicable standards.

The specified permit fee must be remitted within 15 days of the effective date of this permit to install.

Equipment for monitoring chlorine emissions from the calciner scrubber shall be installed. In the event of detection of chlorine gas in excess of 10 ppm, the permit holder shall take whatever actions are necessary to reduce the emissions.

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Facility Name GULF WESTERN - TiO2

Final Action Recommendation on a Permit to Install

Public written comments are to be accepted at the appropriate DO/LAA for a 30 day period only beginning with the date of the newspaper publication of the preliminary staff determination.

Date of Publication of Newspaper Notice 9-21-80

Comments Received (if no comments were received, write "none received" below):

Name(s) NONE Date Received

Final Recommendation: ☑ Approval ☐ Approval with Changes ☐ Denial

Reviewing Engineer Christine M. Frazier Date 10-22-80

District Office Review _____ Date _____
(Required for LAA's only if final recommendation differs from the preliminary staff determination)

Attach to this recommendation any revised and/or additional terms and conditions, or "Reasons for Denial" if the final recommendation is a denial.

This Final Action Recommendation is to be forwarded to the Div. of Authorization and Compliance, Office of Air Pollution Control, Central Office, within 30 days after the close of the public comment period, or 30 days after receipt of the record of a public meeting, if one had been held.