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RE: FINALAIR POLLUTION PERMIT-TO-INSTALL AND OPERATE

Facility ID: 1677010293
Permit Number: P0109478
Permit Type: Renewal
County: Summit

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No	TOXIC REVIEW
No	PSD
No	SYNTHETIC MINOR TO AVOID MAJOR NSR
No	CEMS
Yes	MACT/GACT
No	NSPS
No	NESHAPS
No	NETTING
No	MAJOR NON-ATTAINMENT
No	MODELING SUBMITTED
No	SYNTHETIC MINOR TO AVOID TITLE V
No	FEDERALLY ENFORCABLE PTIO (FEPTIO)
No	SYNTHETIC MINOR TO AVOID MAJOR GHG

Dear Permit Holder:

Enclosed please find a final Air Pollution Permit-to-Install and Operate (PTIO) which will allow you to install, modify, and/or operate the described emissions unit(s) in the manner indicated in the permit. Because this permit contains conditions and restrictions, please read it very carefully. Please complete a survey at www.epa.ohio.gov/dapc/permitsurvey.aspx and give us feedback on your permitting experience. We value your opinion.

The issuance of this PTI is a final action of the Director 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. The appeal must be filed with the Commission within thirty (30) days after notice of the Director's action. The appeal must be accompanied by a filing fee of \$70.00, made payable to "Ohio Treasurer Josh Mandel," which the Commission, in its discretion, may reduce if by affidavit you demonstrate that payment of the full amount of the fee would cause extreme hardship. Notice of the filing of the appeal shall be filed with the Director within three (3) days of filing with the Commission. Ohio EPA requests that a copy of the appeal be served upon the Ohio Attorney General's Office, Environmental Enforcement Section. An appeal may be filed with the Environmental Review Appeals Commission at the following address:

Environmental Review Appeals Commission
309 South Fourth Street, Room 222
Columbus, OH 43215

If you have any questions, please contact Akron Regional Air Quality Management District at (330)375-2480 or the Office of Compliance Assistance and Pollution Prevention at (614) 644-3469. This permit can be accessed electronically on the DAPCWeb page, www.epa.ohio.gov/dapc, by clicking the "Issued Air Pollution Control Permits" link.

Sincerely,

Michael W. Ahern, Manager
Permit Issuance and Data Management Section, DAPC

Cc: ARAQMD



FINAL

**Division of Air Pollution Control
Permit-to-Install and Operate
for
UNIVERSAL PLATING INC**

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Division of Air Pollution Control
Permit-to-Install and Operate
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Authorization

Facility ID: 1677010293
Application Number(s): A0043789
Permit Number: P0109478
Permit Description: Permit to Install and Operate Renewal for two hard chromium electroplating tanks (P001 and P004)
Permit Type: Renewal
Permit Fee: \$0.00
Issue Date: 3/20/2012
Effective Date: 3/20/2012
Expiration Date: 3/20/2022
Permit Evaluation Report (PER) Annual Date: Jan 1 - Dec 31, Due Feb 15

This document constitutes issuance to:

UNIVERSAL PLATING INC
478 MORGAN AVE
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of a Permit-to-Install and Operate for the emissions unit(s) identified on the following page.

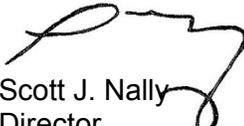
Ohio EPA District Office or local air agency responsible for processing and administering your permit:

Akron Regional Air Quality Management District
146 South High Street, Room 904
Akron, OH 44308
(330)375-2480

The above named entity is hereby granted this Permit-to-Install and Operate for the air contaminant source(s) (emissions unit(s)) listed in this section pursuant to Chapter 3745-31 of the Ohio Administrative Code. 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 described emissions unit(s) will operate in compliance with applicable State and federal laws and regulations.

This permit is granted subject to the conditions attached hereto.

Ohio Environmental Protection Agency


Scott J. Nally
Director



Authorization (continued)

Permit Number: P0109478

Permit Description: Permit to Install and Operate Renewal for two hard chromium electroplating tanks (P001 and P004)

Permits for the following Emissions Unit(s) or groups of Emissions Units are in this document as indicated below:

Group Name: Hard Chrome Electroplating Tanks

Emissions Unit ID:	P001
Company Equipment ID:	Front Tank
Superseded Permit Number:	P0102676
General Permit Category andType:	Not Applicable
Emissions Unit ID:	P004
Company Equipment ID:	Large Tank
Superseded Permit Number:	16-1885
General Permit Category andType:	Not Applicable

A. Standard Terms and Conditions

1. What does this permit-to-install and operate ("PTIO") allow me to do?

This permit allows you to install and operate the emissions unit(s) identified in this PTIO. You must install and operate the unit(s) in accordance with the application you submitted and all the terms and conditions contained in this PTIO, including emission limits and those terms that ensure compliance with the emission limits (for example, operating, recordkeeping and monitoring requirements).

2. Who is responsible for complying with this permit?

The person identified on the "Authorization" page, above, is responsible for complying with this permit until the permit is revoked, terminated, or transferred. "Person" means a person, firm, corporation, association, or partnership. The words "you," "your," or "permittee" refer to the "person" identified on the "Authorization" page above.

The permit applies only to the emissions unit(s) identified in the permit. If you install or modify any other equipment that requires an air permit, you must apply for an additional PTIO(s) for these sources.

3. What records must I keep under this permit?

You must keep all records required by this permit, including monitoring data, test results, strip-chart recordings, calibration data, maintenance records, and any other record required by this permit for five years from the date the record was created. You can keep these records electronically, provided they can be made available to Ohio EPA during an inspection at the facility. Failure to make requested records available to Ohio EPA upon request is a violation of this permit requirement.

4. What are my permit fees and when do I pay them?

There are two fees associated with permitted air contaminant sources in Ohio:

- PTIO fee. This one-time fee is based on a fee schedule in accordance with Ohio Revised Code (ORC) section 3745.11, or based on a time and materials charge for permit application review and permit processing if required by the Director.

You will be sent an invoice for this fee after you receive this PTIO and payment is due within 30 days of the invoice date. You are required to pay the fee for this PTIO even if you do not install or modify your operations as authorized by this permit.

- Annual emissions fee. Ohio EPA will assess a separate fee based on the total annual emissions from your facility. You self-report your emissions in accordance with Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) Chapter 3745-78. This fee assessed is based on a fee schedule in ORC section 3745.11 and funds Ohio EPA's permit compliance oversight activities. Unless otherwise specified, facilities subject to one or more synthetic minor restrictions must use Ohio EPA's "Air Services" to submit annual emissions associated with this permit requirement. Ohio EPA will notify you when it is time to report your emissions and to pay your annual emission fees.

5. When does my PTIO expire, and when do I need to submit my renewal application?

This permit expires on the date identified at the beginning of this permit document (see "Authorization" page above) and you must submit a renewal application to renew the permit. Ohio EPA will send a renewal notice to you approximately six months prior to the expiration date of this permit. However, it is

very important that you submit a complete renewal permit application (postmarked prior to expiration of this permit) even if you do not receive the renewal notice.

If a complete renewal application is submitted before the expiration date, Ohio EPA considers this a timely application for purposes of ORC section 119.06, and you are authorized to continue operating the emissions unit(s) covered by this permit beyond the expiration date of this permit until final action is taken by Ohio EPA on the renewal application.

6. What happens to this permit if my project is delayed or I do not install or modify my source?

This PTIO expires 18 months after the issue date identified on the "Authorization" page above unless otherwise specified if you have not (1) started constructing the new or modified emission sources identified in this permit, or (2) entered into a binding contract to undertake such construction. This deadline can be extended by up to 12 months, provided you apply to Ohio EPA for this extension within a reasonable time before the 18-month period has ended and you can show good cause for any such extension.

7. What reports must I submit under this permit?

An annual permit evaluation report (PER) is required in addition to any malfunction reporting required by OAC rule 3745-15-06 or other specific rule-based reporting requirement identified in this permit. Your PER due date is identified in the Authorization section of this permit.

8. If I am required to obtain a Title V operating permit in the future, what happens to the operating provisions and PER obligations under this permit?

If you are required to obtain a Title V permit under OAC Chapter 3745-77 in the future, the permit-to-operate portion of this permit will be superseded by the issued Title V permit. From the effective date of the Title V permit forward, this PTIO will effectively become a PTI (permit-to-install) in accordance with OAC rule 3745-31-02(B). The following terms and conditions will no longer be applicable after issuance of the Title V permit: Section B, Term 1.b) and Section C, for each emissions unit, Term a)(2).

The PER requirements in this permit remain effective until the date the Title V permit is issued and is effective, and cease to apply after the effective date of the Title V permit. The final PER obligation will cover operations up to the effective date of the Title V permit and must be submitted on or before the submission deadline identified in this permit on the last day prior to the effective date of the Title V permit.

9. What are my obligations when I perform scheduled maintenance on air pollution control equipment?

You must perform scheduled maintenance of air pollution control equipment in accordance with OAC rule 3745-15-06(A). If scheduled maintenance requires shutting down or bypassing any air pollution control equipment, you must also shut down the emissions unit(s) served by the air pollution control equipment during maintenance, unless the conditions of OAC rule 3745-15-06(A)(3) are met. Any emissions that exceed permitted amount(s) under this permit (unless specifically exempted by rule) must be reported as deviations in the annual permit evaluation report (PER), including nonexempt excess emissions that occur during approved scheduled maintenance.

10. Do I have to report malfunctions of emissions units or air pollution control equipment? If so, how must I report?

If you have a reportable malfunction of any emissions unit(s) or any associated air pollution control system, you must report this to the Akron Regional Air Quality Management District in accordance with OAC rule 3745-15-06(B). Malfunctions that must be reported are those that result in emissions that exceed permitted emission levels. It is your responsibility to evaluate control equipment breakdowns and operational upsets to determine if a reportable malfunction has occurred.

If you have a malfunction, but determine that it is not a reportable malfunction under OAC rule 3745-15-06(B), it is recommended that you maintain records associated with control equipment breakdown or process upsets. Although it is not a requirement of this permit, Ohio EPA recommends that you maintain records for non-reportable malfunctions.

11. Can Ohio EPA or my local air agency inspect the facility where the emission unit(s) is/are located?

Yes. Under Ohio law, the Director or his authorized representative may inspect the facility, conduct tests, examine records or reports to determine compliance with air pollution laws and regulations and the terms and conditions of this permit. You must provide, within a reasonable time, any information Ohio EPA requests either verbally or in writing.

12. What happens if one or more emissions units operated under this permit is/are shut down permanently?

Ohio EPA can terminate the permit terms associated with any permanently shut down emissions unit. "Shut down" means the emissions unit has been physically removed from service or has been altered in such a way that it can no longer operate without a subsequent "modification" or "installation" as defined in OAC Chapter 3745-31.

You should notify Ohio EPA of any emissions unit that is permanently shut down by submitting¹ a certification that identifies the date on which the emissions unit was permanently shut down. The certification must be submitted by an authorized official from the facility. You cannot continue to operate an emissions unit once the certification has been submitted to Ohio EPA by the authorized official.

You must comply with all recordkeeping and reporting for any permanently shut down emissions unit in accordance with the provisions of the permit, regulations or laws that were enforceable during the period of operation, such as the requirement to submit a PER, air fee emission report, or malfunction report. You must also keep all records relating to any permanently shutdown emissions unit, generated while the emissions unit was in operation, for at least five years from the date the record was generated.

Again, you cannot resume operation of any emissions unit certified by the authorized official as being permanently shut down without first applying for and obtaining a permit pursuant to OAC Chapter 3745-31.

¹Permittees that use Ohio EPA's "Air Services" can mark the affected emissions unit(s) as "permanently shutdown" in the facility profile along with the date the emissions unit(s) was permanently removed and/or disabled. Submitting the facility profile update will constitute notifying of the permanent shutdown of the affected emissions unit(s).

13. Can I transfer this permit to a new owner or operator?

You can transfer this permit to a new owner or operator. If you transfer the permit, you must follow the procedures in OAC Chapter 3745-31, including notifying Ohio EPA or the local air agency of the change in ownership or operator. Any transferee of this permit must assume the responsibilities of the transferor permit holder.

14. Does compliance with this permit constitute compliance with OAC rule 3745-15-07, "air pollution nuisance"?

This permit and OAC rule 3745-15-07 prohibit operation of the air contaminant source(s) regulated under this permit in a manner that causes a nuisance. Ohio EPA can require additional controls or modification of the requirements of this permit through enforcement orders or judicial enforcement action if, upon investigation, Ohio EPA determines existing operations are causing a nuisance.

15. What happens if a portion of this permit is determined to be invalid?

If a portion of this permit is determined to be invalid, the remainder of the terms and conditions remain valid and enforceable. The exception is where the enforceability of terms and conditions are dependent on the term or condition that was declared invalid.

B. Facility-Wide Terms and Conditions

1. This permit document constitutes a permit-to-install issued in accordance with ORC 3704.03(F) and a permit-to-operate issued in accordance with ORC 3704.03(G).
 - a) For the purpose of a permit-to-install document, the facility-wide terms and conditions identified below are federally enforceable with the exception of those listed below which are enforceable under state law only.
 - (1) None.
 - b) For the purpose of a permit-to-operate document, the facility-wide terms and conditions identified below are enforceable under state law only with the exception of those listed below which are federally enforceable.
 - (1) None.

C. Emissions Unit Terms and Conditions

1. Emissions Unit Group -Hard Chrome Electroplating Tanks: P001,P004,

EU ID	Operations, Property and/or Equipment Description
P001	Hard Chromium Electroplating Tank - Front Tank
P004	Hard Chromium Electroplating Tank - Large Tank

- a) This permit document constitutes a permit-to-install issued in accordance with ORC 3704.03(F) and a permit-to-operate issued in accordance with ORC 3704.03(G).
- (1) For the purpose of a permit-to-install document, the emissions unit terms and conditions identified below are federally enforceable with the exception of those listed below which are enforceable under state law only.
- a. None.
- (2) For the purpose of a permit-to-operate document, the emissions unit terms and conditions identified below are enforceable under state law only with the exception of those listed below which are federally enforceable.
- a. None.
- b) Applicable Emissions Limitations and/or Control Requirements
- (1) The specific operation(s), property, and/or equipment that constitute each emissions unit along with the applicable rules and/or requirements and with the applicable emissions limitations and/or control measures are identified below. Emissions from each unit shall not exceed the listed limitations, and the listed control measures shall be specified in narrative form following the table.

	Applicable Rules/Requirements	Applicable Emissions Limitations/Control Measures
a.	OAC rule 3745-31-05(A)(3)	The particulate emissions (PE) from emissions unit P004 shall not exceed 0.3 pound per hour and 1.3 tons per year.
b.	OAC rule 3745-17-07(A)	For emissions units P001 and P004: Visible PE from any stack shall not exceed 20% opacity, as a 6 minute average, except as provided by rule.
c.	OAC rule 3745-17-11	The PE from emissions unit P001 shall not exceed 2.58 pounds per hour. For emissions unit P004, the emissions limit based on this applicable rule is less stringent than the limit established by best available technology under OAC rule 3745-31-05(A)(3).
d.	40 CFR Part 63, Subpart N	For emissions units P001 and P004: The permittee shall not allow the concentration of total chromium in the

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		<p>exhaust gas stream discharged to the atmosphere to exceed 0.015 milligrams of total chromium per dry standard cubic meter (mg/dscm) of ventilation air (6.6×10^{-6} grain per dry standard cubic foot [gr/dscf]).</p> <p>This limitation also applies during startup and shutdown operations, but not during periods of malfunction where work practice standards address and correct any malfunction event.</p>

(2) Additional Terms and Conditions

a. None.

c) Operational Restrictions

(1) The permittee shall implement the following operational, maintenance, and work practices standards for the chromium electroplating and anodizing tanks:

- a. At all times, including periods of startup, shutdown, and malfunction, the permittee shall operate and maintain the chromium electroplating or anodizing tanks, including the associated air pollution control device(s) and monitoring equipment, in a manner consistent with the operation and maintenance plan required by these terms and conditions.
- b. Malfunctions shall be corrected as soon as practicable after their occurrence in accordance with the operation and maintenance plan.
- c. Determination of whether acceptable operation and maintenance procedures are being used shall be based on the facility records, which shall be made available to the regulating agency (appropriate Ohio EPA District Office or local air agency) upon request, and which may include, but not be limited to: monitoring results; review of the operation and maintenance plan, procedures, and records; and inspection of the emissions units listed above. Based on this information, the regulating agency may require that the permittee make changes to the operation and maintenance plan if that plan:
 - i. does not address a malfunction that has occurred;
 - ii. fails to provide for the operation of the emissions units listed above, the air pollution control techniques, or the control system(s) and process monitoring equipment during a malfunction in a manner consistent with good air pollution practices; or

- iii. does not provide adequate procedures for correcting malfunctioning process equipment, air pollution control equipment, or monitoring equipment as quickly as practicable.
 - d. The standards and limitations that apply to chromic acid baths shall not be met by using a reducing agent to change the form of chromium from hexavalent to trivalent.
- (2) The permittee shall prepare an operation and maintenance plan to be implemented no later than January 25, 1997. The plan shall include the following elements:
- a. The plan shall specify the operation and maintenance criteria for the emissions units listed above, the add-on air pollution control device, and the process and control system monitoring equipment, and shall include a standardized checklist to document the operation and maintenance of the equipment.
 - b. The plan shall incorporate the work practice standards for the add-on air pollution control device and monitoring equipment required to demonstrate compliance with the standard.
 - c. The plan shall specify procedures to be followed to ensure that equipment or process malfunctions due to poor maintenance or other preventable conditions do not occur.
 - d. The plan shall include a systematic procedure for identifying malfunctions of process equipment, add-on air pollution control device(s), and process and control system monitoring equipment, and for implementing corrective actions to address any malfunctions.
 - e. If the operation and maintenance plan fails to address or inadequately addresses an event that meets the characteristics of a malfunction at the time the plan is initially developed, the permittee shall revise the operation and maintenance plan within 45 days after such an event occurs. The revised plan shall include procedures for operating and maintaining the process equipment, add-on air pollution control device(s), or monitoring equipment during similar malfunction events, and a program for corrective action for such events.
 - f. If actions taken by the permittee during periods of malfunction are inconsistent with the procedures specified in the operation and maintenance plan, the permittee shall record the actions taken for that event and shall report such actions by phone to the regulating agency within 2 working days following the actions performed inconsistent with the plan. This verbal report shall be followed by a letter within 7 working days following the event, unless the permittee makes alternative reporting arrangements, in advance, with the regulating agency.
 - g. The permittee shall maintain the written operation and maintenance plan on record at the facility; and it shall be made readily available for inspection, at the request of the regulating agency and for the life of the emissions units listed above. If the operation and maintenance plan is revised, the permittee shall maintain previous versions of the plan at the facility for a period of five years

- c. records of the occurrence, duration, and cause (if known) of each malfunction of process, add-on air pollution control device, and monitoring equipment;
- d. records of actions taken during periods of malfunction when such actions are inconsistent with the operation and maintenance plan;
- e. other records, which may take the form of checklists, necessary to demonstrate consistency with the provisions of the operation and maintenance plan;
- f. test reports documenting results of all performance tests;
- g. all measurements as may be necessary to determine the conditions of performance tests;
- h. records of monitoring data that are used to demonstrate compliance with the standard including the date and time the data are collected;
- i. the specific identification (i.e., the date and time of commencement and completion) of each period of excess emissions, as indicated by monitoring data, that occurs during malfunction of the process, add-on air pollution control device, or monitoring equipment;
- j. the specific identification (i.e., the date and time of commencement and completion) of each period of excess emissions, as indicated by monitoring data, that occurs during periods other than malfunction of the process, add-on air pollution control device, or monitoring equipment;
- k. the total process operating time of each emissions units listed above during the reporting period; and
- l. all documentation supporting the notifications and reports as outlined in the "Reporting Requirements" section of this permit and §63.9 and §63.10 of 40 CFR Part 63, subpart A.

All records shall be maintained for a period of five years.

- (2) The permittee shall perform the following monitoring and record keeping requirements in order to demonstrate compliance through the use of the composite mesh-pad system(s):
- a. During the initial performance test, the permittee shall determine the outlet chromium concentration using the methods described in the "Testing Requirements" section of this permit. The pressure drop across the composite mesh-pad system shall be established as a site-specific operating parameter, setting the value that corresponds to compliance with the applicable emission limitation, as established during performance testing.
 - b. The permittee may conduct multiple performance tests to establish a range of compliant pressure drop values; or may set, as the compliance value, the average pressure drop measured over the three test runs of one performance test and accept ± 2 inches of water column from this value as the compliant range.

- c. On and after the date on which the initial performance test is required to be completed under §63.7 of 40 CFR Part 63, Subpart A, the permittee shall monitor and record the pressure drop across the composite mesh-pad system(s) once each day that the emissions unit(s) is/are in operation. To be in compliance, the composite mesh-pad system(s) shall be operated within ± 2 inches of water column of the pressure drop value established during compliance performance testing, or shall be operated within the range of compliant values for pressure drop established during multiple performance tests.
 - d. The permittee may repeat the performance test and establish as a new site-specific operating parameter the pressure drop across the composite mesh-pad system according to the requirements in paragraphs d)(2)a. through d)(2)c. above. To establish a new site-specific operating parameter for pressure drop, the permittee shall satisfy the requirements specified below:
 - i. determine the outlet chromium concentration using the test methods and procedures in "Testing Requirements" section of this permit;
 - ii. establish the site-specific operating parameter value using the procedures f)(2) below;
 - iii. satisfy the record keeping requirements in section d)(1)f. through d)(1)h. above; and
 - iv. satisfy the reporting requirements of submitting a Notification of Performance Test and Notification of Compliance Status as required in the "Reporting Requirements" section of this permit.
 - e. The requirement to operate a composite mesh-pad system(s) within the range of pressure drop values established under d)(2)a. through d)(2)d. above does not apply during automatic washdown cycles of the composite mesh-pad system(s).
- e) Reporting Requirements
- (1) The permittee shall submit a "Notification of Performance Test" to the appropriate regulating agency at least 60 calendar days before the performance test is scheduled. In the event that the permittee is unable to conduct the performance test as scheduled, the provisions of §63.7(b)(2) of 40 CFR Part 63, subpart A shall apply to the emissions units listed above.
 - (2) The permittee shall report, to the appropriate regulating agency, the results of any performance test conducted within 30 days of completion of such test. Reports of performance test results shall also be submitted in the notification of compliance status report, no later than 90 days following the completion of the performance test.
 - (3) The permittee shall submit a Notification of Compliance Status to the appropriate regulating agency, signed by the responsible official who shall certify its accuracy, attesting to whether the affected emissions unit(s) is/are in compliance. The notification shall include the following information for each affected emissions unit:

- a. the applicable emission limitations and the methods that were used to determine compliance with this limitation;
 - b. the test report, documenting the results of the performance test and including the following elements:
 - i. a brief description of the process;
 - ii. the description of the sampling location;
 - iii. the description of sampling and analytical procedures and any modifications to the standard procedures;
 - iv. the test results;
 - v. quality assurance procedures and results;
 - vi. records of operating conditions during the test, preparation of standards, and calibration procedures;
 - vii. raw data sheets for field sampling and field and laboratory analyses;
 - viii. documentation of calculations; and
 - ix. any other information required by the test method;
 - c. for each monitored parameter for which a compliant value was established, the specific operating parameter value, or range of values, that corresponds to compliance with the applicable emission limit;
 - d. the methods that shall be used to determine continuous compliance;
 - e. a description of the air pollution control method(s) used for each emission point;
 - f. a statement that the permittee has completed and has on file the operation and maintenance plan as required by the work practice standards; and
 - g. a statement by the permittee as to whether the emissions unit is in compliance.
- (4) The permittee, qualifying as an area source, shall prepare an annual "Summary Report" ("Ongoing Compliance Status Report") to document ongoing compliance. The "Summary Report" shall be maintained onsite and made available to the regulating agency (appropriate Ohio EPA Division of Air Pollution Control, District Office or local air agency) upon request. This report shall include the following:
- a. the company name and address of the emissions units listed above;
 - b. a description of the source(s), type of process performed, and the air pollution control method and monitoring device(s) that is/are/shall be used to demonstrate continuous compliance;

- c. an identification of the operating parameter(s) that is/are/shall be monitored for compliance determination;
 - d. the relevant emission limitation for the emissions units listed above, and the operating parameter value(s), or range of values, established during compliance testing and reported in the Notification of Compliance;
 - e. the beginning and ending dates of the reporting period;
 - f. the total operating time of the emissions units listed above during the reporting period;
 - g. a summary of operating parameter values, including the total duration of excess emissions during the reporting period as indicated by those values, the total duration of excess emissions expressed as a percent of the total emissions unit operating time during that reporting period; and a breakdown of the total duration of excess emissions during the reporting period into those that are due to process upsets, control equipment malfunctions, other known causes, and unknown causes;
 - h. a certification by a responsible official that the work practice standards in this permit were followed in accordance with the operation and maintenance plan for the emissions units listed above;
 - i. if the operation and maintenance plan required by this permit was not followed, an explanation of the reasons for not following the provisions, an assessment of whether any excess emission and/or parameter monitoring exceedances are believed to have occurred, and a copy of the reports required by the work practices in this permit documenting that the operation and maintenance plan was not followed;
 - j. a description of any changes in monitoring, processes, or controls since the last reporting period;
 - k. the date of the report;
 - l. the name, title, and signature of the responsible official who is certifying the accuracy of the report; and
 - m. the report shall be completed annually and retained on site, and made available to the regulating agency upon request.
- (5) If both of the following conditions are met, the permittee shall prepare and submit semiannual compliance status reports to the regulating agency:
- a. the total duration of excess emissions is one percent or greater of the total operating time for the reporting period; and
 - b. the total duration of malfunctions of the add-on air pollution control device(s) and/or monitoring equipment is 5 percent or greater of the total operating time.

Once the permittee reports an exceedance or malfunction, "Summary Reports" shall be submitted semiannually until a request to reduce reporting frequency is approved.

- (6) The regulating agency may determine, on a case-by-case basis, if the "Summary Report" shall be completed more frequently than annually and submitted, or that the "Summary Report" shall be submitted instead of being retained on site, if these measures are necessary to accurately assess the compliance status of the emissions units listed above.
- (7) The permittee who is required to submit "Summary Report" on a semiannual (or more frequent) basis, or is required to submit its annual report instead of retaining it on site, may reduce the frequency of reporting to annual (or semi-annual if quarterly) and/or may be permitted to maintain the report on site, rather than submit an annual or semi-annual report, if all of the following conditions are met:
 - a. for 1 full year (e.g., 2 semiannual or 4 quarterly reporting periods), the ongoing compliance status reports demonstrate that the affected emissions unit(s) is/are in compliance with the relevant emission limit;
 - b. the permittee continues to comply with all applicable record keeping and monitoring requirements of 40 CFR Part 63, subpart A and this permit; and
 - c. the regulating agency does not object to a reduced reporting frequency.

The frequency of submitting "Summary Report" may be reduced only after the permittee notifies the regulating agency in writing of his or her intention to make such a change, and the regulating agency does not object to the intended change. In deciding whether to approve a reduced reporting frequency or to allow the report to be retained on site, the regulating agency may request to review information concerning the facility's previous performance history during the 5-year record keeping period prior to the intended change in reporting frequency, or the record keeping period since the emissions unit's compliance date, whichever is shorter. Records subject to review include performance test results, monitoring data, and evaluations of the permittee's conformance with emission limitations and work practice standards. Such information may be used by the regulating agency to make a judgement about the source's potential for noncompliance in the future. If the permittee's request is disapproved, the regulating agency will notify the permittee in writing within 45 days after receiving notice. This notification will specify the grounds on which the disapproval is based. In the absence of a notice of disapproval within 45 days, approval is automatically granted.

As soon as the monitoring data show that the facility is not in compliance with the relevant emission limit, the frequency of reporting shall revert to semiannually, and the permittee shall state this exceedance in the "Summary Report" ("Ongoing Compliance Status Report") for the next reporting period. After demonstrating ongoing compliance with the relevant emission limit for another full year, the permittee may again request approval to reduce the reporting frequency.

f) Testing Requirements

- (1) The permittee shall conduct, or have conducted, emission testing for the emissions units listed above in accordance with the following requirements, in order to demonstrate compliance with the chromium emission limitation contained in this permit:
 - a. The emission testing shall be conducted within 6 months of permit expiration.
 - b. One of the following test methods shall be employed to demonstrate compliance:
 - i. Method 306 or Method 306A, "Determination of Chromium Emissions From Decorative and Hard Chromium Electroplating and Anodizing Operations" shall be used to determine the chromium concentration from the electroplating or anodizing tank.
 - (a) The sampling time and sample volume for each run of Methods 306 and 306A shall be at least 120 minutes and 1.7 dscm (60 dscf), respectively.
 - (b) Methods 306 and 306A allow the measurement of either total chromium or hexavalent chromium emissions. Emissions units using chromic acid baths can demonstrate compliance with the emission limits by measuring either the total chromium or hexavalent chromium concentration. Hence, the hexavalent chromium concentration measured by these methods is equal to the total chromium concentration for the affected operations.
 - ii. The California Air Resources Board (CARB) Method 425 shall be used to determine the chromium concentration from the electroplating or anodizing tank if the following conditions are met:
 - (a) If a colorimetric analysis method is used, the sampling time and volume shall be sufficient to result in 33-66 micrograms of catch in the sampling train.
 - (b) If an Atomic Absorption Graphite Furnace (AAGF) or Ion Chromatography (with a Post-column Reactor (ICPCR) analyses) is used, the sampling time and volume should be sufficient to result in a sample catch that is 5 to 10 times the minimum detection limit of the analytical method (i.e., 1.0 microgram per liter of sample for AAGF and 0.5 microgram per liter of sample for ICPCR).
 - c. A minimum of three separate runs of the test method must be conducted in order to demonstrate compliance. All applicable requirements of §63.7 of 40 CFR Part 63, Subpart A must also be met.
 - d. Not later than 60 days prior to the proposed test date(s), the permittee shall submit an "Intent to Test" notification to the Ohio EPA regulating agency. The "Intent to Test" notification shall describe in detail the proposed test methods and

procedures, the emissions units listed above operating parameters, the time(s) and date(s) of the test(s), and the person(s) who will be conducting the test(s). Failure to submit such notification for review and approval prior to the test(s) may result in the Ohio EPA's refusal to accept the results of the emission test(s).

- e. Personnel from the regulating agency shall be permitted to witness the test(s), examine the testing equipment, and acquire data and information necessary to ensure that the operation of the emissions units listed above and the testing procedures provide a valid characterization of the emissions from the emissions unit and/or the performance of the control equipment.
 - f. A comprehensive written report on the results of the emission test(s) shall be signed by the person or persons responsible for the tests and submitted to the regulating agency within 30 days following completion of the test(s). The permittee may request additional time for the submittal of the written report, where warranted, with prior approval from the regulating agency.
- (2) The permittee shall measure the pressure drop across the add-on air pollution control device in accordance with the following guidelines:
- a. Specifications for differential pressure measurement devices used to measure pressure drop across a control system shall be in accordance with the manufacturer's accuracy specifications.
 - b. Pressure taps shall be installed at any of the following locations:
 - i. at the inlet and outlet of the control system (the inlet tap should be installed in the ductwork just prior to the control device and the corresponding outlet pressure tap should be installed on the outlet side of the control device prior to the blower or on the downstream side of the blower);
 - ii. on each side of the packed bed within the control system or on each side of each mesh pad within the control system; and
 - iii. on the front side of the first mesh pad and back side of the last mesh pad within the control system.
 - c. Pressure taps shall be sited at locations that are:
 - i. free from pluggage as possible and away from any flow disturbances such as cyclonic demisters; and
 - ii. situated such that no air infiltration at the measurement site will occur that could bias the measurement;
 - d. pressure taps shall be constructed of either polyethylene, polybutylene, or other nonreactive materials;
 - e. nonreactive plastic tubing shall be used to connect the pressure taps to the device used to measure pressure drop;

- f. any of the following pressure gauges may be used to monitor pressure drop: a magnehelic gauge, an inclined manometer, or a "U" tube manometer;
 - g. prior to connecting any pressure lines to the pressure gauge(s), each gauge shall be zeroed. No calibration of the pressure gauges is required; and
 - h. All monitoring equipment shall be installed such that representative measurements of emissions or process parameters from the affected emissions unit are obtained. Verification of the operational status of the monitoring equipment shall include execution of the manufacturer's written accuracy specifications or recommendations for installation, operation, and calibration of the system(s).
- (3) Compliance with the Emissions Limitations and/or Control Requirements specified in section b) of these terms and conditions shall be determined in accordance with the following methods:
- a. Emission Limitation:

The permittee shall not allow the concentration of total chromium in the exhaust gas stream discharged to the atmosphere to exceed 0.015mg/dscm of ventilation air (6.6×10^{-6} gr/dscf).

Applicable Compliance Methods

Compliance with the allowable total chromium emission limitation above shall be determined using the test methods and procedures as described in f)(1) above.
 - b. Emission Limitation:

The PE from emissions unit P001 shall not exceed 2.58 pounds per hour.

The PE from emissions unit P004 shall not exceed 0.3 pound per hour.

Applicable Compliance Method:

Compliance the hourly allowable PE limitations above shall be demonstrated by multiplying the AP-42 PE factor of 8.0×10^{-6} grain of PE per dry standard cubic foot (dscf) of ventilation air* by the maximum dscf of ventilation air per minute, then multiply by 60 minutes per hour, and then divide by 7000 grains per pound.

If required, compliance with the hourly allowable PE limitation above shall be determined in accordance with the test method and procedures specified in U.S. EPA Methods 1-5 of 40 CFR Part 60, Appendix A.

*AP-42 Table 12.20-1 dated July 1996.
 - c. Emission Limitation
- For emissions units P001 and P004: Visible PE from any stack shall not exceed 20% opacity, as a 6 minute average, except as provided by rule.

Applicable Compliance Method:

If required, compliance with the allowable visible PE limitation above shall be determined through visible emissions observations performed in accordance with U.S. EPA Method 9 of 40 CFR Part 60, Appendix A.

d. Emission Limitation:

The PE from emissions unit P004 shall not exceed 1.3 tons per year.

Applicable Compliance Method:

The annual allowable PE limitation above was determined by multiplying the hourly allowable PE limitation by 8760 hours per year, and then dividing by 2000 pounds per ton. Therefore, as long as compliance with the hourly allowable emission limitation is maintained, compliance with the annual allowable emission limitation shall be assumed.

g) Miscellaneous Requirements

(1) None.