



COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION
AIR QUALITY PROGRAM

STATE ONLY SYNTHETIC MINOR OPERATING PERMIT

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In accordance with the provisions of the Air Pollution Control Act, the Act of January 8, 1960, P.L. 2119, as amended, and 25 Pa. Code Chapter 127, the Owner, [and Operator if noted] (hereinafter referred to as permittee) identified below is authorized by the Department of Environmental Protection (Department) to operate the air emission source(s) more fully described in this permit. This Facility is subject to all terms and conditions specified in this permit. Nothing in this permit relieves the permittee from its obligations to comply with all applicable Federal, State and Local laws and regulations.

The regulatory or statutory authority for each permit condition is set forth in brackets. All terms and conditions in this permit are federally enforceable unless otherwise designated.

State Only Permit No: 06-05016

Synthetic Minor

Federal Tax Id - Plant Code: 23-2609807-1

Owner Information

Name: GRAFIKA COMMERCIAL PRINTING INC

Mailing Address: 710 JOHNSTON ST

SINKING SPRING, PA 19608-1437

Plant Information

Plant: GRAFIKA COMMERCIAL PRINTING/SINKING SPRING

Location: 06 Berks County

06959 Sinking Spring Borough

SIC Code: 2741 Manufacturing - Miscellaneous Publishing

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Words and terms that are not otherwise defined in this permit shall have the meanings set forth in Section 3 of the Air Pollution Control Act (35 P.S. § 4003) and in 25 Pa. Code § 121.1.

#002 [25 Pa. Code § 127.446]**Operating Permit Duration.**

- (a) This operating permit is issued for a fixed term of five (5) years and shall expire on the date specified on Page 1 of this permit.
- (b) The terms and conditions of the expired permit shall automatically continue pending issuance of a new operating permit, provided the permittee has submitted a timely and complete application and paid applicable fees required under 25 Pa. Code Chapter 127, Subchapter I and the Department is unable, through no fault of the permittee, to issue or deny a new permit before the expiration of the previous permit.

#003 [25 Pa. Code §§ 127.412, 127.413, 127.414, 127.446 & 127.703(b)]**Permit Renewal.**

- (a) The permittee shall submit a timely and complete application for renewal of the operating permit to the appropriate Regional Air Program Manager. The application for renewal of the operating permit shall be submitted at least six (6) months and not more than 18 months before the expiration date of this permit.
- (b) The application for permit renewal shall include the current permit number, a description of any permit revisions that occurred during the permit term, and any applicable requirements that were promulgated and not incorporated into the permit during the permit term. An application is complete if it contains sufficient information to begin processing the application, has the applicable sections completed and has been signed by a responsible official.
- (c) The permittee shall submit with the renewal application a fee for the processing of the application as specified in 25 Pa. Code § 127.703(b). The fees shall be made payable to "The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania Clean Air Fund" and submitted with the fee form to the respective regional office.
- (d) The renewal application shall also include submission of proof that the local municipality and county, in which the facility is located, have been notified in accordance with 25 Pa. Code § 127.413.
- (e) The application for renewal of the operating permit shall also include submission of supplemental compliance review forms in accordance with the requirements of 25 Pa. Code § 127.412(b) and § 127.412(j).
- (f) The permittee, upon becoming aware that any relevant facts were omitted or incorrect information was submitted in the permit application, shall promptly submit such supplementary facts or corrected information as necessary to address any requirements that become applicable to the source after the permittee submits a complete application, but prior to the date the Department takes action on the permit application.

#004 [25 Pa. Code § 127.703]**Operating Permit Fees under Subchapter I.**

- (a) The permittee shall pay the annual operating permit maintenance fee according to the following fee schedule in either paragraph (1) or (2) in accordance with 25 Pa. Code § 127.703(d) on or before December 31 of each year for the next calendar year.
 - (1) For a synthetic minor facility, a fee equal to:
 - (i) Four thousand dollars (\$4,000) for calendar years 2021—2025.
 - (ii) Five thousand dollars (\$5,000) for calendar years 2026—2030.
 - (iii) Six thousand three hundred dollars (\$6,300) for the calendar years beginning with 2031.

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(2) For a facility that is not a synthetic minor, a fee equal to:

- (i) Two thousand dollars (\$2,000) for calendar years 2021—2025.
- (ii) Two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500) for calendar years 2026—2030.
- (iii) Three thousand one hundred dollars (\$3,100) for the calendar years beginning with 2031.

(b) The applicable fees shall be made payable to "The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania Clean Air Fund" with the permit number clearly indicated and submitted to the respective regional office.

#005 [25 Pa. Code §§ 127.450 (a)(4) and 127.464]**Transfer of Operating Permits.**

(a) This operating permit may not be transferred to another person, except in cases of transfer-of-ownership that are documented and approved by the Department.

(b) In accordance with 25 Pa. Code § 127.450(a)(4), a change in ownership of the source shall be treated as an administrative amendment if the Department determines that no other change in the permit is required and a written agreement has been submitted to the Department identifying the specific date of the transfer of permit responsibility, coverage and liability between the current and the new permittee and a compliance review form has been submitted to, and the permit transfer has been approved by, the Department.

(c) This operating permit is valid only for those specific sources and the specific source locations described in this permit.

#006 [25 Pa. Code § 127.441 and 35 P.S. § 4008]**Inspection and Entry.**

(a) Upon presentation of credentials and other documents as may be required by law, the permittee shall allow the Department or authorized representatives of the Department to perform the following:

(1) Enter at reasonable times upon the permittee's premises where a source is located or emissions related activity is conducted, or where records are kept under the conditions of this permit;

(2) Have access to and copy, at reasonable times, any records that are kept under the conditions of this permit;

(3) Inspect at reasonable times, any facilities, equipment including monitoring and air pollution control equipment, practices, or operations regulated or required under this permit;

(4) Sample or monitor, at reasonable times, any substances or parameters, for the purpose of assuring compliance with the permit or applicable requirements as authorized by the Clean Air Act, the Air Pollution Control Act, or the regulations promulgated under the Acts.

(b) Pursuant to 35 P.S. § 4008, no person shall hinder, obstruct, prevent or interfere with the Department or its personnel in the performance of any duty authorized under the Air Pollution Control Act or regulations adopted thereunder including denying the Department access to a source at this facility. Refusal of entry or access may constitute grounds for permit revocation and assessment of criminal and/or civil penalties.

(c) Nothing in this permit condition shall limit the ability of the EPA to inspect or enter the premises of the permittee in accordance with Section 114 or other applicable provisions of the Clean Air Act.

#007 [25 Pa. Code §§ 127.441 & 127.444]**Compliance Requirements.**

(a) The permittee shall comply with the conditions of this operating permit. Noncompliance with this permit constitutes a violation of the Clean Air Act and the Air Pollution Control Act and is grounds for one or more of the following:

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- (1) Enforcement action
- (2) Permit termination, revocation and reissuance or modification
- (3) Denial of a permit renewal application

(b) A person may not cause or permit the operation of a source which is subject to 25 Pa. Code Article III unless the source(s) and air cleaning devices identified in the application for the plan approval and operating permit and the plan approval issued for the source is operated and maintained in accordance with specifications in the applications and the conditions in the plan approval and operating permit issued by the Department. A person may not cause or permit the operation of an air contamination source subject to 25 Pa. Code Chapter 127 in a manner inconsistent with good operating practices.

(c) For purposes of Sub-condition (b) of this permit condition, the specifications in applications for plan approvals and operating permits are the physical configurations and engineering design details which the Department determines are essential for the permittee's compliance with the applicable requirements in this State-Only permit. Nothing in this sub-condition shall be construed to create an independent affirmative duty upon the permittee to obtain a predetermination from the Department for physical configuration or engineering design detail changes made by the permittee.

#008 [25 Pa. Code § 127.441]**Need to Halt or Reduce Activity Not a Defense.**

It shall not be a defense for the permittee in an enforcement action that it was necessary to halt or reduce the permitted activity in order to maintain compliance with the conditions of this permit.

#009 [25 Pa. Code §§ 127.442(a) & 127.461]**Duty to Provide Information.**

(a) The permittee shall submit reports to the Department containing information the Department may prescribe relative to the operation and maintenance of each source at the facility.

(b) The permittee shall furnish to the Department, in writing, information that the Department may request to determine whether cause exists for modifying, revoking and reissuing, or terminating this permit, or to determine compliance with the permit. Upon request, the permittee shall also furnish to the Department copies of records that the permittee is required to maintain in accordance with this permit.

#010 [25 Pa. Code § 127.461]**Revising an Operating Permit for Cause.**

This operating permit may be terminated, modified, suspended or revoked and reissued if one or more of the following applies:

- (1) The permittee constructs or operates the source subject to the operating permit so that it is in violation of the Air Pollution Control Act, the Clean Air Act, the regulations thereunder, a plan approval, a permit or in a manner that causes air pollution.
- (2) The permittee fails to properly or adequately maintain or repair an air pollution control device or equipment attached to or otherwise made a part of the source.
- (3) The permittee has failed to submit a report required by the operating permit or an applicable regulation.
- (4) The EPA determines that the permit is not in compliance with the Clean Air Act or the regulations thereunder.

#011 [25 Pa. Code §§ 127.450, 127.462, 127.465 & 127.703]**Operating Permit Modifications**

(a) The permittee is authorized to make administrative amendments, minor operating permit modifications and significant operating permit modifications, under this permit, as outlined below:

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(b) Administrative Amendments. The permittee shall submit the application for administrative operating permit amendments (as defined in 25 Pa. Code § 127.450(a)), according to procedures specified in § 127.450 unless precluded by the Clean Air Act or its regulations.

(c) Minor Operating Permit Modifications. The permittee shall submit the application for minor operating permit modifications (as defined 25 Pa. Code § 121.1) in accordance with 25 Pa. Code § 127.462.

(d) Significant Operating Permit Modifications. The permittee shall submit the application for significant operating permit modifications in accordance with 25 Pa. Code § 127.465.

(e) The applicable fees shall be made payable to "The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania Clean Air Fund" with the permit number clearly indicated and submitted to the respective regional office.

#012 [25 Pa. Code § 127.441]**Severability Clause.**

The provisions of this permit are severable, and if any provision of this permit is determined by a court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid or unenforceable, such a determination will not affect the remaining provisions of this permit.

#013 [25 Pa. Code § 127.449]**De Minimis Emission Increases.**

(a) This permit authorizes de minimis emission increases in accordance with 25 Pa. Code § 127.449 so long as the permittee provides the Department with seven (7) days prior written notice before commencing any de minimis emissions increase. The written notice shall:

(1) Identify and describe the pollutants that will be emitted as a result of the de minimis emissions increase.

(2) Provide emission rates expressed in tons per year and in terms necessary to establish compliance consistent with any applicable requirement.

(b) The Department may disapprove or condition de minimis emission increases at any time.

(c) Except as provided below in (d), the permittee is authorized to make de minimis emission increases (expressed in tons per year) up to the following amounts without the need for a plan approval or prior issuance of a permit modification:

(1) Four tons of carbon monoxide from a single source during the term of the permit and 20 tons of carbon monoxide at the facility during the term of the permit.

(2) One ton of NO_x from a single source during the term of the permit and 5 tons of NO_x at the facility during the term of the permit.

(3) One and six-tenths tons of the oxides of sulfur from a single source during the term of the permit and 8.0 tons of oxides of sulfur at the facility during the term of the permit.

(4) Six-tenths of a ton of PM₁₀ from a single source during the term of the permit and 3.0 tons of PM₁₀ at the facility during the term of the permit. This shall include emissions of a pollutant regulated under Section 112 of the Clean Air Act unless precluded by the Clean Air Act, the regulations thereunder or 25 Pa. Code Article III.

(5) One ton of VOCs from a single source during the term of the permit and 5.0 tons of VOCs at the facility during the term of the permit. This shall include emissions of a pollutant regulated under Section 112 of the Clean Air Act unless precluded by the Clean Air Act, the regulations thereunder or 25 Pa. Code Article III.

(6) Other sources and classes of sources determined to be of minor significance by the Department.

(d) In accordance with § 127.14, the permittee is authorized to install the following minor sources without the need for a plan approval or permit modification:

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- (1) Air conditioning or ventilation systems not designed to remove pollutants generated or released from other sources.
 - (2) Combustion units rated at 2,500,000 or less Btu per hour of heat input.
 - (3) Combustion units with a rated capacity of less than 10,000,000 Btu per hour heat input fueled by natural gas supplied by a public utility or by commercial fuel oils which are No. 2 or lighter, viscosity less than or equal to 5.82 c St, and which meet the sulfur content requirements of 25 Pa. Code §123.22 (relating to combustion units). For purposes of this permit, commercial fuel oil shall be virgin oil which has no reprocessed, recycled or waste material added.
 - (4) Space heaters which heat by direct heat transfer.
 - (5) Laboratory equipment used exclusively for chemical or physical analysis.
 - (6) Other sources and classes of sources determined to be of minor significance by the Department.
- (e) This permit does not authorize de minimis emission increases if the emissions increase would cause one or more of the following:
- (1) Increase the emissions of a pollutant regulated under Section 112 of the Clean Air Act except as authorized in Subparagraphs (c)(4) and (5) of this permit condition.
 - (2) Subject the facility to the prevention of significant deterioration requirements in 25 Pa. Code Chapter 127, Subchapter D and/or the new source review requirements in Subchapter E.
 - (3) Violate any applicable requirement of this permit, the Air Pollution Control Act, the Clean Air Act, or the regulations promulgated under either of the acts.
- (f) Emissions authorized under this permit condition shall be included in the monitoring, recordkeeping and reporting requirements of this permit.
- (g) Except for de minimis emission increases, installation of minor sources made pursuant to this permit condition and Plan Approval Exemptions under 25 Pa. Code § 127.14 (relating to exemptions), the permittee is prohibited from making changes or engaging in activities that are not specifically authorized under this permit without first applying for a plan approval. In accordance with § 127.14(b), a plan approval is not required for the construction, modification, reactivation, or installation of the sources creating the de minimis emissions increase.
- (h) The permittee may not meet de minimis emission threshold levels by offsetting emission increases or decreases at the same source.

#014 [25 Pa. Code § 127.3]**Operational Flexibility.**

The permittee is authorized to make changes within the facility in accordance with the regulatory provisions outlined in 25 Pa. Code § 127.3 (relating to operational flexibility) to implement the operational flexibility requirements provisions authorized under Section 6.1(i) of the Air Pollution Control Act and the operational flexibility terms and conditions of this permit. The provisions in 25 Pa. Code Chapter 127 which implement the operational flexibility requirements include the following:

- (1) Section 127.14 (relating to exemptions)
- (2) Section 127.447 (relating to alternative operating scenarios)
- (3) Section 127.448 (relating to emissions trading at facilities with Federally enforceable emissions caps)
- (4) Section 127.449 (relating to de minimis emission increases)
- (5) Section 127.450 (relating to administrative operating permit amendments)

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(6) Section 127.462 (relating to minor operating permit modifications)

(7) Subchapter H (relating to general plan approvals and general operating permits)

#015 [25 Pa. Code § 127.11a]**Reactivation of Sources**

(a) The permittee may not reactivate a source that has been out of operation or production for at least one year unless the reactivation is conducted in accordance with a plan approval granted by the Department or in accordance with reactivation and maintenance plans developed and approved by the Department in accordance with 25 Pa. Code § 127.11a(a).

(b) A source which has been out of operation or production for more than five (5) years but less than 10 years may be reactivated and will not be considered a new source if the permittee satisfies the conditions specified in 25 Pa. Code § 127.11a(b).

#016 [25 Pa. Code § 127.36]**Health Risk-based Emission Standards and Operating Practice Requirements.**

(a) When needed to protect public health, welfare and the environment from emissions of hazardous air pollutants from new and existing sources, the permittee shall comply with the health risk-based emission standards or operating practice requirements imposed by the Department, except as precluded by §§ 6.6(d)(2) and (3) of the Air Pollution Control Act [35 P.S. § 4006.6(d)(2) and (3)].

(b) A person challenging a performance or emission standard established by the Department has the burden to demonstrate that performance or emission standard does not meet the requirements of Section 112 of the Clean Air Act.

#017 [25 Pa. Code § 121.9]**Circumvention.**

No person may permit the use of a device, stack height which exceeds good engineering practice stack height, dispersion technique or other technique which, without resulting in reduction of the total amount of air contaminants emitted, conceals or dilutes an emission of air contaminants which would otherwise be in violation of 25 Pa. Code Article III, except that with prior approval of the Department, the device or technique may be used for control of malodors.

#018 [25 Pa. Code §§ 127.402(d) & 127.442]**Reporting Requirements.**

(a) The permittee shall comply with the applicable reporting requirements of the Clean Air Act, the regulations thereunder, the Air Pollution Control Act and 25 Pa. Code Article III including Chapters 127, 135 and 139.

(b) The permittee shall submit reports to the Department containing information the Department may prescribe relative to the operation and maintenance of any air contamination source.

(c) Reports, test data, monitoring data, notifications and requests for renewal of the permit shall be submitted to the:

Regional Air Program Manager
PA Department of Environmental Protection
(At the address given in the permit transmittal letter, or otherwise notified)

(d) Any records or information including applications, forms, or reports submitted pursuant to this permit condition shall contain a certification by a responsible official as to truth, accuracy and completeness. The certifications submitted under this permit shall require a responsible official of the facility to certify that based on information and belief formed after reasonable inquiry, the statements and information in the documents are true, accurate and complete.

(e) Any records, reports or information submitted to the Department shall be available to the public except for such

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records, reports or information which meet the confidentiality requirements of § 4013.2 of the Air Pollution Control Act and §§ 112(d) and 114(c) of the Clean Air Act. The permittee may not request a claim of confidentiality for any emissions data generated for the facility.

#019 [25 Pa. Code §§ 127.441(c) & 135.5]**Sampling, Testing and Monitoring Procedures.**

(a) The permittee shall comply with the monitoring, recordkeeping or reporting requirements of 25 Pa. Code Chapter 139 and the other applicable requirements of 25 Pa. Code Article III and additional requirements related to monitoring, reporting and recordkeeping required by the Clean Air Act and the regulations thereunder including the Compliance Assurance Monitoring requirements of 40 CFR Part 64, where applicable.

(b) Unless alternative methodology is required by the Clean Air Act and regulations adopted thereunder, sampling, testing and monitoring required by or used by the permittee to demonstrate compliance with any applicable regulation or permit condition shall be conducted in accordance with the requirements of 25 Pa. Code Chapter 139.

#020 [25 Pa. Code §§ 127.441(c) and 135.5]**Recordkeeping.**

(a) The permittee shall maintain and make available, upon request by the Department, the following records of monitored information:

- (1) The date, place (as defined in the permit) and time of sampling or measurements.
- (2) The dates the analyses were performed.
- (3) The company or entity that performed the analyses.
- (4) The analytical techniques or methods used.
- (5) The results of the analyses.
- (6) The operating conditions as existing at the time of sampling or measurement.

(b) The permittee shall retain records of any required monitoring data and supporting information for at least five (5) years from the date of the monitoring, sample, measurement, report or application. Supporting information includes the calibration data and maintenance records and original strip-chart recordings for continuous monitoring instrumentation, and copies of reports required by the permit.

(c) The permittee shall maintain and make available to the Department upon request, records including computerized records that may be necessary to comply with the reporting, recordkeeping and emission statement requirements in 25 Pa. Code Chapter 135 (relating to reporting of sources). In accordance with 25 Pa. Code Chapter 135, § 135.5, such records may include records of production, fuel usage, maintenance of production or pollution control equipment or other information determined by the Department to be necessary for identification and quantification of potential and actual air contaminant emissions.

#021 [25 Pa. Code § 127.441(a)]**Property Rights.**

This permit does not convey any property rights of any sort, or any exclusive privileges.

#022 [25 Pa. Code § 127.447]**Alternative Operating Scenarios.**

The permittee is authorized to make changes at the facility to implement alternative operating scenarios identified in this permit in accordance with 25 Pa. Code § 127.447.

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(a) If the facility is a Synthetic Minor Facility, the permittee shall submit by March 1 of each year an annual emissions report for the preceding calendar year. The report shall include information for all active previously reported sources, new sources which were first operated during the preceding calendar year, and sources modified during the same period which were not previously reported. All air emissions from the facility should be estimated and reported.

(b) A source owner or operator of a Synthetic Minor Facility may request an extension of time from the Department for the filing of an annual emissions report, and the Department may grant the extension for reasonable cause.

#024 [25 Pa. Code §135.4]**Report Format**

If applicable, the emissions reports shall contain sufficient information to enable the Department to complete its emission inventory. Emissions reports shall be made by the source owner or operator in a format specified by the Department.

**SECTION C. Site Level Requirements****I. RESTRICTIONS.****Emission Restriction(s).****# 001 [25 Pa. Code §123.1]****Prohibition of certain fugitive emissions**

No person shall permit the emission into the outdoor atmosphere of any fugitive air contaminant from a source other than the following:

- a. Construction or demolition of buildings or structures.
- b. Grading, paving and maintenance of roads and streets.
- c. Use of roads and streets. Emissions from material in or on trucks, railroad cars and other vehicular equipment are not considered as emissions from use of roads and streets.
- d. Clearing of land.
- e. Stockpiling of materials.
- f. Open burning operations.
- g. Sources and classes of sources other than those identified above, for which the operator has obtained a determination from the Department that fugitive emissions from the source, after appropriate control, meet the following requirements:
 1. The emissions are of minor significance with respect to causing air pollution;
 2. The emissions are not preventing or interfering with the attainment or maintenance of any ambient air standard.

002 [25 Pa. Code §123.31]**Limitations**

No person shall permit the emission into the outdoor atmosphere of any malodorous air contaminants from any source in such a manner that the malodors are detectable outside the property of the person on whose land the source is being operated.

003 [25 Pa. Code §123.41]**Limitations**

No person shall emit visible air contaminants into the outdoor atmosphere in such a manner that the opacity of the emission is either of the following unless otherwise stated in this permit:

- a. Equal to or greater than 20 percent for a period or periods aggregating more than three minutes in any one hour.
- b. Equal to or greater than 60 percent at any time.

004 [25 Pa. Code §123.42]**Exceptions**

The emission limitations of 123.41 (relating to limitations) do not apply to a visible emission in any of the following instances:

- a. The presence of uncombined water is the only reason for failure of the emission to meet the limitation.
- b. The emission results from the operation of equipment used solely to train and test persons in observing the opacity of visible emissions;

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c. The emission results from sources specified in Section C, Condition #001 (relating to prohibition of certain fugitive emissions).

005 [25 Pa. Code §127.441]**Operating permit terms and conditions.**

The permittee shall limit the emissions from the facility to the following totals during any consecutive 12-month period:

- a. Nitrogen Oxides (NO_x) - less than 100 tons
- b. Sulfur Oxides (SO_x) - less than 100 tons
- c. Carbon Monoxide (CO) - less than 100 tons
- d. Particulate (PM-10) - less than 100 tons
- e. Particulate (PM-2.5) - less than 100 tons
- f. Volatile Organic Compound (VOC) - less than 50 tons
- g. Total HAPs - less than 25 tons
- h. Any one HAP - less than 10 tons

006 [25 Pa. Code §129.14]**Open burning operations**

No person may permit the open burning of material in the air basin except where the open burning operations result from the following:

- a. A fire set to prevent or abate a fire hazard, when approved by the Department and set by or under the supervision of a public officer.
- b. Any fire set for the propose of instructing personnel in fire fighting, when approved by the Department.
- c. A fire set for the prevention and control of disease or pests, when approved by the Department.
- d. A fire set in conjunction with the production of agricultural commodities in their unmanufactured state on the premises of the farm operation.
- e. A fire set solely for recreational or ceremonial purposes.
- f. A fire set solely for cooking food.

This permit does not constitute authorization to burn solid waste pursuant to Section 610(3) of the Solid Waste Management Act, 35 P. S. Section 6018.610(3), or any other provision of the Solid Waste Management Act.

II. TESTING REQUIREMENTS.**# 007 [25 Pa. Code §127.441]****Operating permit terms and conditions.**

The Department reserves the right to require exhaust stack testing of the source(s) as necessary during the permit term to verify emissions for purposes including emission fees, malfunctions or permit condition violations.

008 [25 Pa. Code §139.1]**Sampling facilities.**

Upon the request of the Department, the permittee shall provide adequate sampling ports, safe sampling platforms and

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adequate utilities for the performance by the Department of tests on such source. The Department will set forth, in the request, the time period in which the facilities shall be provided as well as the specifications for such facilities.

III. MONITORING REQUIREMENTS.**# 009 [25 Pa. Code §123.43]****Measuring techniques**

Visible air contaminants may be measured using either of the following:

- a. A device approved by the Department and maintained to provide accurate opacity measurements.
- b. Observers, trained and certified, to measure plume opacity with the naked eye, as per EPA Method 9, or with the aid of any devices approved by the Department.

010 [25 Pa. Code §127.441]**Operating permit terms and conditions.**

The permittee shall conduct a monthly inspection during regular business workdays around the plant periphery during the daylight hours when the plant is in production to detect visible emissions, fugitive visible emissions and odorous emissions as follows:

- a. Visible emissions in excess of the limits stated in Section C, Condition #003. Visible emissions may be measured according to the methods specified in Section C, Condition #009. As an alternative, plant personnel who observe such visible emissions shall report each incident to the Department within four hours of the occurrence and arrange for a certified observer to read the visible emissions.
- b. Presence of fugitive visible emissions beyond the plant property boundaries, as stated in Section C, Condition #019.
- c. Presence of odor beyond the plant property boundaries that have the potential to be malodorous as stated in Section C, Condition #002.

IV. RECORDKEEPING REQUIREMENTS.**# 011 [25 Pa. Code §127.441]****Operating permit terms and conditions.**

The permittee shall maintain records of inspections around the facility periphery. The records shall include, at minimum, the following information:

- (a) The name of the company representative conducting the inspection.
- (b) The date and time of the inspection.
- (c) The wind direction.
- (d) Description of any emissions and/or malodors observed and actions taken to mitigate them. If none, record "NONE."

012 [25 Pa. Code §127.441]**Operating permit terms and conditions.**

The permittee shall maintain the following records:

- a. Monthly facility total of each of the emissions limited in Condition #005
- b. 12-month rolling facility total for each of the emissions limited in Condition #005

The permittee shall maintain the records in a manner approved by the Department. The emissions shall be determined

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using emission factors approved by the Department.

013 [25 Pa. Code §127.441]**Operating permit terms and conditions.**

The permittee shall maintain an inventory of the various presses associated with the sources 101, 102, and 103 in this permit. This inventory shall be updated annually or each time equipment is added or deleted from the sources. The inventory shall be made available to the Department upon request.

014 [25 Pa. Code §127.441]**Operating permit terms and conditions.**

The permittee shall maintain copies of manufacturer supplied VOC Data Sheets and/or Material Safety Sheets for all coatings and solvents used at the facility within the last two (2) years. This information shall be made available to the Department upon request.

015 [25 Pa. Code §127.441]**Operating permit terms and conditions.**

Unless otherwise noted, all records required by this and subsequent operating permits shall be maintained for the most recent five-year period and shall be readily available to the Department upon request. The most recent two years of records must be retained at the facility. The remaining three years of records may be retained off site. The records may be retained on paper, microfilm, microfiche or computer disks. If the records are retained on computer disks, the records must be in commonly available software. Commonly available software is usually compatible with a Microsoft application such as Word or Excel. For records kept off site, readily available is defined as available within one business day.

V. REPORTING REQUIREMENTS.**# 016 [25 Pa. Code §127.441]****Operating permit terms and conditions.**

The permittee shall report malfunctions to the Department. A malfunction is any sudden, infrequent, and not reasonably preventable failure of air pollution control equipment, process equipment, or a process to operate in a normal or usual manner that affects the facility's ability to comply with a permit term. Failures that are caused in part by poor maintenance or careless operation are not malfunctions. Malfunctions shall be reported as follows:

(a) Malfunctions which pose an imminent danger to public health, safety, welfare and the environment, shall be immediately reported to the Department by telephone. The telephone report of such malfunctions shall occur no later than two hours after discovery of the incident. Telephone reports can be made to the Reading District Office at (610) 916-0100 during normal business hours, or to the Department's Emergency Hotline at any time. The Emergency Hotline phone number is changed/updated periodically. The current Emergency Hotline phone number can be found at <https://www.dep.pa.gov/About/Regional/SouthcentralRegion/Pages/default.aspx>. The permittee shall submit a written report of instances of such malfunctions to the Department within three (3) days of the telephone report.

(b) Unless otherwise required by this permit, any other malfunction that is not subject to the reporting requirement of subsection (a) above, shall be reported to the Department, in writing, within five (5) days of malfunction discovery.

(c) Unless otherwise approved by DEP, all malfunctions shall be reported through the Department's Greenport PUP system available through: <https://greenport.pa.gov/ePermitPublicAccess/PublicSubmission/Home>

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The permittee shall take all reasonable actions to prevent particulate matter from the sources identified in Condition #001, Section C becoming airborne. These actions shall include, but not be limited to, the following:

- a. Use, where possible, of water or chemicals for control of dust in the demolition of buildings or structures, construction operations, the grading of roads, or the clearing of land.
- b. Application of asphalt, oil, water or suitable chemicals on dirt roads, material stockpiles and other surfaces which may give rise to airborne dusts.
- c. Paving and maintenance of roadways.
- d. Prompt removal of earth or other material from paved streets onto which earth or other material has been transported by trucking or earth moving equipment, erosion by water, or other means.

018 [25 Pa. Code §127.441]**Operating permit terms and conditions.**

The installation or modification of sheet-fed offset lithographic printing press(es) that meet the following criteria may be exempt from plan approval requirements by an RFD:

- (a) Emits volatile organic compounds (VOCs) at a rate less than 2.7 tons per year (tpy), and;
- (b) Emits a single hazardous air pollutant (HAP) at a rate less than 1 tpy, and;
- (c) Emits a combination of hazardous air pollutants (HAPs) rates less than 2.5 tons of all HAPs combined per year, or;
- (d) A cylinder width 17 inches or less.

Facilities claiming an exemption based on the emission based criteria (a) through (c) must provide a 15-day prior written notification to the Department committing to limit VOC/HAP(s) emission increases to less than the specified levels.

The modification of a sheet-fed offset lithographic printing press would include the addition of a printing unit, coating unit, or other changes that would increase the facility's emission of VOCs or HAPs above the exemption levels stated in criteria (a) through (c).

VII. ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS.**# 019 [25 Pa. Code §123.2]****Fugitive particulate matter**

No person shall permit fugitive particulate matter to be emitted into the outdoor atmosphere from a source specified in Section C, Condition # 001, if the emissions are visible at the point the emissions pass outside the persons property.

VIII. COMPLIANCE CERTIFICATION.

No additional compliance certifications exist except as provided in other sections of this permit including Section B (relating to State Only General Requirements).

IX. COMPLIANCE SCHEDULE.

No compliance milestones exist.

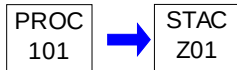
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Source ID: 101

Source Name: OFFSET LITHOGRAPHY PRESSES

Source Capacity/Throughput:

Conditions for this source occur in the following groups: 01

**I. RESTRICTIONS.**

No additional requirements exist except as provided in other sections of this permit including Section B (State Only General Requirements) and/or Section E (Source Group Restrictions).

II. TESTING REQUIREMENTS.

No additional testing requirements exist except as provided in other sections of this permit including Section B (State Only General Requirements) and/or Section E (Source Group Restrictions).

III. MONITORING REQUIREMENTS.

No additional monitoring requirements exist except as provided in other sections of this permit including Section B (State Only General Requirements) and/or Section E (Source Group Restrictions).

IV. RECORDKEEPING REQUIREMENTS.**# 001 [25 Pa. Code §127.441]****Operating permit terms and conditions.**

The permittee shall maintain the following records:

- a. Monthly amount of inks and varnishes used by all presses within this source
- b. Annual hours of operation
- c. 12- month rolling total emissions from the inks and varnishes used on all presses within this source (The emissions shall be calculated in a method approved by the Department)

Note: All clean-up solvents used on Source 101 presses shall be recorded in accordance with Source Group 01.

V. REPORTING REQUIREMENTS.

No additional reporting requirements exist except as provided in other sections of this permit including Section B (State Only General Requirements) and/or Section E (Source Group Restrictions).

VI. WORK PRACTICE REQUIREMENTS.

No additional work practice requirements exist except as provided in other sections of this permit including Section B (State Only General Requirements) and/or Section E (Source Group Restrictions).

VII. ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS.**# 002 [25 Pa. Code §127.441]****Operating permit terms and conditions.**

[Additional authority for this condition is derived from GP7-06-05016A]

This condition applies only to Keonig & Bauer 106X7+L, Seven (7) Color press



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16. Definitions: For purposes of this condition, the following definitions apply:

- a. Alcohol - Any of the following compounds, when used as a fountain solution additive for offset lithographic printing: ethanol, n-propanol, and isopropanol.
- i. Alcohol Substitutes - Nonalcohol additives that contain VOCs and are used in the fountain solution. Some additives are used to reduce the surface tension of water; others are added to prevent piling (ink build-up).
- ii. Automatic Blanket Wash System - Equipment used to remotely clean lithographic blankets which can include, but is not limited to those utilizing a cloth and expandable bladder, brush, spray, or impregnated cloth system.
- iii. Batch - A supply of fountain solution that is prepared and used without alteration until completely used or removed from the printing process. For the purposes of this rule, this term may apply either to solutions prepared in discrete batches or solutions that are continuously blended with automix units.
- iv. Cleaning Solution - Liquid solvents or solutions used to remove ink and debris from the operating surfaces of the printing press and its parts.
- v. Dampening System - Equipment used to deliver the fountain solution to the lithographic plate.
- vi. Fountain Solution - A mixture of water and other volatile and non-volatile chemicals and additives that maintains the quality of the printing plate and reduces the surface tension of the water so that it spreads easily across the printing plate surface. The fountain solution wets the nonimage area so that the ink is maintained within the image areas. Non-volatile additives include mineral salts and hydrophilic gums. Alcohol and alcohol substitutes, including isopropyl alcohol, glycol ethers, and ethylene glycol, are the most common VOC additives used to reduce the surface tension of the fountain solution.
- vii. Fountain Solution Recirculating Reservoir - The collection tank which accepts fountain solution recirculated from printing unit(s). The tanks typically contains a coarse filter to remove contaminants from the fountain solution and in some cases, are equipped with cooling coils for refrigeration of the fountain solution.
- viii. Inking System - A series of rollers used to meter the ink onto the lithographic plate. The system can include agitators, pumps, and totes and other types of ink containers.
- ix. Lithography - A planographic printing process where the image and nonimage areas are chemically differentiated; the image area is oil receptive and the nonimage area is water receptive. This method differs from other printing methods, where the image is typically printed from a raised or recessed surface.
- x. Non-heatset - A lithographic printing process where the printing inks are set without the use of heat. Traditional non-heatset inks set and dry by absorption and/or oxidation of the ink oils. For the purposes of this rule, ultraviolet-cured and electron beam-cured inks are considered non-heatset, although radiant energy is required to cure these inks.
- xi. Offset - A printing process that transfers the ink film from the lithographic plate to an intermediary surface (blanket), which, in turn, transfers the ink film to the substrate.
- xii. Press - A printing production assembly composed of one or more units used to produce a printed substrate including any associated coating, spray powder application, or infra-red heating units.
- xiii. Sheet-fed - A lithographic printing process where individual sheets of substrate are fed to the press sequentially.
- xiv. Unit - The smallest complete printing component, composed of inking and dampening systems, of a printing press.
- xv. VOC Composite Partial Vapor Pressure - The sum of the partial pressure of the compounds defined as VOCs. VOC composite partial pressure is calculated as follows: (See GP7 for equation)

17. Equipment Standards for Fountain Solutions

The affected press shall meet one of the following requirements for the fountain solution used on that press:

- a. Maintain the as applied VOC content of the fountain solution at or below 5.0 percent by weight, or;
- b. Maintain the as applied VOC content of the fountain solution at or below 8.5 percent, by weight, and refrigerate the fountain solution to 60°F or less.

18. Equipment Standards for Blanket and Roller Cleaning Solutions

Any blanket and roller cleaning solution used on the affected press shall meet one of the following requirements:

- a. VOC content, as applied, is less than or equal to 30 percent by weight, or;
- b. VOC composite partial vapor pressure, as used, is less than or equal to 10 mm Hg at 20°C (68°F).
- c. The use of cleaning solutions not meeting Conditions 18(a) or (b) is permitted provided that the quantity used does not exceed 55 gallons over any twelve consecutive months.

19. Equipment Standards for Solvent Containers

The permittee shall keep all solvent containers related to the affected press closed at all times unless filling, draining, or performing cleanup operations.

20. Equipment Standards for Solvent Laden Shop Towels

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The permittee shall keep all solvent laden shop towels related to the affected press in a closed container when not being used.

21. Testing of Fountain Solutions

The permittee shall determine the VOC content of fountain solution used at the affected press, by one of the following procedures:

- a. Analysis by USEPA Method 24 of a fountain solution sample, or
- b. Calculation which combines USEPA Method 24 analytical VOC content data for the concentrated materials used to prepare the press ready fountain solution and records of the proportions in which they are mixed. The calculation shall only be performed once for each press ready fountain solution and kept in the form of a batch log, an example of which is attached. The analysis of the concentrated fountain solution may be performed by the supplier(s) of those materials.

22. Testing of Blanket and Roller Cleaning Solutions

The permittee shall determine the VOC content or VOC composite partial vapor pressure of cleaning solutions used at the affected press, by one of the following procedures:

- a. Analysis by USEPA Method 24 of a cleaning solution sample for VOC content or by an appropriate method for composite partial vapor pressure, or;
- b. Calculation which combines USEPA Method 24 analytical VOC content data for the concentrated materials used to prepare the press ready cleaning solution and records of the proportions in which they are mixed. The calculation shall only be performed once for each press ready cleaning solution and kept in the form of a batch log, an example of which is attached. The analysis of the concentrated cleaning solution may be performed by the supplier(s) of those materials, or;
- c. Calculation for VOC composite partial vapor pressure which combines analytical VOC vapor pressure data for the concentrated materials used to prepare the press ready cleaning solution and records of the proportions in which they are mixed. The analysis and vapor pressure determinations of the concentrated material(s) may be performed by the suppliers(s) of the material(s).

23. Monitoring Requirements for Automatic Blanket Wash Systems

If the affected press uses an automatic blanket wash system that mixes cleaning solution at the point of application, the permittee must demonstrate compliance with the VOC limitation in Condition 18(a) or (b), shall document that flow meters or fixed volume spray systems result in the VOC content of the mixed solution complies with Condition 18(a) or (b).

24. Recordkeeping Requirements

The permittee shall collect and record the applicable information specified in this Condition, for the affected press. The information shall be maintained at the facility for a minimum of 5 years and shall be made available to an authorized Department representative at any time during normal working hours. The information required is:

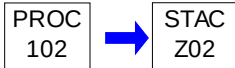
- a. For each sheet-fed offset lithographic ink or conventional varnish used: the monthly consumption in pounds or gallons; the percent by weight VOC and HAP content, as applied; and, an estimate of VOC and HAP emissions. Alternately, the ink with the highest VOC and HAP content may be used to represent all inks used by all sheet-fed offset lithographic printing presses.
- b. For each fountain solution and additive: the monthly consumption in pounds or gallons; the percent by weight or weight to volume ratio (lbs/gal) VOC and HAP content, and, an estimate of VOC and HAP emissions.
- c. For each blanket and roller cleaning solution used: the monthly consumption in pounds or gallons; the percent by weight or weight to volume ratio (lbs/gal) VOC and HAP content, and, an estimate of VOC and HAP emissions.
- d. For each month of operation, the volume of all cleaning solution used which does not meet Condition 18(a) or (b).
- e. For each month of operation, an estimate of VOC and HAP emissions during the latest 12 months.

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Source ID: 102

Source Name: NARROW-WEB FLEXOGRAPHY PRESSES

Source Capacity/Throughput:

**I. RESTRICTIONS.**

No additional requirements exist except as provided in other sections of this permit including Section B (State Only General Requirements).

II. TESTING REQUIREMENTS.

No additional testing requirements exist except as provided in other sections of this permit including Section B (State Only General Requirements).

III. MONITORING REQUIREMENTS.

No additional monitoring requirements exist except as provided in other sections of this permit including Section B (State Only General Requirements).

IV. RECORDKEEPING REQUIREMENTS.

001 [25 Pa. Code §127.441]

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The permittee shall maintain the following records:

- a. Monthly amount of inks and varnishes used by all presses within this source
- b. Annual hours of operation
- c. 12- month rolling total emissions from the inks and varnishes used on all presses within this source (The emissions shall be calculated in a method approved by the Department)

Note: All clean-up solvents used on the presses within this source shall be recorded as part of Source 104.

V. REPORTING REQUIREMENTS.

No additional reporting requirements exist except as provided in other sections of this permit including Section B (State Only General Requirements).

VI. WORK PRACTICE REQUIREMENTS.

No additional work practice requirements exist except as provided in other sections of this permit including Section B (State Only General Requirements).

VII. ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS.

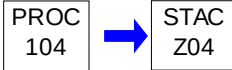
No additional requirements exist except as provided in other sections of this permit including Section B (State Only General Requirements).

**SECTION D. Source Level Requirements**

Source ID: 104

Source Name: CLEAN-UP OPERATIONS

Source Capacity/Throughput:

**I. RESTRICTIONS.**

No additional requirements exist except as provided in other sections of this permit including Section B (State Only General Requirements).

II. TESTING REQUIREMENTS.

No additional testing requirements exist except as provided in other sections of this permit including Section B (State Only General Requirements).

III. MONITORING REQUIREMENTS.

No additional monitoring requirements exist except as provided in other sections of this permit including Section B (State Only General Requirements).

IV. RECORDKEEPING REQUIREMENTS.**# 001 [25 Pa. Code §127.441]****Operating permit terms and conditions.**

The permittee shall maintain the record of all clean-up solvents used in the cleaning of the presses and associated equipment within Source 102. These records shall show the following:

- Monthly amount of total cleaning solvent used by all presses within this source
- Monthly emissions resulting from the clean-up operations
- 12-month rolling total emissions from the clean-up operations (The emissions shall be calculated in a method approved by the Department)

V. REPORTING REQUIREMENTS.

No additional reporting requirements exist except as provided in other sections of this permit including Section B (State Only General Requirements).

VI. WORK PRACTICE REQUIREMENTS.

No additional work practice requirements exist except as provided in other sections of this permit including Section B (State Only General Requirements).

VII. ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS.

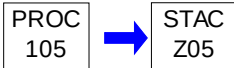
No additional requirements exist except as provided in other sections of this permit including Section B (State Only General Requirements).

**SECTION D. Source Level Requirements**

Source ID: 105

Source Name: PARTS WASHER

Source Capacity/Throughput:

**I. RESTRICTIONS.****Emission Restriction(s).****# 001 [25 Pa. Code §129.63]****Degreasing operations**

Any immersion cold cleaning machine shall have a freeboard ratio of 0.50 or greater.

002 [25 Pa. Code §129.63]**Degreasing operations**

The permittee shall not use in a cold cleaning machine any solvent, with greater than 5% VOC by weight in the amount of 2 gallons or more, that has a vapor pressure of 1.0 millimeter of mercury (mm Hg) or greater measured at 20°C (68°F).

The above requirement does not apply.

- a. To cold cleaning machines used in extreme cleaning service.
- b. If the permittee demonstrates, and the Department approves in writing, that compliance with these conditions will result in unsafe operating conditions.
- c. To immersion cold cleaning machines with a freeboard ratio equal to or greater than 0.75.

II. TESTING REQUIREMENTS.

No additional testing requirements exist except as provided in other sections of this permit including Section B (State Only General Requirements).

III. MONITORING REQUIREMENTS.

No additional monitoring requirements exist except as provided in other sections of this permit including Section B (State Only General Requirements).

IV. RECORDKEEPING REQUIREMENTS.**# 003 [25 Pa. Code §129.63]****Degreasing operations**

a. The permittee shall maintain an inventory of the cold cleaning machines used at the facility. The inventory shall be updated each January. The inventory shall include the following information:

1. Type of unit
2. Size of the unit in gallons of solvent
3. Solvent used
4. Freeboard ratio
5. Location of the unit at the facility

b. The permittee shall maintain for at least two (2) years and shall provide to the Department, on request, the following information:

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1. The name and address of the solvent supplier.
2. Type of solvent including the product or vendor identification number.
3. The vapor pressure of the solvent measured in millimeters of mercury (mmHg) at 20°C (68°F).

c. An invoice, bill of sale, certificate that corresponds to a number of sales, Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS), or other appropriate documentation acceptable to the Department may be used to comply with this section.

V. REPORTING REQUIREMENTS.

No additional reporting requirements exist except as provided in other sections of this permit including Section B (State Only General Requirements).

VI. WORK PRACTICE REQUIREMENTS.**# 004 [25 Pa. Code §129.63]****Degreasing operations**

The permittee shall for immersion cold cleaning machines and remote reservoir cold cleaning machines:

a. Have a permanent, conspicuous label summarizing the operating requirements below:

1. Waste solvent shall be collected and stored in closed containers. The closed containers may contain a device that allows pressure relief, but does not allow liquid solvent to drain from the container.
2. Flushing of parts using a flexible hose or other flushing device shall be performed only within the cold cleaning machine. The solvent spray shall be a solid fluid stream, not an atomized or shower spray.
3. Sponge, fabric, wood, leather, paper products and other absorbent materials may not be cleaned in the cleaning machine.
4. Air agitated solvent baths may not be used.
5. Spills during solvent transfer and use of cold cleaning machines shall be cleaned-up immediately.

b. In addition, the label shall include the following discretionary good practices:

1. Cleaned parts should be drained at least 15 seconds or until dripping ceases, whichever is longer. Parts having cavities or blind holes shall be tipped or rotated while the part is draining. During the draining, tipping or rotating, the parts should be positioned so that the solvent drains directly back to the cold cleaning machine.
2. When a pump-agitated solvent bath is used, the agitator should be operated to produce a rolling motion of the solvent with no observable splashing of the solvent against the tank walls or the parts being cleaned.
3. Work area fans should be located and positioned so that they do not blow across the opening of the cold cleaning machine.

005 [25 Pa. Code §129.63]**Degreasing operations**

The immersion cold cleaning machine shall be equipped with a cover that shall be closed at all times except during cleaning of parts or the addition or removal of solvent. For remote reservoir cold cleaning machines which drain directly into the solvent storage reservoir, a perforated drain with a diameter of not more than six (6) inches shall constitute an acceptable cover.

**SECTION D. Source Level Requirements****VII. ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS.**

006 [25 Pa. Code §129.63]

Degreasing operations

The permittee that operates a parts washer or cold cleaning machine that uses two gallons or more of solvent containing greater than 5% VOC by weight for the cleaning of metal parts shall comply with the requirements in this section.

**SECTION E. Source Group Restrictions.**

Group Name: 01

Group Description: 25 PA Code 129.67b

Sources included in this group

ID	Name
101	OFFSET LITHOGRAPHY PRESSES

I. RESTRICTIONS.**Emission Restriction(s).****# 001 [25 Pa. Code §129.67]****Graphic arts systems**

§ 129.67b. Control of VOC emissions from offset lithographic printing presses and letterpress printing presses.

(a) Applicability.

(1) Except as specified in paragraph (3), this section applies to the owner and operator of an offset lithographic printing press or a letterpress printing press, or both, if the press meets one or a combination of the following:

(i) [NA – NONE OF THE LITHO PRESSES AT THIS FACILITY HAVE PTE BEFORE CONTROL OF 25 TPY OR GREATER]

(ii) [NA – NO LETTERPRESS]

(iii) Offset lithographic printing. One or more offset lithographic printing presses if the total actual VOC emissions from all inks (including varnishes), coatings, adhesives and fountain solutions combined from all offset lithographic printing presses and all VOC emissions from related cleaning activities at the facility are equal to or greater than 450 pounds (204.1 kilograms) per month or 2.7 tons (2,455 kilograms) per 12-month rolling period, before consideration of add-on controls.

(iv) [NA – NO LETTERPRESS]

(v) [NA – VOC NOT < 450 LB/MO; 2.7 TON/YR]

(2) The owner or operator of an offset lithographic printing press subject to paragraph (1) may use the VOC emission retention factors and capture efficiency factors specified in subsection (l) to determine the amount of potential or actual VOC emissions that is available for capture and control from the inks (including varnishes), fountain solutions and cleaning solutions used on the offset lithographic printing press.

(3) VOCs from adhesives used at a facility that are not used or applied on or with an offset lithographic printing press or a letterpress printing press are not subject to this section and may be regulated under § 129.77 or Chapter 130, Subchapter D (relating to control of emissions from the use or application of adhesives, sealants, primers and solvents; and adhesives, sealants, primers and solvents).

(b) [NA – NO EXISTING RACT PERMIT]**(c) Emission limits for cleaning solutions and fountain solutions used in or on printing presses subject to this section.**

(1) Cleaning solutions. Beginning January 1, 2015, a person subject to subsection (a)(1)(i), (ii), (iii) or (iv) may not cause or permit the emission into the outdoor atmosphere of VOCs from cleaning solutions used in or on an offset lithographic printing press or a letterpress printing press unless the following conditions are met:

(i) The cleaning solutions used must meet one or both of the following VOC limits:

(A) A VOC composite partial vapor pressure less than 10 millimeters of mercury at 68°F (20°C).

(B) A VOC content less than 70% by weight.

(ii) The use of one or more cleaning solutions with a higher VOC composite partial vapor pressure or higher VOC

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content, or both, than is listed in subparagraph (i) is limited to 110 gallons per year, combined, of all cleaning solutions that exceed the limits in subparagraph (i).

(2) Fountain solutions. Except as specified in paragraph (3), beginning January 1, 2015, a person subject to subsection (a)(1)(i), (iii) or (iv) may not cause or permit the emission into the outdoor atmosphere of VOCs from a fountain solution used in an offset lithographic printing press unless the fountain solution meets one or more of the following VOC limits.

(i) [NA – UNITS ARE NON-HEATSET, AND ARE SHEETFED (NOT WEB)]

(ii) For each sheet-fed offset lithographic printing press, the press-ready (as applied) fountain solution must meet one of the following limits:

(A) A VOC content of 5% or less by weight.

(B) A VOC content of 8.5% or less by weight if the fountain solution is refrigerated below 60°F (15.5°C).

(C) A VOC content of 5% or less by weight and no alcohol in the fountain solution.

(D) Another method that achieves a level of control of VOC emissions from the press-ready (as applied) fountain solution equal to or better than the methods listed in clauses (A)—(C).

(iii) [NA – UNITS ARE SHEETFED (NOT WEB)]

(3) [NA – EXCEPTIONS DO NOT APPLY]

(d) [NA – UNITS ARE NON-HEATSET, AND ARE SHEETFED (NOT WEB)]

(e) Compliance and monitoring requirements.

(1) [NA – UNITS ARE NON-HEATSET, AND ARE SHEETFED (NOT WEB)]

(2) Fountain solution. The owner or operator of an offset lithographic printing press subject to this section that is required to meet one of the fountain solution VOC limits of subsection (c)(2) shall demonstrate compliance by using one or more of the following methods:

(i) Analysis of a sample of the press-ready (as applied) fountain solution for VOC content using EPA Reference Method 24, Determination of Volatile Matter Content, Water Content, Density, Volume Solids, and Weight Solids of Surface Coatings, codified in 40 CFR Part 60, Appendix A, including updates and revisions.

(ii) Maintenance onsite of MSDS, CPDS or other data provided by the manufacturer of the fountain solution that indicates the VOC content of the press-ready (as applied) fountain solution.

(iii) Calculation of the VOC content of the press-ready (as applied) fountain solution that combines the EPA Reference Method 24 analytical VOC content data for each of the concentrated components or additives used to prepare the press-ready fountain solution.

(A) The VOC content data for each of the concentrated components or additives shall be combined in the proportions in which the concentrated components or additives are mixed to make the batch of press-ready (as applied) fountain solution.

(B) The VOC content shall be calculated one time for each recipe of press-ready (as applied) fountain solution. The recipe name, VOC content for each concentrated component or additive and fountain solution mix ratio shall be recorded in a logbook.

(C) The EPA Reference Method 24 analysis of the concentrated components or additives used to prepare the press-ready (as applied) fountain solution may be performed by the supplier of the components or additives and these results provided to the owner or operator of the affected press.

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(iv) Measurement of the recirculating reservoir temperature of a refrigerated press-ready (as applied) fountain solution specified in subsection (c)(2)(i)(B) or (ii)(B) with a thermometer or other temperature detection device capable of reading to 0.5°F (0.28°C) to ensure that the temperature of the refrigerated fountain solution containing alcohol is maintained below 60°F (15.5°C) at all times. The temperature on the thermometer or other temperature detection device shall be continuously monitored. The temperature reading shall be recorded at least once per operating day to verify that the refrigeration system is operating properly.

(v) Monitoring of the press-ready (as applied) fountain solution for alcohol concentration or VOC content with one or more of the following instruments:

(A) A refractometer or a hydrometer to monitor the fountain solution alcohol concentration. The instrument must:

(I) Be corrected for temperature one time per 8-hour shift.

(II) Have a visual, analog or digital readout with an accuracy of 0.5%.

(III) Be calibrated with a standard solution for the type of alcohol used in the fountain solution.

(B) A conductivity meter to determine the fountain solution VOC content. Reading for the fountain solution must be referenced to the conductivity of the incoming water.

(vi) Another method to determine compliance with the VOC content limits for fountain solutions in subsection (c)(2) if the following requirements are met:

(A) The facility owner or operator submits a request, in writing, to the appropriate regional office of the Department for approval of the alternative method.

(B) The request demonstrates that the alternative method provides results that accurately determine the fountain solution VOC content.

(C) The Department provides prior written approval of the alternative method.

(3) Cleaning solution. The owner or operator of an offset lithographic printing press or a letterpress printing press subject to this section shall demonstrate compliance with the VOC content limit or VOC composite partial vapor pressure limit for cleaning solutions in subsection (c)(1) by one or more of the following methods:

(i) Analysis of a sample of press-ready (as applied) cleaning solution for VOC content using EPA Reference Method 24.

(ii) Use of the equation in subsection (j) to calculate the composite partial vapor pressure of the press-ready (as applied) cleaning solution.

(iii) Use of the methods in subsection (k) to determine the VOC composite partial vapor pressure of a single concentrated component or additive used to prepare the press-ready (as applied) cleaning solution.

(iv) Maintenance onsite of MSDS, CPDS or other data provided by the manufacturer of the press-ready (as applied) cleaning solution that indicates the VOC content or the VOC composite partial vapor pressure, or both, of the press-ready (as applied) cleaning solution.

(v) Calculation of the VOC content or the VOC composite partial vapor pressure, or both, of the press-ready (as applied) cleaning solution that combines the EPA Reference Method 24 analytical VOC content data or analytical VOC composite partial vapor pressure data for each of the concentrated components or additives used to prepare the press-ready (as applied) cleaning solution.

(A) The VOC content data or VOC composite partial vapor pressure data for each of the concentrated components or additives shall be combined in the proportions in which the concentrated components or additives are mixed to make the batch of press-ready (as applied) cleaning solution.

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(B) The VOC content or VOC composite partial vapor pressure shall be calculated one time for each recipe of press-ready (as applied) cleaning solution. The recipe name, VOC content or VOC composite partial vapor pressure for each concentrated component or additive and cleaning solution mix ratio shall be recorded in a log book.

(C) The EPA Reference Method 24 analysis of the concentrated components or additives used to prepare the press-ready (as applied) cleaning solution may be performed or the VOC composite partial vapor pressure data may be determined by the supplier of the components or additives and these results provided to the owner or operator of the affected press.

(vi) Another method to determine compliance with the VOC content limits for cleaning solutions in subsection (c)(1) if the following requirements are met:

(A) The facility owner or operator submits a request, in writing, to the appropriate regional office of the Department for approval of the alternative method.

(B) The request demonstrates that the alternative method provides results that accurately determine the cleaning solution VOC content or VOC composite partial vapor pressure.

(C) The Department provides prior written approval of the alternative method.

(f) Recordkeeping requirements. Beginning January 1, 2015, the owner or operator of a printing press subject to this section shall maintain records sufficient to demonstrate compliance with this section. Records maintained for compliance demonstrations may include purchase, use, production and other records.

(1) [NA – NO AIR POLLUTION CONTROL DEVICE REQUIRED]

(2) An owner or operator subject to subsection (a)(1)(i), (ii), (iii) or (iv) shall maintain records of cleaning solutions and fountain solutions used at the facility, including:

(i) The following parameters for each press ready blanket, roller or other cleaning solution:

(A) The name and identification number for the blanket, roller or other cleaning solution.

(B) The VOC content (weight %) or VOC composite partial vapor pressure of each cleaning solution as applied.

(C) The volume used of each cleaning solution as applied, if the owner or operator is using cleaning solutions which exceed the limits in subsection (c)(1)(i).

(D) Records of cleaning solution monitoring as required under subsection (e)(3).

(ii) The following parameters for each press-ready (as applied) fountain solution:

(A) The VOC content (weight %).

(B) Records of fountain solution monitoring as required under subsection (e)(2).

(3) An owner or operator claiming exemption from a VOC control provision of this section based on potential or actual VOC emissions, as applicable, shall maintain records that demonstrate to the Department that the press or facility is exempt.

(4) The owner or operator may group materials into classes using the highest VOC content in any material in a class to represent that class of material.

(g) Reporting requirements. Beginning January 1, 2015, the owner or operator of an offset lithographic printing press or a letterpress printing press subject to this section shall meet the following reporting requirements:

(1) The records required under subsection (f) shall be maintained onsite for 2 years unless a longer period is required by

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a plan approval or operating permit issued under Chapter 127 (relating to construction, modification, reactivation and operation of sources). The records shall be submitted to the Department in an acceptable format upon receipt of a written request.

(2) [NA – NO AIR POLLUTION CONTROL DEVICE REQUIRED]

(h) Sampling and testing.

(1) Sampling and testing shall be performed as follows:

(i) Sampling of an ink, varnish, coating, fountain solution or cleaning solution and testing for the VOC content of the ink, varnish, coating, fountain solution or cleaning solution shall be performed in accordance with the procedures and test methods specified in Chapter 139.

(ii) [NA – NO AIR POLLUTION CONTROL DEVICE REQUIRED]

(2) [NA – NO AIR POLLUTION CONTROL DEVICE REQUIRED]

(3) Other test methods demonstrated to provide results that are acceptable for purposes of determining compliance with this section may be used if prior approval is obtained in writing from the Department and the EPA.

(i) Work practice requirements for cleaning activities.

(1) Except as specified in paragraph (3), beginning January 1, 2015, the owner or operator of an offset lithographic printing press or a letterpress printing press subject to subsection (a)(1)(i), (ii), (iii) or (iv) shall comply with the following work practices for cleaning activities at the facility:

(i) Store all VOC-containing cleaning solutions, waste cleaning solutions and used shop towels in closed containers.

(ii) Ensure that mixing vessels and storage containers used for VOC-containing cleaning solutions, waste cleaning solutions and used shop towels are kept closed at all times, except when depositing or removing these solutions or shop towels.

(iii) Minimize spills of VOC-containing cleaning solutions and waste cleaning solutions and clean up spills immediately.

(iv) Convey VOC-containing cleaning solutions, waste cleaning solutions and used shop towels from one location to another in closed containers or pipes.

(2) The requirements in paragraph (1) apply to the following activities:

(i) Cleaning of a press, including blanket washing, roller washing, plate cleaners, metering roller cleaners, impression cylinder cleaners and rubber rejuvenators.

(ii) Cleaning of press parts, including press parts that have been removed from the press for cleaning.

(iii) Cleaning of ink, coating or adhesive from areas around a press.

(3) The requirements in paragraph (1) do not apply to the following activities:

(i) Cleaning electronic components of a press.

(ii) Cleaning in pre-press (for example, platemaking) operations.

(iii) Cleaning in post-press (for example, binding) operations.

(iv) Using janitorial supplies (for example, detergents or floor cleaners) for general cleaning around a press.

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(v) The use of parts washers or cold cleaners at an offset lithographic printing or a letterpress printing facility. The use of parts washers and cold cleaners is regulated under § 129.63 (relating to degreasing operations).

(j) Composite partial vapor pressure. The composite partial vapor pressure of organic compounds in cleaning solutions shall be determined by one of the following procedures:

(1) Quantifying the amount of each compound in the blend using gas chromatographic analysis, using an appropriate and current ASTM test method with prior written approval by the Department.

(2) Calculating the composite partial vapor pressure using the following equation: [SEE REGULATION FOR EQUATION]

(k) Determination of vapor pressure of single organic compounds in cleaning solutions. The vapor pressure of each single component compound shall be determined from one or more of the following: [SEE REGULATION FOR REFERENCES]

(l) VOC retention factors and capture efficiency factors. As specified in subsection (a)(2), if:

(1) A portion of the VOCs contained in the ink or cleaning solution, or both, is retained in the printed web substrate or in the shop towels used for cleaning, the following VOC emission retention factors shall be used, as applicable:

(i) A 20% VOC emission retention factor for a petroleum ink oil-based heatset ink printed on an absorptive substrate, meaning 80% of the petroleum ink oil content is emitted as VOC during the printing process and is available for capture and control by an add-on air pollution control device. The petroleum ink oil content of a heatset ink may be determined from formulation data included on a CPDS or MSDS.

(ii) A 95% VOC emission retention factor for a petroleum ink oil-based non-heatset web or non-heatset sheet-fed ink, meaning 5% of the petroleum ink oil content is emitted as VOC during the printing process and is available for capture and control by an add-on air pollution control device. The petroleum ink oil content of a non-heatset web or non-heatset sheet-fed ink may be determined from formulation data included on a CPDS or MSDS.

(iii) A 100% VOC emission retention factor for vegetable ink oil-based heatset and non-heatset inks.

(iv) A 50% VOC emission retention factor for low VOC composite vapor pressure cleaning solutions in shop towels if both of the following conditions are met:

(A) The VOC composite vapor pressure of the cleaning solution is less than 10mm Hg at 20°C (68°F).

(B) The cleaning solutions and used shop towels are kept in closed containers.

(2) A portion of the VOCs contained in one or more of the ink, fountain solution or automatic blanket wash materials is captured in the press dryer for control by the add-on air pollution control device, the following capture efficiency factors shall be used, as applicable:

(i) A 100% VOC emission capture efficiency for volatilized ink oils for oil-based heatset paste inks and varnishes as specified in paragraph (1) if both of the following conditions are met:

(A) The press dryer is operating at negative pressure relative to the surrounding pressroom.

(B) The air flow is into the press dryer.

(ii) A 70% VOC emission capture efficiency for a fountain solution that contains an alcohol substitute.

(iii) A 40% VOC emission capture efficiency for an automatic blanket wash if the VOC composite vapor pressure of the cleaning solution is less than 10mm Hg at 20°C (68°F).

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No additional testing requirements exist except as provided in other sections of this permit including Section B (State Only General Requirements).

III. MONITORING REQUIREMENTS.

No additional monitoring requirements exist except as provided in other sections of this permit including Section B (State Only General Requirements).

IV. RECORDKEEPING REQUIREMENTS.

No additional record keeping requirements exist except as provided in other sections of this permit including Section B (State Only General Requirements).

V. REPORTING REQUIREMENTS.

No additional reporting requirements exist except as provided in other sections of this permit including Section B (State Only General Requirements).

VI. WORK PRACTICE REQUIREMENTS.

No additional work practice requirements exist except as provided in other sections of this permit including Section B (State Only General Requirements).

VII. ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS.

No additional requirements exist except as provided in other sections of this permit including Section B (State Only General Requirements).

**SECTION F. Alternative Operation Requirements.**

No Alternative Operations exist for this State Only facility.

**SECTION G. Emission Restriction Summary.**

No emission restrictions listed in this section of the permit.

**SECTION H. Miscellaneous.**

#001

This permit includes the sources previously operated under Air Quality Permit 06-05016 issued June 15, 2020, and supercedes that permit.

#002

The Source 101 (Offset Presses) includes the following units:

- a. 21-201 Eight (8) Color Offset Press (28" x 40") - Decomissioned February 2015
- b. 21-202 Six (6) Color Offset Press DC74M (23" x 29") - Decomissioned January 2015
- c. Six (6) Color Offset Press XL106 (28" x 41")
- d. Keonig & Bauer 106X7+L, Seven (7) Color - GP7-06-05016A (Authorized 2022)

#003

The Source 102 (Web Presses) includes the following units:

- a. 43-421 Indigo Web Press
- b. 43-450 Mark Andy 2200 Web Press Six (6) Color
- c. 43-455 Mark Andy 2210 Web Press Eight (8) Color
- d. 43-457 Mark Andy 2217 Web Press Six (6) Color

#004

Sources found to be of minor significance:

- a. Two (2) 3 million BTU/hr natural gas boilers



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