

May 31, 2002

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Steve P. Nied  
Manager Furnace Department  
Jupiter Aluminum Corporation  
1745 - 165<sup>th</sup> Street  
Hammond, Indiana 46320

Dear Mr. Neid:

Re: Exempt Construction Status  
089-15733-00201

The modification request from Jupiter Aluminum, initially received on March 19, 2002, has been reviewed. Based on the data submitted and the provisions in 326 IAC 2-7-10.5 for Part 70 modifications, it has been determined that the modification proposed for the addition of Boiler #3 is classified as exempt from the air pollution permit requirements of the IDEM. This is your approval to install Boiler #3 as applied for.

However, pursuant to 326 IAC 2-7-12(b)(1)(E), your Part 70 permit will require a significant permit modification because the new boiler (>10 MMBtu/hr) is subject to the New Source Performance Standards of 40 CFR 60, Subpart Dc, for Small Industrial Steam Generating Units. The permit modification will require a 45-day EPA review, after which the modified pages of your permit will be sent to you.

Any change or modification which may create or increase potential emissions of any criteria pollutant from the equipment covered in this exemption must be approved by the Hammond Department of Environmental Management (HDEM) before such change may occur.

If you should have any questions concerning the above, please feel free to contact me at (219) 853-6306.

Sincerely,

Ronald Holder, Engineer  
Hammond Department of Environmental Management  
Air Pollution Control Division

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