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TO: Interested Parties / Applicant

RE: Valmont Structures, Inc. dba PiRod Inc. / 099-20204-00054

FROM: Paul Dubenetzky  
Chief, Permits Branch  
Office of Air Quality

### Notice of Decision – Approval

Please be advised that on behalf of the Commissioner of the Department of Environmental Management, I have issued a decision regarding the enclosed matter. Pursuant to 326 IAC 2, this approval was effective immediately upon submittal of the application.

If you wish to challenge this decision, IC 4-21.5-3-7 requires that you file a petition for administrative review. This petition may include a request for stay of effectiveness and must be submitted to the Office of Environmental Adjudication, 100 North Senate Avenue, Government Center North, Room 1049, Indianapolis, IN 46204, **within eighteen (18) calendar days from the mailing of this notice**. The filing of a petition for administrative review is complete on the earliest of the following dates that apply to the filing:

- (1) the date the document is delivered to the Office of Environmental Adjudication (OEA);
- (2) the date of the postmark on the envelope containing the document, if the document is mailed to OEA by U.S. mail; or
- (3) The date on which the document is deposited with a private carrier, as shown by receipt issued by the carrier, if the document is sent to the OEA by private carrier.

The petition must include facts demonstrating that you are either the applicant, a person aggrieved or adversely affected by the decision or otherwise entitled to review by law. Please identify the permit, decision, or other order for which you seek review by permit number, name of the applicant, location, date of this notice and all of the following:

- (1) the name and address of the person making the request;
- (2) the interest of the person making the request;
- (3) identification of any persons represented by the person making the request;
- (4) the reasons, with particularity, for the request;
- (5) the issues, with particularity, proposed for considerations at any hearing; and
- (6) identification of the terms and conditions which, in the judgment of the person making the request, would be appropriate in the case in question to satisfy the requirements of the law governing documents of the type issued by the Commissioner.

If you have technical questions regarding the enclosed documents, please contact the Office of Air Quality, Permits Branch at (317) 233-0178. Callers from within Indiana may call toll-free at 1-800-451-6027, ext. 3-0178.

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Mr. Ronald Hanson  
Valmont Structures, Inc  
dba PiRod, Inc.  
1545 Pidco Drive  
Plymouth, Indiana 46563

Re: 099-20204-00054  
Second Notice-only change to  
MSOP 099-13721-00054

Dear Mr. Hanson:

Valmont Structures, Inc dba PiRod, Inc. was issued a permit on November 28, 2001 for a stationary metal tower construction source. A letter notifying the Office of Air Quality of a change in the Authorized Individual was received on September 30, 2004. Pursuant to the provisions of 326 IAC 2-6.1-6(d)(2) the permit is hereby revised as follows:

A.1 General Information [326 IAC 2-5.1-3(c)] [326 IAC 2-6.1-4(a)]

The Permittee owns and operates a stationary metal tower construction source.

Authorized Individual: ~~Patty Hoffer-Steele~~ **Ronald Hanson**  
Source Address: 1200 N. Oak Road Plymouth, Indiana 46563  
Mailing Address: 1545 Pidco Drive, Plymouth Indiana 46563  
Phone Number: 574-936-4221  
SIC Code: 3441  
County Location: Marshall  
County Status: Attainment for all criteria pollutants  
Source Status: Minor Source Operating Permit  
Minor Source, under PSD Rules;  
Minor Source, Section 112 of the Clean Air Act

Mr. Ronald Hanson has been designated as the Authorized Individual. Mr. Hanson replaces Patty Hoffer-Steele. Mr Hanson holds the position of Human Resources Manager and meets the requirements of 326 IAC 2-1.1-1(1).

All other conditions of the permit shall remain unchanged and in effect. Please attach a copy of this letter and the following revised permit pages to the front of the original permit.

Valmont Structures, Inc., dba PiRod, Inc.  
Plymouth, Indiana

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This decision is subject to the Indiana Administrative Orders and Procedures Act - IC 4-21.5-3-5. If you have any questions on this matter, please contact Gary Freeman, at (800) 451-6027, press 0 and ask for Gary Freeman or extension 3-5334, or dial (317) 233-5334.

Sincerely,

Original signed by  
Paul Dubenetzky, Chief  
Permits Branch  
Office of Air Quality

Attachments: Updated pages

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cc: File - Marshall County  
Marshall County Health Department  
Air Compliance Section Inspector: Rick Reynolds  
Permit Review Section 1- Gary Freeman  
Billing, Licensing and Training Section - Chet Bohannon  
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**MINOR SOURCE OPERATING PERMIT  
 OFFICE OF AIR QUALITY**

**Valmont Structures, Inc., d.b.a., PiRod, Inc.  
 1200 N. Oak Road  
 Plymouth, Indiana 46563**

(herein known as the Permittee) is hereby authorized to operate subject to the conditions contained herein, the emission units described in Section A (Source Summary) of this permit.

This permit is issued to the above mentioned company under the provisions of 326 IAC 2-1.1, 326 IAC 2-6.1 and 40 CFR 52.780, with conditions listed on the attached pages.

Operation Permit No.: MSOP 099-13721-00054	
Issued by: Original Signed By Paul Dubenetzky, Branch Chief Office of Air Quality	Issuance Date: November 28, 2001  Expiration Date: November 28, 2006

First Notice Only Change 099-19214-00054, issued June 16, 2004

Second Notice-Only Change: 099-20204-00054	Affected Page: 4
Issued by: Original signed by Paul Dubenetzky, Branch Chief Office of Air Quality	Issued Date: November 9, 2004

## SECTION A

## SOURCE SUMMARY

This permit is based on information requested by the Indiana Department of Environmental Management (IDEM), Office of Air Quality (OAQ). The information describing the source contained in Conditions A.1 and A.2 are descriptive information and does not constitute enforceable conditions. However, the Permittee should be aware that a physical change or a change in the method of operation that may render this descriptive information obsolete or inaccurate may trigger requirements for the Permittee to obtain additional permits or seek modification of this permit pursuant to 326 IAC 2, or change other applicable requirements presented in the permit application.

### A.1 General Information [326 IAC 2-5.1-3(c)] [326 IAC 2-6.1-4(a)]

The Permittee owns and operates a stationary metal tower construction source.

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Mailing Address: 1545 Pidco Drive, Plymouth Indiana 46563  
Phone Number: 574-936-4221  
SIC Code: 3441  
County Location: Marshall  
County Status: Attainment for all criteria pollutants  
Source Status: Minor Source Operating Permit  
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### A.2 Emissions Units and Pollution Control Equipment Summary

This stationary source is approved to operate the following emissions units and pollution control devices:

- (a) One (1) paint booth, known as PB1, installed in 1981, exhausted to stacks S1 - S4, equipped with dry filters for particulate overspray control, capacity: 4.744 linear feet of metal per hour.
- (b) One (1) shotblaster, known as DC1, installed in 1981, exhausted to DC1, equipped with a baghouse, capacity: 2,836 pounds of metal per hour.
- I. Thirty-three (33) MIG welders, maximum electrode consumption: 6.0 pounds per hour per station.
- (d) Five (5) natural gas-fired radiant heaters, known as RH1 - RH5, rated at 0.4 million British thermal units per hour, each.
- (e) One (1) natural gas-fired radiant heater, known as RH6, rated at 0.175 million British thermal units per hour.
- (f) Four (4) natural gas-fired furnaces, known as H1 - H4, rated at 0.4 million British thermal units per hour, each.
- (g) Two (2) natural gas-fired furnaces, known as H5 and H6, rated at 0.9 million British thermal units per hour, each.
- (h) Two (2) natural gas-fired furnaces, known as H7 and H8, rated at 0.3 million British thermal units per hour, each.
- (i) Two (2) natural gas-fired furnaces, known as H9 and H10, rated at 0.4 million British thermal units per hour, each.