



June 17, 2009

Mr. Bob Renfro, General Manager
Fliteline Engine Supply
1412 Phoenix
Fort Smith, AR 72901

RE: Complaint Investigation at the Fliteline Engine Supply facility.

Dear Mr. Renfro:

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The above items require your immediate attention. Please submit a written response to this finding to Cindy Garner, Water Division Enforcement Branch Manager. The response should be mailed to the address below. This response should contain documentation describing the course of action taken to correct the item noted. This corrective action should be completed as soon as possible, and the written response with all necessary documentation (i.e. picture) is due by July 2, 2009.

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If I can be of any assistance, please contact me at 479-452-4822 ext. 11

Sincerely,

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Jeff Tyler
District 4 Field Inspector
Water Division

cc: Water Division Enforcement Branch
Water Division Permits Branch

Water Division Photographic Evidence Sheet									
Location:		Fliteline Engine Supply located on Phoenix Avenue in Fort Smith							
Photographer:		Jeff Tyler				Witness:		None	
Photo #	1	Of	4		Date:	06-16-09	Time:	1438	
Description:		The compressor which is located on the back side of the cylinder head department.							
									
Photographer:		Jeff Tyler				Witness:		None	
Photo #	2	Of	4		Date:	06-16-09	Time:	1438	
Description:		Evidence of used oil which has leaked from the compressor and flowed across the pad.							
									

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Photo #	3	Of	4	Date:	06-16-09	Time:	1421
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Description:	Hundreds of used engines stored directly on the ground with no protection from rainfall.						
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Photographer:	Jeff Tyler				Witness:	None	
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Photo #	4	Of	4	Date:	06-16-09	Time:	1421
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Description:	Used engines stored on ground, many with the oil filter still attached.						
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WATER DIVISION COMPLAINT REPORTGPS LOCATION:
N 35°20'20" W 94° 25'14"AFIN: **66-00446**PERMIT#: **NA**DATE RECEIVED: **June 2, 2009**COUNTY: **Sebastian**COMPLAINANT NAME: **Anonymous**COMPLAINT AGAINST: **Fliteline Engine Supply**ADDRESS: **NA**ADDRESS: **1412 Phoenix-Fort Smith**PHONE: **NA**PHONE: **1-800-726-1427****TRACKING & REFERRAL INFORMATION**PERSON RECEIVING REPORT:
Hazardous Waste DivisionDATE:
04-30-09SUPERVISOR REFERRAL:
Penny WilsonDATE:
04-30-09INSPECTOR REFERRAL:
Martin BoydDATE:
04-30-09MEDIA SUPERVISOR REFERRAL:
Eric FlemingDATE:
06-02-09

PHONE REFERRAL CONTACT:

DATE:

RECEIVING INSPECTOR:
Jeff TylerDATE:
06-02-09COMPLAINT RECEIVED BY: ☒PHONE ☐LETTER ☐VERBAL ☐INTERNET ☐EMAIL**DETAILED DESCRIPTION**

Complaint was sent to ADEQ from region 6 EPA. Oil waste on floor of shop and outside of building, waste oil and antifreeze not contained, parts washer leaking, and rinsing parts off and allowing the water to drain outside the building.

LOCATION**1412 Phoenix**PREVIOUS COMPLAINT: ☐YES ☒NO DATES:DISCHARGE TO STREAM: ☐YES ☒NO NAME OF STREAM:**INVESTIGATION**INSPECTOR:
Jeff TylerDATE:
June 16, 2009ACTION TAKEN: **On-site Investigation**PHOTOS TAKEN: ☒YES ☐NO

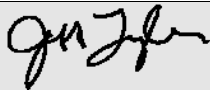
Upon arrival at the site, I met with Bob Renfro, General Manager of Fliteline Engine Supply. I explained that I was conducting a follow up investigation in regard to the April 30, 2009, complaint. During the inspection of the site, I observed the back side of the property; this is the area where engines are staged. It appeared that all engines were stored directly on the ground without any protection from rainfall events. Many of the used engines stored on the lot still had the oil filter attached. A storm water drain is located within the lot where all of the used engines are staged. On the inside of the plant, I observed the parts washer and a dipping vat. There was evidence that the equipment had leaked during operation. According to Mr. Renfro, all waste water produced by this equipment was sent to the public sewer.

We also toured the cylinder head department. There was a location on the back side of the building where the concrete pad was heavily stained with evidence of used oil. It was apparent that the used oil was leaking from the compressor and draining to a grassy area. Mr. Renfro was advised that the used oil must be contained and the impacted area should be cleaned.

I also advised Mr. Renfro that he should contact the Department's Storm Water engineers to discuss whether he must apply for an Industrial Storm Water Permit.

FURTHER ACTION:

Letter will be sent to Fliteline and the Enforcement Branch. City of Fort Smith Pre-treatment Coordinator will also be contacted in regard to the facility and the complaint.

SIGNATURE: **Jeff Tyler**

DATE: **June 17, 2009**



1412 Phoenix Ave
Fort Smith, Arkansas 72901

June 30, 2009

Cindy Garner
Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality
Water Division Enforcement Branch Manager
5301 Northside Dr.
North Little Rock, Arkansas 72118-5317

RE: Complaint Investigation at the Fliteline Engine Supply facility

Dear Ms. Garner,

In response to Jeff Tyler's letter date June 17, 2009 I have attached a picture showing the changes made to our air compressors to eliminate a potential water hazard. As shown in the picture we have attached drain hoses to each compressor and routed them to a collection drum to enable capturing of excess condensation buildup. Once we've collected enough drainage we will have FCC Environmental pick it up for proper disposal as we have in the past. See attached invoice from previous disposal.

We hope this resolves this issue and if you should have any further recommendations, suggestions or changes please let me know.

Sincerely,

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Bob Renfro
General Manager
Fliteline Engine Supply





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Department of Environmental Quality

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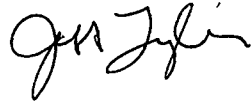
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Jeff Tyler
District 4 Field Inspector
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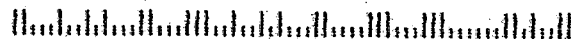


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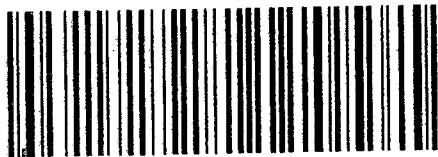
**RETURN RECEIPT
REQUESTED**

Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality
Attn: Cindy Garner
Water Division Enforcement Branch Manager
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North Little Rock, Arkansas 72118-5317

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ARKANSAS
Department of Environmental Quality

August 6, 2009

Mr. Bob Renfro, General Manager
Fliteline Engine Supply
1412 Phoenix
Fort Smith, AR 72901

RE: Complaint Investigation Response, AFIN: 66-00446

Dear Mr. Renfro:

The Department has received your response to the June 16, 2009 inspection of your facility by our District Field Inspector, Jeff Tyler. Your letter appears to adequately address the discrepancies identified during the visit. The Department assumes the corrective actions taken will be maintained to ensure consistent compliance with the requirements of the permit. Acceptance of this response by the Department does not preclude any future enforcement action deemed necessary at this site or any other site.

The Department will keep the inspection and response on file. If future violations occur that require enforcement action, the Department will consider the inspection and response as required by the Pollution Control and Ecology Commission Regulation No. 7, Civil Penalties. This regulation requires the Department to consider the past history of your company and how expeditiously the violations were addressed in determining any civil penalty that may be necessary for any future violations.

If we need further information concerning this matter, we will contact you. Thank you for your attention to this matter. Should you have any questions, feel free to contact me at 501-682-0667 or you may e-mail me at blaket@adeq.state.ar.us.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Tracey Blake".

Tracey Blake
Enforcement Analyst
Water Division Enforcement Branch