

ALABAMA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT

IN THE MATTER OF

SHELCO FOUNDRIES, INC.
Jacksonville, Calhoun County, Alabama

AIR PERMIT NO. 301-0034-Z001

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER
No. 94-029-AP

FINDINGS OF FACT

Pursuant to the provisions of the Alabama Environmental Management Act, §§22-22A-1 through 22-22A-16, Code of Alabama 1975 (1990 Rpl.Vol.), the Alabama Air Pollution Control Act, §§22-28-1 through 22-28-23, Code of Alabama 1975 (1990 Rpl.Vol.), and the ADEM Administrative Code of Regulations ("ADEM Admin. Code R.") promulgated pursuant thereto, the Alabama Department of Environmental Management (hereinafter, "the Department") makes the following FINDINGS OF FACT:

1. SHELCO FOUNDRIES, INC. (hereinafter, "the owner/operator"), is the permitted owner and/or operator of a gray and ductile iron foundry located on Griffin Street in Jacksonville, Calhoun County, Alabama, operating under the authority of ADEM Air Permit No. 301-0034-Z001, issued March 28, 1980. Said permit authorizes the operation of an electric induction furnace with metal inoculation.

2. Pursuant to ADEM Air Permit No. 301-0034-Z001, Provision No. 3, a new permit application must be made for new sources, replacements, alterations, or design changes which may result in the issuance of, or an increase in the issuance of, air contaminants, or the use of which may eliminate, reduce or control the issuance of air contaminants.

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3. Pursuant to ADEM Admin. Code R. 335-3-14-.01, any person building, erecting, altering, or replacing any article, machine, equipment or other contrivance, the use of which may cause the issuance of or an increase in the issuance of air contaminants, or the use of which may eliminate, reduce or control the issuance of air contaminants, shall first obtain authorization for such construction from the director in the form of an Air Permit.

4. On July 21, 1993, during an inspection of the subject facility, Department personnel observed that the baghouse for the metal inoculation process had been removed without prior authorization, in violation of ADEM Admin. Code R. 335-3-14-.01 and ADEM Air Permit No. 301-0034-Z001, Provision Number 3.

5. On August 13, 1993, the department issued a Notice of Violation (NOV) to the owner/operator citing the violation observed during the inspection on July 21, 1993.

6. In a written response dated August 27, 1993, the owner/operator reported that the baghouse was unserviceable and had been removed from service on July 18, 1993.

ORDER

Based on the foregoing FINDINGS OF FACT and pursuant to §§22-22A-1 to 22-22A-15, and 22-28-1 to 22-28-23, Code of Alabama 1975 (1990 Rpl.Vol.), it is hereby ORDERED:

A. That there is assessed a civil penalty against the owner/operator in the amount of \$ 7,500.00 to be paid to the Alabama Department of Environmental Management within thirty (30) days of receipt of this Order.

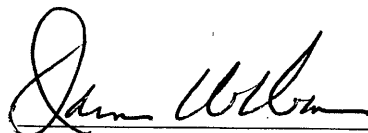
B. That the owner/operator shall install, maintain and operate a control device to collect particulate emissions from the metal inoculation process in compliance with the terms and conditions of ADEM Air Permit No. 301-0034-Z001 and all applicable ADEM Air Regulations.

C. That on or before February 14, 1994, the owner/operator shall install, maintain and operate a SIGMAT control box to control emissions from the metal inoculation process. Any alteration of the baghouse, hood, or SIGMAT control box shall require prior approval from the Department.

D. That immediately upon receipt of this Order, the owner/operator otherwise shall operate at all times in compliance with all applicable ADEM Air Regulations and permit requirements, and shall continuously remain in compliance therewith each and every day the facility is in operation.

E. That failure to comply with the provisions of this Order shall constitute cause for commencement of legal action by the Department against the owner/operator for recovery of civil penalties, criminal fines, or other appropriate sanctions or relief.

ORDERED and ISSUED this 13th day of January, 1994.



James W. Warr, Director
Alabama Department of Environmental
Management
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Certificate of Service

I, Thomas L. Johnston, hereby certify that I have this date served the foregoing Administrative Order No. 94-029-AP, Certified Mail (No. P-045-122-834), return receipt requested, postage prepaid and properly addressed to:

Mr. Dave Mynatt, President
SHELCO FOUNDRIES, INC.
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Dated: January 13, 1994



Thomas L. Johnston