

# **STATE OF MISSISSIPPI AIR POLLUTION CONTROL PERMIT**

**TO CONSTRUCT AIR EMISSIONS EQUIPMENT**

## **THIS CERTIFIES THAT**

Cushions To Go LLC, Plant 3  
1 Fashion Way  
Baldwyn, Mississippi  
Prentiss County

has been granted permission to construct air emissions equipment to comply with the emission limitations, monitoring requirements and other conditions set forth herein. This permit is issued in accordance with the provisions of the Mississippi Air and Water Pollution Control Law (Section 49-17-1 et. seq., Mississippi Code of 1972), and the regulations and standards adopted and promulgated thereunder.

**MISSISSIPPI ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY PERMIT BOARD**

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**AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE**  
**MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY**

**Issued:**\_\_\_\_\_

**Permit No.: 2340-00052**

Draft/Proposed

**SECTION 1**

**A. GENERAL CONDITIONS**

1. This permit is for air pollution control purposes only. (Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 2, R. 2.1.D.)
2. Any activities not identified in the application are not authorized by this permit. (Ref.: Miss. Code Ann. 49-17-29 1.b)
3. The knowing submittal of a permit application with false information may serve as the basis for the Permit Board to void the permit issued pursuant thereto or subject the applicant to penalties for operating without a valid permit pursuant to State Law. (Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 2, R. 2.2.B(5).)
4. It is the responsibility of the applicant/permittee to obtain all other approvals, permits, clearances, easements, agreements, etc., which may be required including, but not limited to, all required local government zoning approvals or permits. (Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 2, R. 2.1.D(6).)
5. The issuance of a permit does not release the permittee from liability for constructing or operating air emissions equipment in violation of any applicable statute, rule, or regulation of state or federal environmental authorities. (Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 2, R. 2.2.B(7).)
6. It shall not be a defense for a permittee in an enforcement action that it would have been necessary to halt or reduce the permitted activity in order to maintain compliance with the conditions of the permit, unless halting or reducing activity would create an imminent and substantial endangerment threatening the public health and safety of the lives and property of the people of this state. (Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 2, R. 2.2.B(15)(a).)
7. The permit and/or any part thereof may be modified, revoked, reopened, and reissued, or terminated for cause. Sufficient cause for a permit to be reopened shall exist when an air emissions stationary source becomes subject to Title V. The filing of a request by the permittee for a permit modification, revocation and reissuance, or termination, or of a notification of planned changes or anticipated noncompliance does not stay any permit condition. (Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 2, R. 2.2.B(15)(b).)
8. The permit does not convey any property rights of any sort, or any exclusive privilege. (Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 2, R. 2.2.B(15)(c).)
9. The permittee shall furnish to the DEQ within a reasonable time any information the DEQ may request in writing to determine whether cause exists for modifying, revoking and reissuing, or terminating the permit or to determine compliance with the permit. Upon request, the permittee shall also furnish to the DEQ copies of records required to be kept by the permit or, for information claimed to be confidential, the permittee shall furnish such records to the DEQ along with a claim of confidentiality. The permittee may furnish such

records directly to the Administrator along with a claim of confidentiality. (Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 2, R. 2.2.B(15)(d).)

10. Design and Construction Requirements: The stationary source shall be designed and constructed so as to operate without causing a violation of an Applicable Rules and Regulations, without interfering with the attainment and maintenance of State and National Ambient Air Quality Standards, and such that the emission of air toxics does not result in an ambient concentration sufficient to adversely affect human health and well-being or unreasonably and adversely affect plant or animal life beyond the stationary source boundaries. (Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 2, R. 2.5.A.)
11. Solids Removal: The necessary facilities shall be constructed so that solids removed in the course of control of air emissions may be disposed of in a manner such as to prevent the solids from becoming windborne and to prevent the materials from entering State waters without the proper environmental permits. (Ref.: Miss. Code Ann. 49-17-29)
12. Diversion and Bypass of Air Pollution Controls: The air pollution control facilities shall be constructed such that diversion from or bypass of collection and control facilities is not needed except as provided for in 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 2, R. 1.10., "Air Emission Regulations for the Prevention, Abatement, and Control of Air Contaminants." (Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 2, R. 1.10.)
13. Fugitive Dust Emissions from Construction Activities: The construction of the stationary source shall be performed in such a manner so as to reduce fugitive dust emissions from construction activities to a minimum. (Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 2, R. 2.5.A(4).)
14. Right of Entry: The permittee shall allow the Mississippi Department of Environmental Quality Office of Pollution Control and the Mississippi Environmental Quality Permit Board and/or their representatives upon presentation of credentials:
  - a) To enter upon the permittee's premises where an air emission source is located or in which any records are required to be kept under the terms and conditions of this permit; and
  - b) At reasonable times to have access to and copy any records required to be kept under the terms and conditions of this permit; to inspect any monitoring equipment or monitoring method required in this permit; and to sample any air emissions. (Ref.: Miss. Code Ann. 49-17-21)
15. Permit Modification or Revocation: After notice and opportunity for a hearing, the Permit Board may modify the permit or revoke it in whole or in part for good cause shown including, but not limited to:
  - a) Persistent violation of any of the terms or conditions of this permit;

- b) Obtaining this permit by misrepresentation or failure to disclose fully all relevant facts;  
or
- c) A change in federal, state, or local laws or regulations that require either a temporary or permanent reduction or elimination of previously authorized air emission.

(Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 2, R. 2.2.C.)

16. Public Record and Confidential Information: Except for data determined to be confidential under the Mississippi Air & Water Pollution Control Law, all reports prepared in accordance with the terms of this permit shall be available for public inspection at the offices of the Mississippi Department of Environmental Quality, Office of Pollution Control. (Ref.: Miss. Code Ann. 49-17-39)
17. Permit Transfer: This permit shall not be transferred except upon approval of the Permit Board. (Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 2, R. 2.16.B)
18. Severability: The provisions of this permit are severable. If any provision of the permit, or the application of any provision of the permit to any circumstances, is challenged or held invalid, the validity of the remaining permit provisions and/or portions thereof or their application to other persons or sets of circumstances, shall not be affected thereby. (Ref. 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 2, R. 2.1.D(7).)
19. Permit Expiration: The permit to construct will expire if construction does not begin within eighteen (18) months from the date of issuance or if construction is suspended for eighteen (18) months or more. (Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 2, R. 2.5.C(1).)
20. Certification of Construction: A new stationary source issued a Permit to Construct cannot begin operation until certification of construction by the permittee. (Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 2, R. 2.5.D(3).)
21. Beginning Operation: Except as prohibited in Section 1, Condition 24 of this permit, after certification of construction by the permittee, the Permit to Construct shall be deemed to satisfy the requirement for a permit to operate until the date the application for issuance or modification of the Title V Permit or the application for issuance or modification of the State Permit to Operate, whichever is applicable, is due. This provision is not applicable to a source excluded from the requirement for a permit to operate as provided by 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 2, R. 2.13.G. (Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 2, R. 2.5.D(4).)
22. Application for a Permit to Operate: Except as otherwise specified in Section 1, Condition 24 of this permit, the application for issuance or modification of the State Permit to Operate or the Title V Permit, whichever is applicable, is due twelve (12) months after beginning operation or such earlier date or time as specified in the Permit to Construct. The Permit Board may specify an earlier date or time for submittal of the application. Beginning operation will be assumed to occur upon certification of construction, unless the permittee specifies differently in writing. (Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 2, R. 2.5.D(5).)

23. Operating Under a Permit to Construct: Except as otherwise specified in Section 1, Condition 24 of this permit, upon submittal of a timely and complete application for issuance or modification of a State Permit to Operate or a Title V Permit, whichever is applicable, the applicant may continue to operate under the terms and conditions of the Permit to Construct and in compliance with the submitted application until the Permit Board issues, modifies, or denies the Permit to Operate. (Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 2, R. 2.5.D(6).)
24. Application Requirements for a Permit to Operate for Moderate Modifications: For moderate modifications that require contemporaneous enforceable emissions reductions from more than one emission point in order to “net” out of PSD/NSR, the applicable Title V Permit to Operate or State Permit to Operate must be modified prior to beginning operation of the modified facilities. (Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 2, R. 2.5.D(7).)
25. General Duty: All air emission equipment shall be operated as efficiently as possible to provide the maximum reduction of air contaminants. (Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 2, R. 2.2.B(10).)
26. Deviation Reporting: Except as otherwise specified herein, the permittee shall report all deviations from permit requirements, including those attributable to upsets, the probable cause of such deviations, and any corrective actions or preventive measures taken. Said report shall be made within five (5) working days of the time the deviation began. (Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 2, R. 2.2.B(10).)
27. Compliance Testing: Regarding compliance testing:
- a) The results of any emissions sampling and analysis shall be expressed both in units consistent with the standards set forth in any Applicable Rules and Regulations or this permit and in units of mass per time.
  - b) Compliance testing will be performed at the expense of the permittee.
  - c) Each emission sampling and analysis report shall include but not be limited to the following:
    - (1) detailed description of testing procedures;
    - (2) sample calculation(s);
    - (3) results; and
    - (4) comparison of results to all Applicable Rules and Regulations and to emission limitations in the permit.
- (Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 2, R. 2.6.B(3), (4), and (6).)

**B. GENERAL NOTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS**

1. Within fifteen (15) days of beginning actual construction, the permittee must notify DEQ in writing that construction has begun. (Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 2, R. 2.5.C(2).)
2. The permittee must notify DEQ in writing when construction does not begin within eighteen (18) months of issuance or if construction is suspended for eighteen (18) months or more. (Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 2, R. 2.5.C(3).)
3. Upon the completion of construction or installation of an approved stationary source or modification, and prior to commencing operation, the applicant shall notify the Permit Board that construction or installation was performed in accordance with the approved plans and specifications on file with the Permit Board. (Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 2, R. 2.5.D(1) and (3).)
4. The Permit Board shall be promptly notified in writing of any change in construction from the previously approved plans and specifications or permit. If the Permit Board determines the changes are substantial, it may require the submission of a new application to construct with “as built” plans and specifications. Notwithstanding any provision herein to the contrary, the acceptance of an “as built” application shall not constitute a waiver of the right to seek compliance penalties pursuant to State Law. (Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 2, R. 2.5.D(2).)

**SECTION 2**  
**EMISSION POINT DESCRIPTION**

The permittee is authorized to construct and operate, upon certification of construction, air emissions equipment, as described in the following table.

<b>Emission Point</b>	<b>Description</b>
AA-001	Adhesive Spray Operations – Six (6) adhesive spray booths and one (1) continuous adhesive spray station. Each booth has two (2) spray locations. All are vented to a common exhaust stack.
AA-002	Adhesive Spray Operations – Six (6) adhesive spray booths and one (1) continuous adhesive spray station. Each booth has two (2) spray locations. All are vented to a common exhaust stack.
AA-003	Foam and Fiber Operation – Foam and fiber are cut and shaped to desired patterns. Once shaped, the foam and fiber components are glued together to form foam cushions.
AA-004	Fuel Burning Equipment – Six (6) natural gas-fired space heaters, each with a rated capacity of 0.3 MMBTU/hr

### SECTION 3 EMISSION LIMITATIONS AND STANDARDS

Emission Point	Applicable Requirement	Condition Number(s)	Pollutant/Parameter	Limitation/Standard
Facility Wide	11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 2, R. 1.3.A and B	3.1	Opacity	< 40%
	11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 2, R. 1.3.F(1)	3.2	PM (filterable only)	$E = 4.1p^{0.67}$
	11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 2, R. 2.2.B(10)	3.3	VOC	< 99 tons/year
	11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 2, R. 2.2.B(10)	3.4	Individual HAP	< 9.9 tons/year
	11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 2, R. 2.2.B(10)	3.5	Total HAP	< 24.9 tons/year
AA-001 AA-002	National Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants for Polyurethane Foam Production and Fabrication Area Sources  40 CFR 63.11414(a)(2), (b)(4), and (c) and 40 CFR 63.11415(d)	3.6	HAP	New Source Applicability
	40 CFR 63.11416(e), Subpart OOOOOO	3.7	Methylene Chloride	No Methylene Chloride allowed
AA-004	11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 2, R. 1.3.D(1)(2)	3.8	PM (filterable only)	0.6 lb/MMBTU
	11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 2, R. 1.4.A(1)	3.9	SO <sub>2</sub>	4.8 lb/MMBTU

- 3.1 For the entire facility, the permittee shall not cause, permit, or allow emissions of smoke from any point source into the open air from any manufacturing, industrial, commercial or waste disposal process which exceeds forty (40) percent opacity subject to the exceptions provided in (a) and (b).
- (a) Startup operations may produce emissions which exceed 40% opacity for up to fifteen (15) minutes per startup in any one hour and not to exceed three (3) startups per stack in any twenty-four (24) hour period.
  - (b) Emissions resulting from soot blowing operations shall be permitted provided such emissions do not exceed 60% opacity, and provided further that the aggregate duration of such emissions during any twenty-four (24) hour period



does not exceed ten (10) minutes per billion BTU gross heating value of fuel in any one hour.

(Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 2, R. 1.3.A and B)

- 3.2 For the entire facility, no person shall cause, permit, or allow the emission of particulate matter in total quantities in any one hour from any manufacturing process, which includes any associated stacks, vents, outlets, or combination thereof, to exceed the amount determined by the relationship

$$E = 4.1p^{0.67}$$

where E is the emission rate in pounds per hour and p is the process weight input rate in tons per hour.

(Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 2, R. 1.3.F(1))

- 3.3 For the entire facility, the permittee shall limit Volatile Organic Compound (VOC) emissions to no more than 99.0 tons/year as determined for each consecutive 12-month period.

(Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 2, R. 2.2.B(10))

- 3.4 For the entire facility, the permittee shall limit Individual Hazardous Air Pollutant (HAP) emissions to no more than 9.9 tons/year as determined for each consecutive 12-month period.

(Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 2, R. 2.2.B(10))

- 3.5 For the entire facility, the permittee shall limit Total Hazardous Air Pollutant (HAP) emissions to no more than 24.9 tons/year as determined for each consecutive 12-month period.

(Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 2, R. 2.2.B(10))

- 3.6 For Emission Points AA-001 and AA-002, the permittee is subject to and shall comply with the applicable requirements of the National Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants for Polyurethane Foam Production and Fabrication Area Sources (40 CFR 63, Subpart OOOOOO) and the General Provisions (40 CFR 63, Subpart A).

The facility must achieve compliance with the provisions of this subpart upon startup of the affected source.

(Ref.: 40 CFR 63.11414(a)(2), (b)(4), and (c) and 40 CFR 11415(d), Subpart OOOOOO)

- 3.7 For Emission Points AA-001 and AA-002, the permittee shall not use any adhesive containing methylene chloride in a flexible polyurethane foam fabrication process.

(Ref.: 40 CFR 63.11416(e), Subpart OOOOOO)

- 3.8 For Emission Point AA-004, the maximum permissible emission of ash and/or particulate matter from fossil fuel burning installations shall not exceed 0.6 pounds per million BTU per hour heat input.

(Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 2, R. 1.3.D(1)(a))

- 3.9 For Emission Point AA-004, the maximum discharge of sulfur oxides from any fuel burning installation in which the fuel is burned primarily to produce heat or power by indirect heat transfer shall not exceed 4.8 pounds (measured as sulfur dioxide) per million BTU heat input.

(Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 2, R. 1.4.A(1))

**SECTION 4  
WORK PRACTICES**

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STANDARDS APPLY TO THIS PERMIT ACTION**

## SECTION 5 MONITORING AND RECORDKEEPING REQUIREMENTS

Emission Point	Applicable Requirement	Condition Number(s)	Pollutant/Parameter	Monitoring/Recordkeeping Requirement
Facility Wide	11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 2, R. 2.2.B(11)	5.1	VOC/HAP	Monitoring and Recordkeeping for VOC or HAP containing material used
	11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 2, R. 2.9	5.2		Maintain Records onsite for 5 years
AA-001 AA-002	40 CFR 63.11416(f), Subpart OOOOOO	5.3	HAP	Compliance Demonstration

5.1 For the entire facility, the permittee shall determine the following for each coating, adhesive, solvent or other VOC or HAP containing material used and maintain sufficient records to document:

- (a) The identification of each coating, adhesive, solvent or other VOC or HAP containing material and the total gallons of each coating, adhesive, solvent or other VOC or HAP material used on a monthly basis and in each consecutive 12-month period;
- (b) The VOC and HAP content(s) of each coating, adhesive, solvent or other VOC or HAP containing used. A description of the methods used to determine the VOC and HAP content shall accompany this data. The permittee may utilize data supplied by the manufacturer, or analysis of VOC and HAP content by EPA Test Method 24, 40 CFR 60, Appendix A and/or EPA Test Method 311, 40 CFR 63, Appendix A, and/or an alternate EPA approved test method;
- (c) The density of each coating, adhesive, solvent or other VOC or HAP containing material used;
- (d) The total VOC emission rate, the emission rate of each individual HAP and the total HAP emission rate in tons/year for each consecutive 12-month period.

(Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 2, R. 2.2.B(11))

5.2 For the entire facility, the permittee shall maintain copies of all records and reports on site for at least five (5) years and shall make them available upon request by MDEQ personnel.

(Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 2, R. 2.2.B(10))

- 5.3 For Emission Points AA-001 and AA-002, the permittee shall demonstrate compliance with the requirement in Condition 3.7 by using adhesive usage records, Material Safety Data Sheets, and engineering calculations.

(Ref.: 40 CFR 63.11416(f), Subpart OOOOOO)

**SECTION 6**  
**REPORTING REQUIREMENTS**

<b>Emission Point</b>	<b>Applicable Requirement</b>	<b>Condition Number(s)</b>	<b>Reporting Requirement</b>
AA-001 AA-002	11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 2, R. 2.2.B(11)	6.1	Annual Reporting

- 6.1 For the entire facility, the permittee shall submit a monitoring report due annually by the 31<sup>st</sup> of January for the preceding calendar year. This report shall provide the following:
- (a) The identification of each coating adhesive, solvent or other VOC or HAP containing material used;
  - (b) The VOC and HAP content(s) of each coating, adhesive, solvent, or other VOC or HAP containing material used;
  - (c) The total gallons of each coating, adhesive, solvent or other VOC or HAP containing material used in each consecutive 12-month period;
  - (d) The total VOC emission rate the emission rate of each individual HAP, and the total HAP emission rate in tons per month and tons per year for each consecutive 12-month period.

(Ref.: 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 2, R. 2.2.B(11))