



STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

PHIL BRYANT
GOVERNOR

MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

TRUDY D. FISHER, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

January 23, 2014

CERTIFIED MAIL/RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Mr. James B. Archer, Vice President
Multi-Chem Group, LLC – A Halliburton Service
2905 Southwest Blvd.
San Angelo, TX 76904

**Re: Multi Chem Group LLC Laurel Facility
Agreed Order No. 6386 14**

Dear Mr. Archer:

Enclosed you will find a copy of Agreed Order No. 6386 14, which has been executed by the Executive Director of the Mississippi Department of Environmental Quality, Trudy Fisher, on behalf of the Mississippi Commission on Environmental Quality.

The enclosed Order assesses a civil penalty. The penalty payment, when due, should be made by check payable to the Mississippi Department of Environmental Quality and returned in the enclosed, self-addressed envelope to the MDEQ Fees Division at P.O. Box 2339, Jackson, MS 39225.

If you have any questions regarding your obligations under the enclosed order, please contact Jaricus Whitlock at (601) 961-5303.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Chris Sanders".

Chris Sanders, P.E.
Chief, Environmental Compliance and Enforcement Division

Enclosure
cc: Jaricus Whitlock

Agency Interest No. 56789
ENF20130002

OFFICE OF POLLUTION CONTROL

BEFORE THE MISSISSIPPI COMMISSION
ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

MISSISSIPPI COMMISSION ON
ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

COMPLAINANT

VS.

ORDER NO. 6386 141

MULTI-CHEM GROUP, LLC
1643 HIGHWAY 184 EAST
LAUREL, MS 39443

RESPONDENT

AGREED ORDER

COME NOW the Mississippi Commission on Environmental Quality (Commission), acting through the staff and Executive Director of the Mississippi Department of Environmental Quality (MDEQ), Complainant, and Multi-Chem Group, LLC, Respondent, in the above captioned cause and agree as follows:

1.

By letter dated August 8, 2013, Respondent was contacted by Complainant and notified of the following violation(s) at its facility located at 1643 Highway 184 East, Laurel, Mississippi in Jones County:

- A. On April 29, 2013, a Compliance Evaluation Inspection (CEI) revealed that Respondent failed to display adequate knowledge and training in regards to management of the site's hazardous waste as required by Respondent's hazardous waste generation status and promulgated by 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 3, Ch. 1, Rule 1.3 / 40 C.F.R. § 264.16.

- B. Respondent failed to make a hazardous waste determination in a timely manner as required by Respondent's hazardous waste generation status and promulgated by 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 3, Ch. 1, Rule 1.3 / 40 C.F.R. § 262.11.
- C. During an administrative conference conducted on August 27, 2013, Respondent supplied documentation that indicated on-site personnel had received required hazardous waste training as well as corporate procedures for continued refresher training. Respondent further provided the protocol for waste identification and characterization to ensure compliance with the applicable regulations proceeding forward.

2.

In lieu of a formal enforcement hearing concerning the violations listed above,
Complainant and Respondent agree to settle this matter as follows:

- A. Respondent agrees to pay and Complainant agrees to accept a civil penalty in the amount of \$6,000.00. Respondent shall pay this penalty to MDEQ within forty-five (45) days after this Agreed Order has been executed by the MDEQ Executive Director or their designee. The settlement payment shall be submitted to:

Mississippi Department of Environmental Quality
Attn: Ms. Jennifer Parish
P.O. Box 2339
Jackson, MS 39225

3.

Nothing in this Agreed Order shall limit the rights of MDEQ or the Commission in the event Respondent fails to comply with this Agreed Order. The Agreed Order shall be strictly construed to apply to those matters expressly resolved herein.

4.

Nothing contained in this Agreed Order shall limit the rights of MDEQ or the

Commission to take enforcement or other actions against Respondent for violations not addressed herein and for future violations of environmental laws, rules, and regulations.

5.

Respondent understands and acknowledges that it is entitled to an evidentiary hearing before the Commission pursuant to Miss. Code Ann. § 49-17-31, and that it has made an informed waiver of that right.

ORDERED, this the 23 day of January, 2013.

MISSISSIPPI COMMISSION ON
ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

BY: [Signature]
TRUDY D. FISHER
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR
MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT
OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

AGREED, this the 23RD day of DECEMBER, 2013.

Multi Chem Group LLC Laurel Facility

BY: [Signature]

TITLE: President

STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF TOM GREEN

PERSONALLY appeared before me, the undersigned authority in and for the jurisdiction aforesaid, the within named JAMES B ARCHER who first being duly sworn, did state upon his/her oath and acknowledge to me that he/she is the VICE PRESIDENT of Multi Chem Group LLC Laurel Facility and is authorized to sign and enter this Agreement.

SWORN AND SUBSCRIBED BEFORE ME, this the 23 day of December, 2013.

[Signature]
NOTARY PUBLIC

My Commission expires: 5/18/2014

