



AIR QUALITY
MANAGEMENT DISTRICT

April 7, 1999

Mr. Jim Douglas
President
Prestige Cleaners
4333 Winters St.
Sacramento, CA 95838

RE: Exempt from District Permitting Requirements

Dear Mr. Douglas:

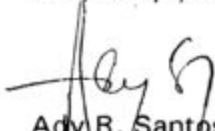
The District received your application for Authority to Construct and Permit to Operate two dry cleaning equipment that will use a new proprietary dry cleaning solvent, PPP SB32. The ingredient in the proposed solvent is on the list of compounds that are excluded from the definition of volatile organic compound (VOC) pursuant to the Code of Federal Regulations (40 CFR 51.100) and the SMAQMD Rule 101. This compound is not listed as a hazardous air pollutant (HAP) as well.

In this regard, Prestige Cleaners' dry cleaning operations at 4333 Winters St., Sacramento is exempt from the District's permitting requirements provided the dry cleaning solvent used is an exempt compound and is not listed as HAP (Reference: SMAQMD Rule 201).

We are also returning a check you issued for the permit renewal fees for Tripplett Cleaners in the amount of \$515.00 because Prestige Cleaners did not operate a perchloroethylene dry cleaning equipment from the time it took over that facility.

If we can be of further assistance to you, please do not hesitate to call at 386-6638.

Very truly yours,


Ady R. Santos
Air Quality Engineer

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