

Florida Department of

Environmental Protection

Hazardous Waste Inspection Report

FACILITY INFORMATION:

Facility Name: Cliff Berry Inc

On-Site Inspection Start Date: 02/22/2012 On-Site Inspection End Date: 02/22/2012

ME ID#: 36809 **EPA ID#**: FLR000009266

Facility Street Address: 400 Angle Rd, Fort Pierce, Florida 34947-2501

Contact Mailing Address: PO Box 13079, Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33316-0100

County Name: St. Lucie Contact Phone: (954) 763-3390

NOTIFIED AS:

CESQG (<100 kg/month)

Transporter Used Oil

INSPECTION TYPE:

Routine Inspection for CESQG (<100 kg/month) facility

Routine Inspection for Universal Waste Transporter facility

Routine Inspection for Used Oil Transporter facility

Routine Inspection for Used Oil Transfer Facility

Routine Inspection for Hazardous Waste Transporter facility

INSPECTION PARTICIPANTS:

Principal Inspector: Kathy R. Winston, Inspector

Other Participants: John Katzor, Assistant Facility Manager; Paul Meding, Facility Manager

LATITUDE / LONGITUDE: Lat 27° 27′ 3.234″ / Long 80° 21′ 33.0225″

SIC CODE: 4953 - Trans. & utilities - refuse systems

TYPE OF OWNERSHIP: Private

Introduction:

Cliff Berry Inc. (CBI) is a registered Used Oil Transporter, Used Oil Transfer facility, Used Oil Filter Transporter, and Used Oil Filter Transfer Facility. CBI is also a Hazardous Waste Transporter and a Conditionally Exempt Small Quantity Generator. In addition, CBI is a Small Quantity Handler and Transporter of Universal Waste, and a Transfer facility for Universal Waste lamps and devices. The facility is situated on one and half acres in a light industrial area and is connected to city water and septic. The facility is completely surrounded by security fencing and consists of a building that serves as their main office and warehouse; and a tank farm inside secondary containment, which includes two connected and contained concrete pads for loading/unloading and has a fixed storage capacity of 83,000 gallons.

Parked next to the old gasoline and diesel pumps is the tractor trailer used as the non-hazardous transfer facility (debris, used oil filters, contaminated soils, etc.) There is also a small shed that serves as the transfer facility for the Universal Waste. The facility has been in operation at this site for approximately fifteen years and has eight employees. Due to an oversight by former district personnel, this is the Department's first inspection of the facility.

Process Description:

All used oil, oily water, used oil filters and antifreeze brought to this facility is then transported by tanker trucks or tractor trailers to CBI's Miami facility. All non hazardous waste CBI picks up is

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place in a trailer still within their original containers for shipment to CBI Miami. All used oil filters, solids, etc. collected by CBI are remanifested under CBI's name before being shipped to Miami. There is a drum log kept in the rear of the trailer such that the content of the trailer is always known. CBI has box trucks that do milk runs from their facility for hazardous waste; however, the trucks don't return to the facility but instead go directly from the generator to the ten day transfer facility in Miami. The used oil truck drivers use halogen screening meters and then, if necessary, Dexisil kits when picking up the oil to ensure that it does not exceed 1000 ppm. There was no Universal Waste on site but it was explained to the inspector that it is handled on a case by case basis; the lamps and devices they do handle go to AERC in Melbourne. The fire extinguishers on site had been serviced last in April of 2011.

Records Review

The facility's Contingency Plan needed the phone numbers of the local police and fire station, as well as, the closest hospital. No other deficiencies were found in the document. All of the facility's other records were found to be in order. Inspection logs were being kept up-to-date, training was more than adequate, manifest were properly filled out and the facility's acceptance and delivery logs met all requirements and were well organized.

New Potential Violations and Areas of Concern:

Violations

Type: Violation

Rule: 62-710.500

Question Number: 29.400

Question: Is the facility registration form and ID number displayed?

Explanation: The facility's approval letters from the Department were not posted.

Corrective Action: This was corrected while inspector was on site.

Areas of Concern

Type: Area Of Concern

Rule: 265.37(a)(1)

Question Number: 1.530

Question: Has the owner/operator made arrangements with the local authorities to familiarize them

with characteristics of the facility? (Layout of facility, properties of hazardous waste handled and associated hazards, places where facility personnel would normally be

working, entrances to roads inside facility, possible evacuation routes.)

Explanation: The numbers of the local police and fire station and the nearest hospital we not included

in the Contingency Plan.

Corrective Action: Please supply the Department with the revised pages of the facility's Contingency Plan

that include the requested information.

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Conclusion:

The facility was not in compliance at the time of the inspection and was given fourteen days to return to compliance. The Department will email the facility the web address for the public access handler search allowing the facility to determine which of their clients have a EPA ID number.

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Signed:

A hazardous waste compliance inspection was conducted on this date, to determine your facility's compliance with applicable portions of Chapters 403 & 376, F.S., and Chapters 62-710, 62-730, 62-737, & 62-740 Florida Administrative Code (F.A.C.). Portions of the United States Environmental Protection Agency's Title 40 Code of Federal Regulations (C.F.R.) 260 - 279 have been adopted by reference in the state rules under Chapters 62-730 and 62-710, F.A.C. The above noted potential items of non-compliance were identified by the inspector(s).

This is not a formal enforcement action and may not be a complete listing of all items of non-compliance discovered during the inspection.

Kathy R. Winston	Inspector	
PRINCIPAL INSPECTOR NAME	PRINCIPAL INSPECTOR TITLE	
	6/5/2012	
PRINCIPAL INSPECTOR SIGNATURE	DATE	
Supervisor: Karen Kantor		

NOTE: By signing this document, the Site Representative only acknowledges receipt of this Inspection Report and is not admitting to the accuracy of any of the items identified by the Department as "Potential Violations" or areas of concern.