

# FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF Environmental Protection

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February 9, 2023

Mr. Gerry McCormick Jr. Diversified Marine Tech, Inc. 1201 North 22nd Street Tampa, FL 33605 desdmtgerry@gmail.com

Re: Diversified Marine Tech, Inc.

EPA ID No.: FLD984182733

Hillsborough County

Dear Mr. McCormick:

Department personnel conducted a compliance inspection of the above-referenced facility on January 4, 2023. Based on the information provided during the inspection, the facility was determined to be in compliance. A copy of the inspection report is attached for your records.

The Department appreciates your compliance efforts. Should you have any questions or comments, please contact Coral A. Evans at (813) 470-5912 or via e-mail at: <a href="mailto:coral.a.evans@floridadep.gov">coral.a.evans@floridadep.gov</a>.

Sincerely,

M. Brandon Miller, C.W.E. Environmental Manager

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Southwest District

Enclosures: Inspection Report

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## Florida Department of

## **Environmental Protection**

## **Hazardous Waste Inspection Report**

**FACILITY INFORMATION:** 

Facility Name: Diversified Marine Tech Inc

On-Site Inspection Start Date: 01/04/2023 On-Site Inspection End Date: 01/04/2023

**ME ID#**: 40523 **EPA ID#**: FLD984182733

Facility Street Address: 2531 Causeway Blvd , Tampa, Florida 33619-5151

Contact Mailing Address: 1201 N 22nd Street, Tampa, Florida 33605

County Name: Hillsborough Contact Phone: (813) 248-3256

**NOTIFIED AS:** 

Non-Handler, Transporter, Used Oil

**WASTE ACTIVITIES:** 

Generator: Non-Handler Transporter: Own Waste, Commercial Waste Used Oil: Oil Filters

**INSPECTION TYPE:** 

Routine Inspection for Transporter Facility

**INSPECTION PARTICIPANTS:** 

Principal Inspector: Coral Evans, Inspector

Other Participants: David Petti, Environmental Specialist III; Gerry McCormick Jr., President

**LATITUDE / LONGITUDE:** Lat 27° 55' 47.3095" / Long 82° 25' 40.105"

NAIC: 221310 - Water Supply and Irrigation Systems

TYPE OF OWNERSHIP: Private

#### Introduction:

Diversified Marine Tech, Inc. (DMT) was inspected by the Florida Department of Environmental Protection (Department) on January 4, 2022, to determine the facility's compliance with state and federal regulations regarding used oil. Diversified Environmental Services, Inc. (DES), a co-located sister company, was inspected at the same time. The facility initially notified as a Large Quantity Generator of Hazardous Waste as DES on September 27, 1990, under the name Elk River Corporation. The facility re-notified as a non-handler of hazardous waste on December 17, 1992. On April 13, 2010, the facility name was changed to DMT and on June 22, 2010, the facility registered as a Used Oil and Used Oil Filter Transporter.

Both DMT and DES are currently registered with the Department as used oil transporters and transfer facilities. Neither company has a permit for used oil processing, nor do either of the companies market used oil fuel or hazardous waste. All oil is shipped to off-site facilities for additional processing and marketing. The facility was previously inspected by the Department on May 24, 2021. Gerry McCormick Jr., President, assisted Department personnel throughout the inspection.

## **Process Description:**

DMT provides ship maintenance services and repairs and operates out of the Port of Tampa, with a full-service wet berth system in place. The facility previously used a dry docking system which is no longer in service. DMT currently has 3 employees. DMT operates Monday through Friday, from 7:30 AM to 4 PM, and occasionally will continue services until 7:30 PM. The facility uses the City of Tampa's water and sewer services.

Eight frac tanks are staged at DMT for storing oily waste, two tanks were rentals from Alder Tank Rentals and the remaining six are owned by DMT. Only one frac tank contained used oil at the time of the inspection. Oily wastewater is transferred to trucks or tankers for transport to the DES facility for further treatment. At the time of the inspection, the DES 800 barge and DES 1625 barge, used to transport oily waste, were on-site but are no longer in use. Sewage pumped from ship holding tanks is taken directly to the City of Tampa's Howard F. Curran

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Advanced Wastewater Treatment Plant.

#### Records

- Used oil is not stored at DMT for longer than 35 days; the facility uses an Excel Tracking Sheet to ensure that this timeframe is not exceeded.
- Three years worth of oil delivery records were available for review at the time of the inspection. The records included the EPA identification numbers of both companies. Records also included designated signatures and dates.
- Employee training records were up to date. The training is conducted annually, taking place at the end of January. DMT uses a third-party entity to fulfill essential training needs.
- The facility's Used Oil Transporter/Transfer Facility Registration is current through June 30, 2023. DMT's insurance/financial assurance is current and adequate.

## **Conclusion:**

At the time of the inspection, Diversified Marine Tech, Inc. was operating in compliance with state and federal regulations regarding used oil.

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# 1.0: Pre-Inspection Checklist

## Requirements:

The requirements listed in this section provide an opportunity for the Department's inspector to indicate the conditions found at the time of the inspection. A "Not Ok" response to a requirement indicates either a potential violation of the corresponding rule or an area of concern that requires more attention. Both potential violations and areas of concern are discussed further at the end of this inspection report.

Note: Checklist items with shaded boxes are for informational purposes only.

	Item No.	Pre-Inspection Review	Yes	No	N/A
Ī	1.1	Has the facility notified with correct status? 262.18(a)	1		
ĺ	1.2	Has the facility notified of change of status? 62-730.150(2)(b)			1
Ī	1.3	Did the facility conduct a waste determination on all wastes generated? 262.11			1

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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

Coral Evans		Inspector	Inspector			
Principal Inv	estigator Name	Principal Investigator Title	Principal Investigator Title			
Principal Investigator Signature		DEP	01/26/2023  Date			
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Approver:	Michael Miller	Inspection Approval Date:	01/31/2023			