



September 15, 2022

VIA EMAIL

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Diana Joyner
WESTINGHOUSE ELECTRIC COMPANY LLC
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RE: Exemption Request for a Vacuum Drying Operation at Westinghouse Electric Company LLC
Permit Number 1900-0050-09x

Dear Ms. Joyner:

The Bureau of Air Quality (Bureau) has received your letter on July 21, 2022, regarding the exemption request for a vacuum drying operation to capture tetrachloroethylene from existing drums containing wet combustible material. The Bureau acknowledges your request; however, written notification of exempt sources is not required in accordance with S.C. Regulation 61-62.1, Section II(B). Because the vacuum drying operation is considered exempt, no construction permit will be issued.

The vacuum drying/tetrachloroethylene treatment operation is exempt from construction permit requirements per S.C. Regulation 61-62.1, Section II(B)(3), the Bureau maintained Air Permitting Exemptions List (October 22, 2021):

Exemption (01) - (B)(6)(I)

“Sources with a total uncontrolled PTE of less than five (5) tons per year each of particulates, sulfur dioxide, nitrogen oxides, and carbon monoxide; and a total uncontrolled emission rate of less than 1000 lbs/month of volatile organic compounds (VOCs) will not require construction permits...”

The facility shall maintain on-site any records necessary to determine compliance with the exemption requirements, such as the manufacturer’s specifications sheets and emission calculations. Should any of the information concerning this project be found in error or obsolete, a new review shall be required. Please retain this letter for your records.

If you have any further questions or concerns, please contact me at goodeac@dhec.sc.gov or call at (803) 898-4110.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Austin Goode".

Austin Goode
Air Permitting Division
Bureau of Air Quality

cc: Permit File