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DeVilbiss Automotive Refinishing
11360 South Airfield Road
Swanton, Ohio 43558

Attention: Mr. William J. Hofert, Controller and Acting Regulatory Manager

Re: Use of DeVilbiss Tekna Pro and Tekna Pro Lite spray guns in Metro Vancouver

Dear Mr. Hofert:

We are in receipt of your correspondence requesting approval for the use of the DeVilbiss Tekna Pro and Tekna Pro Lite spray guns in Metro Vancouver. We have completed our review of the test report and other documents provided.

Results of the transfer efficiency testing indicates that the DeVilbiss Tekna Pro and Tekna Pro Lite spray guns are capable of achieving equivalent or better transfer efficiency than HVLP spray equipment. As a result, the DeVilbiss Tekna Pro and Tekna Pro Lite spray guns are approved for use within Metro Vancouver, subject to the following conditions:

- Written notification shall accompany all Tekna Pro and Tekna Pro Lite spray guns at the point of sale or distribution as being approved in providing equivalent transfer efficiency as HVLP spray guns for use within the jurisdiction of Metro Vancouver.
- Each DeVilbiss Tekna Pro and Tekna Pro Lite spray gun must be operated in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions for use.
- All other requirements of the GVRD Emission Regulation for Automotive Refinishing must be met.
- This approval is only valid for the DeVilbiss Tekna Pro and Tekna Pro Lite spray gun model tested. Any modification of the spray gun or pressure shall invalidate this approval unless the modification is approved by Metro Vancouver.

If you have any comments or questions, please call me by phone at 604-436-6890 or by email at Don.Miller@metrovancover.org

Yours truly,



Don Miller
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