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Mark E. Charpie ITW Automotive Refinishing 1724 Indian Wood Circle Maumee,OH 43537-4048

Dear Mr. Charpie,

The Small Business Assistance Program Office has reviewed your letter and test results regarding the GFG "Plus" Spray gun.

Rhode Island Air Pollution Control Regulation #30, "Control of VOCs from Automobile Refinishing operations (Section 30.4.1(c) copy enclosed) requires spray guns to have a transfer efficiency of at least 65%. It appears at this time that the GFG "Plus" spray gun complies with the requirements of Air Pollution Control Reg. #30 therefore no permit is required.

Thank you for your interest in the Rhode Island Air Pollution Regulations. Please do not hesitate to call me at (401) 222-4700, ext.7414 if you have any further questions.

Sincerely,

Andrew Charpentier, Environmental Scientist Office of Technical & Customer Assistance

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