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Case Stedham, President/CEO  
Western Construction of Lewiston, Inc.  
3900 Industrial Way  
Lewiston, Idaho 83501

RE: Facility ID No. 777-00594, Western Construction of Lewiston, Inc., Lewiston  
PR-2019.0012, Permit by Rule Registration Notification  
Portable Rock Crushing Facility

Dear Mr. Stedham:

The Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) received a Permit by Rule Registration form on March 5, 2019, for a portable Nonmetallic Mineral Processing Plant from Western Construction of Lewiston, Inc. The registration is for the following equipment, which includes all equipment currently registered for Facility ID No. 777-00594:

**Primary Crushers and Grinding Mills<sup>1</sup>**

**Primary Crusher**

Manufacturer: KPI-JCI  
Type: Jaw  
Serial No.: PC26504118  
Capacity (T/hr): 500  
Year of Mfr.: 2018

**Secondary Crushers and Grinding Mills**

**Secondary Crusher**

Manufacturer: KPI-JCI  
Type: Cone  
Serial No.: P1811941  
Capacity (T/hr): 250  
Year of Mfr.: 2018

**Screen Decks**

Manufacturer: Astec-FabTech  
Size (ft): 8x20  
Serial No.: P620350417  
Number of Decks: 3  
Year of Mfr.: 2017

**Primary Crusher Total Capacity (T/hr)<sup>2</sup>**

500 tons per hour

<sup>1</sup> Per 40 CFR 60.671, Capacity means the cumulative rated capacity of all initial crushers that are part of the plant. Initial crusher means any crusher into which nonmetallic minerals can be fed without prior crushing in the plant.

<sup>2</sup> T/hr = tons per hour

This registration for Permit by Rule is effective immediately. We recommend that you maintain a copy of this letter at all sites where the registered equipment is being operated or stored.

Please be advised that the equipment operation, monitoring, and recordkeeping for this portable rock crushing equipment must comply at all times with the Rules for the Control of Nonmetallic Mineral Processing Plants in accordance with IDAPA 58.01.01.790 through 802 and the applicable portions of 40 CFR 60 Subpart OOO - Standards of Performance for Nonmetallic Mineral Processing Plants. A copy of IDAPA 58.01.01.790 through 802 is attached. The text for 40 CFR 60 Subpart OOO may be viewed at [www.ecfr.gov](http://www.ecfr.gov) (browse to Title 40, Part 60.670). A description of the portable rock crusher PBR program

and links to PBR guidance and forms for registration, relocation, and operations monitoring are provided on DEQ's website at:

<http://www.deq.idaho.gov/permitting/air-quality-permitting/permit-by-rule.aspx>

EPA has amended 40 CFR 60 Subpart OOO - Standards of Performance for Nonmetallic Mineral Processing Plants for affected facilities which commence construction, modification, or reconstruction on or after April 22, 2008. These amendments include additional testing and monitoring, and changes to definitions and various other clarifications. These amendments were Incorporated by Reference into IDAPA 58.01.01.790 through 802 (Rules for the Control of Air Pollution in Idaho) on March 25, 2016. You must be in compliance with the applicable portions of 40 CFR 60 Subpart OOO, including the requirement to conduct opacity testing on any new, modified, or reconstructed equipment within 60 days after achieving the maximum production rate at which the affected facility will be operated, but not later than 180 days after initial startup.

In order to fully understand the compliance requirements of this Permit by Rule and the requirements of 40 CFR 60 Subpart OOO, DEQ highly recommends that you schedule a meeting with Melissa Beale, Title V Analyst, at (208) 799-4370 to review and discuss the terms and conditions of this Permit by Rule. Should you choose to schedule this meeting, DEQ recommends the following representatives attend the meeting: your facility's plant manager, responsible official, environmental contact, and any other staff responsible for day-to-day compliance with permit conditions.

### **Other Air Quality Requirements**

You will be required to submit a portable equipment relocation form each time the plant is moved to a new site of operations. DEQ requires that this form be submitted at least ten days prior to relocating the equipment. A copy of the form is enclosed for your convenience. You are also required to log the hours of operation for any electrical generator used, log all fugitive dust complaints, and log all triggers that initiate fugitive dust control. A copy of each of those forms is also enclosed. If you have questions regarding this Permit by Rule process, please contact Morrie Lewis (208) 373-0502 or [Morrie.Lewis@deq.idaho.gov](mailto:Morrie.Lewis@deq.idaho.gov).

Sincerely,



Mike Simon  
Stationary Source Program Manager  
Air Quality Division

MS/ML

PR-2019.0012 Project 62191

Enclosures



Form must be submitted ten (10) days before plant is relocated. (IDAPA 58.01.01.500.01)

**Facility Information**

- 1. Facility Name: \_\_\_\_\_
- 2. Facility ID Number: \_\_\_\_\_ (This number can be found on the first page of your DEQ permit/PBR.)
- 3. Mailing Address (street/city/state/zip): \_\_\_\_\_
- 4. Facility Contact Name & Title: \_\_\_\_\_
- 5. Facility Contact Phone: \_\_\_\_\_
- 6. Responsible Official Name & Title: \_\_\_\_\_
- 7. Responsible Official Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

*In accordance with IDAPA 58.01.01.123 (Rules for the Control of Air Pollution in Idaho), by signing, I certify based on information and belief formed after reasonable inquiry, the statements and information in this document(s) are true, accurate, and complete. (The responsible official is defined in IDAPA 58.01.01.006.99.)*

**Equipment**

- 8. Plant Type:  Hot Mix Asphalt  Rock Crusher  Concrete Batch  Other
- If Other, Describe: \_\_\_\_\_

**Permit**

- 9. Permit Type:  Permit To Construct (PTC)  Operating Permit (OP)  Permit By Rule (PBR)  Exempt  None
- 10. Permit / PBR Number: \_\_\_\_\_
- 11. Date Issued: \_\_\_\_\_

**Current Location**

- 12. Current Idaho County: \_\_\_\_\_
- 13. Nearest City: \_\_\_\_\_
- 14. GPS Coordinates (Decimal Degrees): Latitude: \_\_\_\_\_ Longitude: \_\_\_\_\_
- 15. Describe Current Location:  In Storage/Idle  Out Of State  Other
- If Other, Describe: \_\_\_\_\_
- 16. How long has plant operated at current location? \_\_\_\_\_

**New Location**

- 17. New Idaho County: \_\_\_\_\_
- 18. Nearest City: \_\_\_\_\_
- 19. GPS Coordinates (Decimal Degrees): Latitude: \_\_\_\_\_ Longitude: \_\_\_\_\_
- 20. Describe New Location:  In Storage/Idle  Out Of State  Other
- If Other, Describe: \_\_\_\_\_
- 21. Estimated Start Date: \_\_\_\_\_
- 22. Estimated End Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Additional Information**

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**SUBMIT:**

**via E-mail:**

**or via FAX:**

**or via Mail:**

aqperf@deq.idaho.gov  
Subject: PERF Submittal  
Complete form, sign it, and  
attach to E-mail

208-373-0340  
To: Air Quality Program  
Regarding: PERF Submittal

Air Quality - PERF Processing  
Dept. of Environmental Quality  
1410 North Hilton  
Boise, ID 83706-1255

Print Form







**02. Restrictions on Rendering Plants.** No person shall allow, suffer, cause or permit any plant engaged in the processing of animal, mineral, or vegetable matter or chemical processes utilizing animal, mineral or vegetable matter to be operated without employing reasonable measures for the control of odorous emissions including wet scrubbers, incinerators, chemicals or such other measures as may be approved by the Department. (5-1-94)

777. -- 784. (RESERVED)

**785. RULES FOR CONTROL OF INCINERATORS.**

The purpose of Sections 785 through 788 is to prevent excessive emissions of particulate matter from incinerators. (5-1-94)

**786. EMISSION LIMITS.**

**01. General Restrictions.** No person shall allow, suffer, cause or permit any incinerator to discharge more than two-tenths (0.2) pounds of particulates per one hundred (100) pounds of refuse burned. (4-5-00)

**02. Averaging Period.** For the purposes of Section 786, emissions shall be averaged according to the following, whichever is the lesser period of time: (4-5-00)

a. One (1) complete cycle of operation; or (4-5-00)

b. One (1) hour of operation representing worst-case conditions for the emissions of particulate matter. (4-5-00)

**03. Test Methods and Procedures.** The appropriate test method under Sections 785 through 788 shall be EPA Method 5 contained in 40 CFR Part 60 or such comparable and equivalent methods approved in accordance with Subsection 157.02.d. Test methods and procedures shall comply with Section 157. (4-5-00)

**787. EXCEPTIONS.**

Sections 785 and 786 do not apply to wigwam burners. (3-23-98)

788. -- 789. (RESERVED)

**790. RULES FOR THE CONTROL OF NONMETALLIC MINERAL PROCESSING PLANTS.**

The purpose of Sections 790 through 799 is to set forth the requirements for nonmetallic mineral processing plants, frequently referred to as rock crushers. Definitions specific to nonmetallic mineral processing permits are located in Section 011 while other general terms may be defined in Sections 006 through 008. Compliance with Section 790 does not relieve the owner or operator of a nonmetallic mineral processing plant from the responsibility of complying with other federal, state, and local applicable laws, regulations, and requirements. (3-15-02)

**791. GENERAL CONTROL REQUIREMENTS.**

**01. Prohibition.** No owner or operator of a nonmetallic mineral processing plant shall allow, suffer, or cause the emissions of any air pollutant to the atmosphere in such quantity of such nature and duration and under such conditions as would be injurious to human health or welfare, to animal or plant life, or to property, or to interfere unreasonably with the enjoyment of life or property. (3-15-02)

**02. Control of Fugitive Dust.** In accordance with Sections 650 and 651, owners and operators of nonmetallic mineral processing plants shall take all reasonable precautions to prevent the generation of fugitive dust. In determining what is reasonable, consideration will be given to factors such as the proximity to human habitations and/or activities and atmospheric conditions which might affect the movement of particulate matter. (3-15-02)

**792. EMISSIONS STANDARDS FOR NONMETALLIC MINERAL PROCESSING PLANTS SUBJECT TO 40 CFR 60, SUBPART 000.**

**01. Permit by Rule Eligibility.** New major facilities or major modifications subject to Sections 204 and 205 are not eligible for a Permit by Rule. (4-11-15)

**02. Permit by Rule.** Owners and operators of nonmetallic mineral processing plants that meet all of the applicable requirements set forth in Sections 795 through 799 shall be deemed to have a permit by rule (PBR) and shall not be required to obtain a permit to construct under Sections 200 through 228. (3-15-02)

**03. Permit to Construct.** Owners and operators of nonmetallic mineral processing plants that do not meet all of the requirements set forth in Sections 795 through 799, or that operate or intend to operate a nonmetallic mineral processing plant at a single site of operations for more than twelve (12) consecutive months, or that choose to construct and operate under specific permit requirements rather than the provisions of the permit by rule shall obtain a permit to construct pursuant to Sections 200 through 228. An existing permit to construct shall be considered valid until the permit is modified, incorporated into a Tier II operating permit, or terminated by the Department. Existing permits to construct may be terminated by the Department by registering the source under the permit by rule provisions in accordance with Section 797 after June 15, 2001. (3-15-02)

**04. Tier I Operating Permits.** Owners and operators of nonmetallic mineral processing plants that are affected facilities subject to a requirement of the New Source Performance Standards (NSPS) in 40 CFR 60 are Tier I sources as defined in Section 006. Tier I sources must comply with the applicable permitting requirements of Sections 300 through 399. (4-11-06)

**05. Tier II Operating Permits.** Owners and operators of nonmetallic mineral processing plants that are required by the Department or choose to obtain a Tier II operating permit pursuant to Sections 400 through 410 shall operate in accordance with the specific provisions of the Tier II operating permit until such time as the operating permit is terminated in writing by the Department. The Department may require owners and operators of nonmetallic mineral processing plants to obtain a Tier II operating permit whenever the Department determines that: (3-15-02)

**a.** Emission rate reductions are necessary to attain or maintain any ambient air quality standard or applicable prevention of significant deterioration (PSD) increment; or (3-15-02)

**b.** Specific emissions standards, or requirements on operation or maintenance are necessary to ensure compliance with any applicable emission standard or rule. (3-15-02)

**795. PERMIT BY RULE REQUIREMENTS.**  
The purpose of Sections 795 through 799 is to establish the requirements for a permit by rule for nonmetallic mineral processing plants. (3-15-02)

**796. APPLICABILITY.**

**01. Permit by Rule.** Owners and operators of nonmetallic mineral processing plants shall be deemed to have a permit by rule if they comply with all of the applicable provisions of Sections 795 through 799. Nothing in Sections 795 through 799 shall preclude any owner or operator from obtaining a permit. Portable sources that operate or may be operated at a single location or site of operations for more than twelve (12) consecutive months must obtain a permit to construct or a Tier II operating permit. (3-15-02)

**02. Permit Option.** Owners and operators of nonmetallic mineral processing plants that hold a valid permit to construct or a Tier II operating permit must comply with the terms and conditions of the permit and are not subject to the requirements of the permit by rule in Sections 795 through 799. (3-15-02)

**797. REGISTRATION FOR PERMIT BY RULE.**

**01. Registration Process.** Any owner or operator of a nonmetallic mineral processing plant that opts to operate under the permit by rule shall register in the following manner: (3-15-02)

**a.** Any new or modified processing plant shall register fifteen (15) days prior to commencing operation or modification. The Department shall acknowledge registration in writing within fifteen (15) days.



- i. The rated output capacity, in kilowatts (kW), of the electrical generator(s) used; (3-15-02)
  - ii. Operating hours on a monthly and annual basis so compliance can be continuously determined for the previous twelve (12) month period; and (3-15-02)
  - iii. Vendor receipts of the fuel oil purchased clearly identifying the ASTM Grade. (3-15-02)
- b. Records of monitoring and recordkeeping requirements for current operations shall be maintained at the site of operations for the duration of operations at that location and shall be available to Department representatives upon request. Records for previous sites of operation shall be kept for the most recent two (2) year period at a location where they can be reasonably accessed and shall be made available to the Department upon request. (3-15-02)

**799. NONMETALLIC MINERAL PROCESSING PLANT FUGITIVE DUST BEST MANAGEMENT PRACTICE.**

The owner or operator of a nonmetallic mineral processing plant shall use the Best Management Practices (BMP) contained in Section 799 to control the emissions of fugitive dust. Fugitive dust emissions shall be reasonably controlled as required by Sections 650 and 651. It shall be the responsibility of the owner or operator to reasonably control fugitive emissions at each site of operations but only for the duration of operations at each site under the control of the owner or operator. (3-15-02)

**01. Generally Applicable Requirements.** All reasonable precautions shall be taken to prevent particulate matter from becoming airborne. The following requirements apply generally to this Fugitive Dust BMP. (3-15-02)

a. Control strategy triggers. The owner or operator of a nonmetallic mineral processing plant shall at all times be observant of all sources of fugitive dust emissions and monitor control strategies at least once per day when operating. When fugitive dust emissions are observed at any time to be exceeding any control strategy trigger specified in Subsections 799.02 through 799.06, that event shall trigger initiation of the prescribed control strategy or control strategies to control the fugitive dust emissions. (3-15-02)

b. Control strategies. A progressive control strategy shall be used to reasonably control the emissions of fugitive dust. Progressive control strategy means that if the initial control strategy or strategies chosen do not adequately control fugitive dust emissions, the owner or operator shall employ successive control strategies as listed until fugitive dust control is achieved. Fugitive dust control shall be applied on a frequency such that visible emissions do not exceed any emission standard specified in Sections 790 through 799. (3-15-02)

c. Monitoring and recordkeeping. The owner or operator shall maintain a record of each event where a control strategy is triggered. The trigger shall be recorded with a summary of the control strategy employed. If the trigger is a citizen complaint, the owner or operator shall record the complaint, an evaluation of whether the complaint has merit, and a summary of the corrective action taken. The record shall be maintained on forms provided by the Department or other forms that contain similar information. Records for current operations shall be maintained at the site of operations for the duration of operations at that location and shall be available to Department representatives upon request. Records for previous sites of operation shall be kept for the most recent two (2) year period at a location where they can be reasonably accessed and shall be made available to the Department upon request. (3-15-02)

**02. Requirements for Paved Public Roadways.** (3-15-02)

a. Definitions. (3-15-02)

i. Paved public roadway. A paved public roadway means a roadway accessible to the general public having a surface of asphalt or concrete. (3-15-02)

ii. Track-out. Track-out means the deposition of mud, dirt, or similar debris onto the surface of a paved public roadway from the tires and/or undercarriage of any vehicle associated with the operation of a nonmetallic mineral processing plant. (3-15-02)

ii. Limit vehicle speeds on unpaved haul roads. If a speed limit is imposed, signs shall be posted along the haul road route and clearly indicate the speed limit. Signs shall be placed so they are visible to vehicles entering and leaving the site of operations. (3-15-02)

iii. Apply water to the surface of the unpaved haul road. Runoff shall be controlled so it does not saturate the surface of the unpaved haul road such that it causes track-out. If runoff is not, or cannot be controlled, gravel shall be applied to the surface of the unpaved haul road over an area sufficient to control track-out. (3-15-02)

iv. Apply gravel to the surface of the unpaved haul road. (3-15-02)

v. Apply an environmentally safe chemical soil stabilizer or chemical dust suppressant to the surface of the unpaved haul road. (3-15-02)

vi. Other control strategy or strategies as approved by the Department. (3-15-02)

**04. Requirements for Transfer Points, Screening Operations, and Stacks and Vents. (3-15-02)**

**a. Definitions. (3-15-02)**

i. Transfer point. Transfer point means a point in a conveying operation where the nonmetallic mineral is transferred to or from a belt conveyor except where the nonmetallic mineral is being transferred to a stockpile. (3-15-02)

ii. Belt conveyor. Belt conveyor means a conveying device that transports material from one (1) location to another by means of an endless belt that is carried on a series of idlers and routed around a pulley at each end. (3-15-02)

iii. Conveying system. Conveying system means a device for transporting materials from one (1) piece of equipment or location to another location within a plant. Conveying systems include but are not limited to the following: feeders, belt conveyors, bucket elevators and pneumatic systems. (3-15-02)

iv. Bucket elevator. Bucket elevator means a conveying device of nonmetallic minerals consisting of a head and foot assembly which supports and drives an endless single or double strand chain or belt to which buckets are attached. (3-15-02)

v. Screening operation. Screening operation means a device for separating material according to size by passing undersize material through one (1) or more mesh surfaces (screens) in series, and retaining oversize material on the mesh surfaces (screens). (3-15-02)

vi. Capture system. Capture system means the equipment (including enclosures, hoods, ducts, fans, dampers, etc.) used to capture and transport particulate matter generated by one (1) or more process operations to a control device. (3-15-02)

vii. Control device. Control device means the air pollution control equipment used to reduce particulate matter emissions released to the atmosphere from one (1) or more process operations at a nonmetallic mineral processing plant. (3-15-02)

viii. Vent. Vent means an opening through which there is mechanically induced air flow for the purpose of exhausting from a building air carrying particulate matter emissions from one (1) or more affected facilities. (3-15-02)

b. Control strategy triggers. Triggers that require initiation of a strategy or strategies to control fugitive dust emissions from transfer points, belt conveyors, bucket elevators, screening operations, conveying systems, capture systems, and building vents include, but are not limited to, the following: (3-15-02)

i. NSPS regulated processing plants. (3-15-02)

- b. Control strategy triggers. Triggers that require initiation of a strategy or strategies to control fugitive dust emissions from any crusher, grinding mill, building vent, or capture system stack include, but are not limited to, the following. (3-15-02)
- i. NSPS regulated processing plants. (3-15-02)
- (1) Opacity greater than fifteen percent (15%) from any crusher or grinding mill at which capture system is not used. (3-15-02)
- (2) For any crusher or grinding mill located within a building, opacity greater than seven percent (7%) from any building vent. (3-15-02)
- (3) Opacity greater than seven percent (7%) from any capture system stack. (3-15-02)
- (4) Citizen complaints of failure to reasonably control fugitive dust shall be expeditiously evaluated by the owner or operator for merit. If the owner or operator determines the complaint has merit, the progressive strategy shall be expeditiously employed to reasonably control fugitive dust. The Department may review the complaint records and investigate citizen complaints as appropriate. If the Department finds that a complaint has merit, it may determine additional control measures are required. (3-15-02)
- ii. Processing plants not regulated by NSPS. (3-15-02)
- (1) Opacity greater than twenty percent (20%) from any crusher or grinding mill at which capture system is not used. (3-15-02)
- (2) For any crusher or grinding mill located within a building, opacity greater than twenty percent (20%) from any building vent. (3-15-02)
- (3) Opacity greater than twenty percent (20%) from any capture system stack. (3-15-02)
- (4) Citizen complaints of failure to reasonably control fugitive dust shall be expeditiously evaluated by the owner or operator for merit. If the owner or operator determines the complaint has merit, the progressive strategy shall be expeditiously employed to reasonably control fugitive dust. The Department may review the complaint records and investigate citizen complaints as appropriate. If the Department finds that a complaint has merit, it may determine additional control measures are required. (3-15-02)
- c. Control strategies. The following are control strategies for any crusher, grinding mill, building vent, or capture system stack. Controls shall be applied on a frequency such that visible fugitive emissions do not exceed any applicable opacity limit. (3-15-02)
- i. Limit drop heights of materials such that there is a homogeneous flow of material. (3-15-02)
- ii. Install, operate, and maintain water spray bars to control fugitive dust emissions at crusher drop points as necessary. (3-15-02)
- iii. Other control strategy or strategies as approved by the Department. (3-15-02)
- 06. Requirements for Stockpiles. (3-15-02)**
- a. Definitions. (3-15-02)
- i. Stockpile. Stockpile means any nonmetallic mineral storage pile, reserve supply, or similar. Nonmetallic minerals shall have the meaning given in 40 CFR Part 60, Subpart OOO. Nonmetallic minerals may be stockpiled by belt conveyor, truck dumping, or similar. (3-15-02)
- ii. Truck dumping. Truck dumping means the unloading of nonmetallic minerals from movable vehicles designed to transport nonmetallic minerals from one (1) location to another. Movable vehicles include but