



June 10, 2019

**NOTICE OF VIOLATION**

**CERTIFIED MAIL NO. 91 7199 9991 7038 4331 5422**

Mr. Edward Nesselbeck  
Erie Coke Corporation  
P.O. Box 6180  
Erie, PA 16512

Re: Erie Coke Corporation  
City of Erie, Erie County  
Title V Operating Permit No: 25-00029

Dear Mr. Nesselbeck:

The Department of Environmental Protection (“Department”) conducted an inspection at Erie Coke Corporation on June 7, 2019. The following violations were identified:

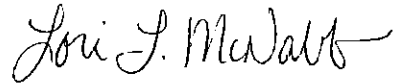
1. Visible fugitive emissions of unburned coke oven gas were leaking from the Battery A liquor pot, in violation of 25 Pa Coder §127.441, and the Title V Operating Permit (“Permit”), Section E, Source Group Name: 11 – RACT II, Condition #003(c).
2. During coke pushing, fugitive emissions of greater than 20% opacity were observed escaping from the Coke Side Shed in violation of Pa 25 Code §129.15(c), and the Permit, Section D, Source 802, Condition #001(c).
3. The percent of door leaks was greater than 10%, in violation of 25 Pa. Code Section 123.44(a)(3), and the Permit, Section D, Source 806, Condition #002(a)(3).

Any violation of the Air Pollution Control Act subjects a person to enforcement actions, including civil and criminal penalties. Each day the violation continues constitutes a separate offense.

This Notice of Violation is neither an order nor any other final action of the Department. It neither imposes nor waives any enforcement action available to the Department under any of its statutes. If the Department determines that an enforcement action is appropriate, you will be notified of the action.

If you have any questions concerning this matter, please contact me at 814.332.6634.

Sincerely,



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Air Quality Program

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