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Mr. Ray Kempa Northeast Regional Office Engineering Services Section Chief PA Department of Environmental Protection 2 Public Square Wilkes-Barre, PA 18701-1915

RE: RACT III Submittal Carpenter Co., Upper Macungie Facility Operating Permit No.: 39-00040

Dear Mr. Kempa,

Enclosed please find the RACT III submittal package for Carpenter Co. (Carpenter)'s manufacturing facility located in Fogelsville, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania. This package includes the alternative RACT proposal and accompanying application for a major modification to the facility's Title V permit.

The applications includes a \$4,000 fee made payable to Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Clean Air Fund. Notifications for the major modification application have been signed and are being sent to the required parties. Signed copies with receipts will be forwarded to you upon receipt of confirmation.

If you have any questions regarding this submittal and application or require any additional information, please feel free to contact myself at 610-280-3902 x2353.

Sincerely, Trinity Consultants

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# RACT III PROPOSAL INTIAL NOTIFICATION, ALTERNATIVE COMPLIANCE PROPOSAL & COMPLIANCE DEMONSTRATION Carpenter Co. / Fogelsville, PA

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# **1. EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

Carpenter Co. (Carpenter) operates the Fogelsville manufacturing facility in Lehigh County, PA under Title V operating permit No. 39-00040. The facility manufactures foam products, including expanded polystyrene (EPS) and polyurethane products. The Fogelsville facility is considered a major source of volatile organic compounds (VOC) per Title 25 of the Pennsylvania Code, Chapter 121.1 (25 Pa Code 121.1). The Fogelsville facility is not a major source of nitrogen oxides (NO<sub>X</sub>) and therefore, according to 25 Pa Code 129.96(a), is not subject to any of the NO<sub>X</sub> related requirements of the rule.

The Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection (PADEP) published 25 Pa. Code, Chapter 129: Additional RACT Requirements for Major Sources of NOx and VOCs for the 2015 Ozone NAAQS (the "RACT III Rule") in the Pa Bulletin on November 12, 2022 (52 Pa. Bulletin 6960). The Fogelsville facility is subject to certain provisions of this regulation including the requirement to complete a case-by-case RACT analysis for certain VOC emitting sources which are either 1) unable to meet the presumptive RACT limits in the rule, or 2) are not subject to presumptive RACT requirements and have potential emissions that 2.7 tons per year (tpy) of VOC.

This proposal contains the initial notification, specified in 25 Pa. Code 129.115(a), and provides case-bycase RACT determinations for the EPS manufacturing process and the polyurethane foam manufacturing process which are not subject to presumptive RACT and have potential emissions that exceed 2.7 tpy of VOC. The RACT III Rule compliance strategy for the remaining emission units at the Fogelsville facility is also discussed. Appendix C contains the Title V major modification application forms to update the current permit to comply with RACT III.

RACT is defined in 25 Pa Code 121.1 as "the lowest emission limit for VOCs or  $NO_x$  that a particular source is capable of meeting by the application of control technology that is reasonably available considering technological and economic feasibility."

For sources subject to VOC RACT, there are two options for compliance with the RACT III Rule: Compliance Option 1: Meet the presumptive RACT limits on a source-by source basis<sup>1</sup>; or Compliance Option 2: Develop a case-by-case RACT proposal.<sup>2</sup>

This RACT proposal consists of the following sections:

- Section 1: Executive Summary
- Section 2: Initial Notification
- Section 3: RACT Analysis
- Section 4: RACT Proposal

The following attachments are enclosed with this application:

- Appendix A: RBLC Search Results
- > Appendix B: Cost Analysis for RTO for Polyurethane Foam Line
- Appendix C: Title V Major Modification Application Forms

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> 25 Pa Code 129.112

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> 25 Pa Code 129.114

This section of the report serves as the written notification, specified in 25 Pa Code 2129.115(a), that describes how Carpenter proposes to comply with the requirements of 25 Pa Code 2129.111-129.115. This report is being submitted to the appropriate regional manager by December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2022 to satisfy the requirements of 25 Pa Code 2129.115(a)(1). Title V major modification forms are included in Appendix C to update the current permit to comply with RACT III.

# 2.1 Emission Unit and RACT III Compliance Strategy

The proposed RACT III compliance strategy for each emission unit at the Facility is provided in Table 2-1. This table serves to identify the air contamination sources at the Foglesville Facility and identify the applicable RACT requirements or exemption status as specified in 25 Pa Code §129.115(a).

Carpenter is submitting the following information as part of the RACT III initial notification requirements:

- ▶ 25 Pa Code §129.115(a)(1) Submit the initial notification by December 31, 2022
  - This initial notification has been submitted prior to December 31, 2022.
- 25 Pa Code §129.115(a)(2) Identify the air contamination sources in 25 Pa Code §129.111(a) as subject to a RACT requirement or exempt
  - See Table 2-1 below.
- 25 Pa Code §129.115(a)(3) Identify the air contamination sources in 25 Pa Code §129.111(b) as subject to a RACT requirement or exempt
  - The Facility is an existing major source of VOC. The facility is not a major source of NO<sub>x</sub>. See Table 2-1 below.
- 25 Pa Code §129.115(a)(4) Identify the air contamination sources in 25 Pa Code §129.111(c) which are exempt
  - See the exempt sources in Table 2-1 below.
- 25 Pa Code §129.115(a)(5) Provide a description of each air contamination source listed in 25 Pa Code §129.115(a)(2) including, description, make, model and location, applicable RACT requirement, how the unit will comply with RACT III, and reason for exemption (if applicable).
  - See Table 2-1 below and the source descriptions in Section 2.2.
- 25 Pa Code §129.115(a)(6) Provide a description of each air contamination source listed in 25 Pa Code §129.115(a)(3) including, description, make, model and location, applicable RACT requirement, how the unit will comply with RACT III, and reason for exemption (if applicable).
  - Not applicable, the Fogelsville Facility is an existing major source of VOC and is not subject to (a)(3). Any applicable units are specified in Table 2-1 below and specified in Section 2.2.
- 25 Pa Code §129.115(a)(7) Provide a description of each air contamination source listed in (a)(4) including, description, make, model and location and information sufficient to demonstrate that the source has a PTE less than 1 tpy of NO<sub>x</sub> or 1 tpy of VOC, as applicable.
  - See the exempt sources in Table 2-1 below.

At the Fogelsville facility, Carpenter manufactures foam products, including EPS and polyurethane.

Emission Source ID from Title V Permit	Source Description	VOC RACT Status	Potential VOC Emissions (tpy) <sup>3</sup>	Actual VOC Emissions (tpy) <sup>4</sup>
101	EPS manufacturing process	Case-by-Case	88.8	44.29
102 Polyurethane foam manufacturing		Case-by-Case	20	3.86
	process			
033	Boiler – EPS Building	Exempt	< 1	< 1
N/A	Polyester fiber line	Exempt	< 1	< 1
N/A	BFL line	Exempt	< 1	< 1
N/A Laser cutter		Exempt	< 1	< 1
N/A	CaCO <sub>3</sub> unloading	Exempt	< 1	< 1
N/A	Polyurethane foam line storage tanks	Exempt	< 1	< 1

Table 2-1. VOC Sources Subject to RACT III at the Fogelsville Plant

# 2.2 Source Descriptions and Applicable Limits

The following section provides source descriptions for each unit at the Fogelsville Facility as well as any applicable Presumptive RACT III emission limits. The information provided in this section is required under 25 Pa Code §129.115(a)(5). Each of the sources listed in Table 2-1 is located within the Carpenter Fogelsville Facility at 57A Olin Way, Fogelsville, PA 18051.

# 2.2.1 EPS Manufacturing Process (Source ID 101)

The EPS manufacturing process (Source ID 101) uses steam to convert raw materials to styrene. The process steps generally include bead expansion, bead drying, bead storage, block molding, block aging and final product fabrication. The raw material consists of beads impregnated with pentane to act as a blowing agent. The beads are received in "supersacks". Beads are fed to the expander where steam is used to expand the beads to approximately 1/8" diameter, in a one- or two-stage operation. The expanded beads flow to a fluidized bed dryer, where surface moisture is removed using air blown through the "bed" of beads. The beads flow through an airlock and are blown to storage bags. After aging in storage bags, to stabilize the prepuff, the beads are transferred to a mold where steam further expands and fuses them together into block form. After aging to stabilize, the block is cut and fabricated for insulation products or architectural shapes.

Pentane is lost during the expansion process. Pentane emissions from the EPS manufacturing process are currently controlled by a 16.329 MMBtu/hr boiler (Source ID 33, Stack ID S03). The Epsilon system collects the pentane vapors from the process and injects them into the boiler's combustion air. As a result, the pentane replaces some of the natural gas used as boiler fuel. The boiler has a destruction efficiency of greater than 99% for VOC,<sup>5</sup>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Potential VOC emissions are shown as the limits for annual actual VOC emissions established in Title V Operating Permit 39-00040, Section D, Source ID 101, Condition #002 and Source ID 102, Condition #001. Facility-wide PTE is limited to 108.8 tpy under Section C, Condition #006 of the permit.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Actual emissions from 2021.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Efficiency must be at least 99%, per Title V Operating Permit 39-00040, Section D, Source ID 101, Conditions #003.

Fugitive pentane is also emitted from the storage and fabrication area. This area is ventilated via five wallmounted fans.

# 2.2.2 Polyurethane Manufacturing Process (Source ID 102)

In the polyurethane foam manufacturing process (Source ID 102), the primary ingredients include polyol, toluene diisocyanate (TDI) or methylenediphenyl diisocyanate (MDI), and water. The raw materials, along with secondary additives such as carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>) blowing agent, catalysts, surfactants, and colorants are metered into a mixing chamber and then dispersed onto a moving conveyor. The foaming action starts almost immediately and is complete within five minutes.

VOCs are emitted from the polyols, TDI, MDI, and amine catalysts used the process. Most of the VOC emissions from the polyurethane manufacturing process are vented from the pouring tunnel through six large exhaust vents ducted into one exhaust stack above the roof (Stack S04). Additional VOC emissions are vented to a second exhaust stack (Stack S05) after the pouring tunnel. After the foam progresses through the tunnel, it is cut into convenient slab lengths for storage. The slabs are moved from the pouring line to the slab room.

Fugitive VOCs are generated during the curing process in the slab room. The room is ventilated via eight wall-mounted exhaust fans. After the slabs have cured for a minimum time, the foam is ready to be cut according to customer requirements.

In addition, the foam is subject to flammability testing in a quality control laboratory known as the "burn room." Tests are short in duration, approximately one hour, and occur every few days. Minor smoke emissions occur from this testing. The final products produced from the foam slabs may be furniture cushions, carpet underlay, medical pads for hospitals, bedding, automotive pads, or any product that requires flexible foam.

# 2.2.3 Other Source Information

A boiler rated at 16.329 MMBtu/hr which is fired on natural gas and pentane serves as a control device for pentane emissions from the EPS manufacturing process. The polyurethane foam line includes several storage tanks which store VOCs. There are several other emission points throughout the facility which exhaust to the atmosphere, including exhaust stacks for the polyester fiber line, exhaust stacks for the bonded foam line (BFL), laser cutters, and calcium carbonate (CaCO<sub>3</sub>) unloading operations. Emissions from the foam grinding system (FGS) are discharged inside the building.

# 2.2.4 Units Exempt from RACT

Units with a potential to emit of one (1) tpy or less of VOC are exempt from the RACT III VOC related requirements, in accordance with 25 Pa Code 129.111(c). The EPS Boiler (Source ID 033), the polyester fiber line, the BFL line, the laser cutters, and the CaCO<sub>3</sub> unloading operations have potential emissions of VOC less than one (1) tpy. As such, these sources are exempt from VOC RACT requirements and do not require further assessment. See Table 2-1 for exempt units.

Units which are subject to various sections of 25 Pa Code 129 are exempt from the RACT III VOC related requirements, in accordance with 25 Pa Code 129.11(a). The VOC-containing storage tanks used in the polyurethane foam manufacturing process are subject to 25 Pa Code 129.56 and 129.57. As such, these sources are exempt from VOC RACT requirements and do not require further assessment.

# 2.2.5 Case-by-Case RACT Determination

For sources which do not qualify for one of the source categories that have presumptive RACT limits, Option 2 for RACT compliance applies. Under this option, facilities must propose an alternative RACT emission limitation (i.e., a "case-by-case RACT limit") and submit a permit modification request, or Plan Approval application<sup>6</sup> to PADEP to establish this RACT III limit. The EPS and polyurethane foam manufacturing processes at the Fogelsville facility are subject to a case-by-case VOC RACT determination.

Pursuant to 25 Pa Code 129.92 and 129.114(d), the case-by-case RACT limit proposal must include each of the elements required under 25 Pa Code 129.92(a)(1)-(5), (7)-(10) and (b). Table 2-2 includes a cross reference for the location of these requirements in this RACT proposal for the Fogelsville facility.

	Regulatory Requirement	Location in Proposal
25 Pa Code	A list of each source subject to the RACT	Section 2.2
129.92(a)(1)	requirements	
25 Pa Code	The size or capacity of each affected source and	Section 4
129.92(a)(2)	types of fuel combusted or the types and quantities	
	of materials processed or produced in each source.	
25 Pa Code	A physical description of each source and its	Section 2.2
129.92(a)(3)	operating characteristics.	
25 Pa Code	Estimates of the potential and actual VOC emissions	Table 2-1
129.92(a)(4)	from each source and associated supporting	
	documentation.	
25 Pa Code	A RACT analysis which meets the requirements of	Section 3
129.92(a)(5)	subsection (b), including technical and economic	
and (b)	support documentation for each affected source.	
25 Pa Code	The testing, monitoring, recordkeeping and	Section 4
129.92(a)(7)	reporting procedures proposed to demonstrate	
	compliance with RACT.	
25 Pa Code	A plan approval application that meets the	N/A
129.92(a)(8)	requirements of this article if required under	
	§127.11 (relating to plan approval requirements).	
25 Pa Code	An application for an operating permit amendment	Appendix C
129.92(a)(9)	or application to incorporate the provisions of the	
	RACT proposal.	
25 Pa Code	Additional information requested by the	To be provided upon request by
129.92(a)(10)	Department that is necessary for the evaluation of	the Department
	the RACT proposal.	

### Table 2-2. Case-by-Case RACT Proposal Requirements

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> A Plan Approval is required in the case that additional pollution controls are to be installed as part of the case-by-case RACT determination.

As discussed above, the EPS and polyurethane foam manufacturing processes at the Fogelsville facility are subject to a case-by-case RACT determination. This section provides details on the methodology used to determine the proposed RACT.

# 3.1 Top-Down Methodology

Case-by-case RACT determinations are traditionally based on a top-down methodology. PADEP has outlined the required elements of a RACT analysis and determination in 25 Pa Code 129.99(d) and 129.92(b). Presented below are the five basic steps of the top-down RACT review as identified by PADEP.

# 3.1.1 Step 1: Identify All Control Technologies

Under Step 1, all available control technologies are identified for each emission unit in question. The following methods may be used to identify potential technologies:

- ► Researching the RACT/BACT/LAER Clearinghouse (RBLC) database;
- Surveying regulatory agencies;
- Drawing from previous engineering experience;
- Surveying air pollution control equipment vendors; and
- Surveying available literature.

Once identified, the control technologies are ranked in descending order of expected control effectiveness.

# 3.1.2 Step 2: Eliminate Technically Infeasible Options

After control technologies are identified under Step 1, an analysis is conducted to eliminate technically infeasible options. A control option is eliminated from consideration if there are process-specific conditions that prohibit the implementation of the control technology or if the highest control efficiency of the option would result in an emission level that is higher than any applicable regulatory limits, such as a New Source Performance Standard (NSPS) or National Emission Standard for Hazardous Air Pollutants (NESHAP).

# 3.1.3 Step 3: Rank Remaining Control Technologies by Control Effectiveness

In Step 3, remaining control technology options are ranked based on their control effectiveness, from highest to lowest control efficiency. This list must identify, at a minimum, the baseline emissions of VOCs before implementation of each control option, the estimated reduction potential or control efficiency of each control option, the estimated emissions after the application of each control option and the economic impacts.

# 3.1.4 Step 4: Evaluate Most Effective Controls and Document Results

Beginning with the highest-ranked control technology option from Step 3, detailed economic, energy, and environmental impact evaluations are performed in Step 4. If a control option is determined to be economically feasible without adverse energy or environmental impacts, it is not necessary to evaluate the remaining options with lower control efficiencies.

The economic evaluation centers on the cost effectives of the control option. Costs of installing and operating control technologies are estimated and annualized following the methodologies outlined in the U.S. EPA's Office of Air Quality Planning and Standards (OAQPS) Control Cost Manual (CCM) and other industry resources.<sup>7</sup>

## 3.1.5 Step 5: Select RACT

Using the result of the prior steps to determine the appropriate control technology, the final step is to determine the emission limit that represents the RACT limit.

# 3.2 VOC RACT Assessment for EPS Manufacturing Process

This section addresses the RACT assessment for the EPS manufacturing process at the Fogelsville facility.

### 3.2.1 Step 1: Identify All Control Technologies for VOC

Step 1 in a top-down analysis is to identify all available control technologies. The evaluation of potential controls for VOC emissions from the EPS manufacturing process involves an investigation of control and destruction of VOC emissions. The RBLC database was reviewed to identify potential add-on control technologies for processes similar to the EPS manufacturing process. Results of the RBLC search for foam manufacturing processes are provided in Appendix A. It should be noted that the RBLC search results presented include RACT determinations as well as any best available control technology (BACT) and lowest available emission reduction (LAER) determinations, which may be more stringent than RACT.

Table 3-1 contains a list of the various technologies that have been identified for possible control of VOC emissions from the EPS manufacturing process.

### Table 3-1. Potentially Available VOC Control Technologies for the EPS Manufacturing Process

Potentially Applicable VOC Control Technologies					
Thermal Oxidizer					
Catalytic Oxidizer					
Carbon Adsorption					
Current Control – Emissions Routed to Boiler					

Other general VOC control technologies exist in addition to those listed in Table 3-1 that are widely used for VOC control on other types of emissions sources. However, several of these have been identified as not applicable for use on EPS manufacturing processes, and therefore have not been considered for this top down RACT assessment. These technologies include, but are not limited to:

Refrigerated Condensers; and Flares

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> OAQPS, *U.S. EPA Air Pollution Control Cost Manual*, Sixth Edition, EPA 452-02-001 (http://www.epa.gov/ttn/catc/products.html#cccinfo), Daniel C. Mussatti & William M. Vatavuk, January 2002.

Based on our research, neither of the technologies listed above have been commercially demonstrated on EPS manufacturing processes similar to those at the Fogelsville facility. Also, these technologies are not identified in the RBLC search results for similar processes presented in Appendix A.

The use of alternative blowing agents is not reviewed as a potential VOC control technology for the EPS manufacturing process under RACT. There are no commercially available blowing agents which are appropriate for use in the EPS manufacturing process other than pentane. According to the EPA's "Control of VOC Emissions from Polystyrene Foam Manufacturing" report (EPA Polystyrene Report), published in 1990, pentane is the only blowing agent that is has a high enough molecular weight to not vaporize at ambient air pressure during aging and storage of impregnated beads but a low enough molecular weight to vaporize during bead expansion.<sup>8</sup>

# 3.2.2 Review of Potentially Applicable VOC Control Technologies

The following section provides a discussion of each potentially applicable technology identified above, as it might be applied to the processes at the Fogelsville facility.

# 3.2.2.1 Thermal Oxidation

Thermal oxidation removes VOCs from an exhaust stream by passing the exhaust through a combustion chamber where the VOCs are converted via combustion into carbon dioxide, water vapor and small quantities of other compounds, depending on the constituents of the exhaust. Since the inlet waste gas stream temperature is generally much lower than that required for combustion, energy must be supplied to the incinerator to raise the waste gas temperature. Seldom, however, is the energy released by the combustion of the total organics (VOCs and others) in the exhaust stream sufficient to raise its own temperature to the desired levels, so auxiliary fuel (e.g., natural gas or propane) must be added.<sup>9</sup> In addition, depending on the concentrations of the components in the exhaust stream, additional combustion air must be added to complete the oxidation process.

The simplest design for thermal oxidizers is a direct flame incinerator, which consists of a combustion chamber only. However, other designs for thermal oxidizers are available which can increase the energy efficiency of the process by including a heat exchanger prior to the combustion chamber. These heat exchangers increase the temperature of the incoming exhaust gases, thus reducing the energy required for the combustion reaction. One such design is a recuperative oxidizer, which uses the hot gases exiting the combustion chamber to heat the incoming exhaust, combustion air, or both. Alternatively, regenerative thermal oxidizers (RTOs) operate by passing the exhaust gases through a hot ceramic bed thereby heating the stream (and cooling the bed) prior to the combustion chamber. Auxiliary fuel is still burned in the combustion chamber as required to achieve oxidation. The hot gases then exit the combustion chamber outlet temperature. The process flows are then switched, feeding the exhaust stream to the hot bed and routing the hot combustion gases through the cooled bed.

<sup>8</sup> OAQPS, Control Technology Center, Control of VOC Emissions from Polystyrene Foam Manufacturing, EPA-450/3-90-020, (https://www3.epa.gov/airquality/ctg\_act/199009\_voc\_epa450\_3-90-020\_polystyrene\_foam\_ manufacturing.pdf), August 1990. p 6-11.

<sup>9</sup> OAQPS, U.S. EPA Air Pollution Control Cost Manual, Sixth Edition, EPA 452-02-001 (http://www.epa.gov/ttn/catc/products.html#cccinfo), Daniel C. Mussatti & William M. Vatavuk, January 2002.

## 3.2.2.2 Catalytic Oxidation

Catalytic oxidation is similar to thermal oxidation; however, the combustion process takes place in the presence of a catalyst, such as platinum or copper, to lower the ignition temperature of the VOC stream. This allows the oxidizer to operate at lower temperatures, typically ranging from 300° to 900°F<sup>10</sup> which reduces supplemental fuel consumption and associated operating costs. Catalytic oxidizers may also be equipped with a preheater system, utilizing either a primary combustion chamber, or the hot outlet gases from the oxidation process. Catalytic oxidizers come in two general varieties; fixed-bed or fluid-bed. These varieties differ in the design and configuration of the catalyst material through which the exhaust gases are passed. Catalytic oxidizers require an extremely clean exhaust stream to insure the catalyst does not foul.

### 3.2.2.3 Carbon Adsorption

The carbon adsorption process operates by passing the exhaust stream through a bed of activated carbon. Here, the VOCs are adsorbed onto the carbon until the VOC capacity of the carbon bed is reached. Upon reaching capacity in the carbon bed, the VOCs can be desorbed and recycled for further use or incinerated. Another typical desorption process involves passing a low pressure steam through the carbon bed. As the steam passes, the VOCs are released from the carbon and condensed in the steam, creating VOC-laden water. The VOC-laden water can then be treated further or discharged as wastewater depending on its quality.

Carbon adsorption can be employed in two forms: fixed-bed adsorption and fluidized-bed adsorption. Fixedbed carbon adsorption uses two or more carbon beds. While two or more beds are in regeneration, one bed is in use. Fluidized-bed adsorption employs a single bed that contains beaded activated carbon. The VOC stream is pushed through the bed of activated carbon and exits while the VOC-laden carbon is continually removed and replaced for regeneration.

### 3.2.2.4 Current Control – Emissions Routed to Boiler

Pentane emissions from the EPS manufacturing process are currently controlled by a 16.329 MMBtu/hr boiler (Source ID 33, Stack ID S03). The Epsilon system collects the pentane vapors from the process and feeds it to the boiler's combustion air. The pentane replaces some of the natural gas used as boiler fuel. The boiler has a pentane destruction efficiency of 99.5%.

# 3.2.3 Step 2: Eliminate Technically Infeasible Options for VOC Control

Step 2 in a RACT top-down analysis is to eliminate the control options identified in Step 1 which are technically infeasible. The remaining technologies are then carried into Step 3.

### 3.2.3.1 Thermal Oxidation

Thermal oxidation is a potentially feasible control device for the EPS manufacturing process. The RBLC lists RTO systems as control devices for several similar polystyrene foam manufacturing processes, although RTO is defined as BACT, and not RACT, in these situations. See Appendix A for more information on the RBLC search results. This type of technology is technically feasible for Carpenter's EPS manufacturing process

10 OAQPS, U.S. EPA Air Pollution Control Cost Manual, Sixth Edition, EPA 452-02-001

and is further reviewed in the following section. VOC emissions routed to a boiler would be considered equivalent to thermal oxidation.

### 3.2.3.2 Catalytic Oxidation

Catalytic oxidation is a potentially feasible control device for the EPS manufacturing process. The RBLC does not list catalytic oxidation systems as control devices for similar polystyrene foam manufacturing processes. This type of technology is technically feasible for Carpenter's EPS manufacturing process and is further reviewed in the following section.

### 3.2.3.3 Carbon Adsorption

Carbon adsorption is a potentially feasible control device for the EPS manufacturing process. The RBLC does not list catalytic oxidation systems as a control devices for any similar polystyrene foam manufacturing processes. See Appendix A for more information on the RBLC search results. However, the EPA Polystyrene Report has determined that carbon adsorption has been demonstrated as a VOC emissions control device for the polystyrene foam manufacturing industry, stating that activated carbon is effective in capturing pentane by the physical adsorption mechanism.<sup>11</sup> The EPA report also notes that polymerization of the styrene on the carbon is a concern because it will quickly deactivate the bed. However, the styrene content in the vent stream from the EPS manufacturing process is expected to occur at trace levels.<sup>12</sup> As such, this type of technology is further reviewed in the following section.

### 3.2.3.4 Current Control – Emissions Routed to Boiler

The continued use of a boiler to control pentane emissions from the EPS manufacturing system is a technically feasible control strategy for the EPS manufacturing process at Carpenter's Fogelsville facility. The RBLC shows two other polystyrene processes which are controlled by boilers.<sup>13</sup>

# 3.2.4 Step 3: Rank Remaining Control Technologies by Control Effectiveness

In Step 3, the remaining control technology options are ranked based on their control effectiveness, from highest to lowest control efficiency. Table 3-2 provides the ranked control technologies for the EPS manufacturing process at Carpenter's Fogelsville facility.

<sup>11</sup> OAQPS, Control Technology Center, Control of VOC Emissions from Polystyrene Foam Manufacturing, EPA-450/3-90-020, (https://www3.epa.gov/airquality/ctg\_act/199009\_voc\_epa450\_3-90-020\_polystyrene\_foam\_ manufacturing.pdf), August 1990. pp 2-3 and 6-6.

<sup>12</sup> OAQPS, Control Technology Center, Control of VOC Emissions from Polystyrene Foam Manufacturing, EPA-450/3-90-020, (https://www3.epa.gov/airquality/ctg\_act/199009\_voc\_epa450\_3-90-020\_polystyrene\_foam\_ manufacturing.pdf), August 1990. p 6-7.

<sup>13</sup> Dart Container of KY's polystyrene container manufacturing process (RBLC ID KY-0080) and Western Insulfoam's foam panel manufacturing process (RBLC ID AZ-0019).

Ranked Control Technologies	Control Efficiency	Reference		
1. Current Control – Emissions Routed to Boiler	99%	Title V Permit 39-00040, Section D, Source ID 101, Condition #003		
2. Thermal Oxidation	99%	EPA Polystyrene Report, Section 6.2.1 14		
3. Catalytic Oxidation	95%	EPA Polystyrene Report, Section 6.2.1 15		
4. Carbon absorption	90%	EPA Polystyrene Report, Section 7.1. Short term carbon adsorption may be 95% or higher, but a more realistic time weighted average is 90%. <sup>16</sup>		

 Table 3-2.
 Ranked Control Technologies for EPS Manufacturing Process

# 3.2.5 Step 4: Evaluate Most Effective Controls and Document Results

As shown in the table above, the technology currently used to control VOC emissions from the EPS manufacturing process, routing emissions to the boiler, is the most effective technically feasible control technology for the process. The EPA Polystyrene Report confirms that where applicable, use of existing boilers would be the most effective control option.<sup>17</sup> Although thermal oxidation has a similar control efficiency, the cost effectiveness of implementing this new control technology would obviously be much higher than the cost effectiveness of continuing to operate the existing control technology currently in place. Also, the current control technology offsets a portion of the fuel required to produce the steam needed for the EPS manufacturing process. Implementation of a new control technology would result in an undesirable increase in fuel usage at the facility. The less effective control options are eliminated as potential RACT technologies and are not reviewed further.

# 3.2.6 Step 5: Select RACT

Based upon the analysis provided above, Carpenter has identified the existing control technology, routing emissions to the boiler, as RACT for the EPS manufacturing process processes at the Fogelsville facility. Under the facility's current Title V operating permit, the boiler is required to be operating within the parameters established in the Compliance Assurance Monitoring (CAM) plan whenever the EPS manufacturing process is operational and must achieve at least 99% destruction efficiency for VOC.<sup>18</sup> Carpenter is operating in compliance with the standards. Carpenter proposes that these permit

<sup>14</sup> OAQPS, Control Technology Center, Control of VOC Emissions from Polystyrene Foam Manufacturing, EPA-450/3-90-020, (https://www3.epa.gov/airquality/ctg\_act/199009\_voc\_epa450\_3-90-020\_polystyrene\_foam\_ manufacturing.pdf), August 1990. p 6-5.

<sup>15</sup> Ibid.

<sup>16</sup> OAQPS, Control Technology Center, Control of VOC Emissions from Polystyrene Foam Manufacturing, EPA-450/3-90-020, (https://www3.epa.gov/airquality/ctg\_act/199009\_voc\_epa450\_3-90-020\_polystyrene\_foam\_ manufacturing.pdf), August 1990. p 7-3.

<sup>17</sup> OAQPS, Control Technology Center, Control of VOC Emissions from Polystyrene Foam Manufacturing, EPA-450/3-90-020, (https://www3.epa.gov/airquality/ctg\_act/199009\_voc\_epa450\_3-90-020\_polystyrene\_foam\_ manufacturing.pdf), August 1990. P 6-5.

<sup>18</sup> Title V Operating Permit 39-00040, Section D, Source ID 101, Conditions #003 and #008

requirements as well as the current VOC emission limit of 88.8 tpy be applied as RACT for the EPS manufacturing process at the Fogelsville facility.

# **3.3 VOC RACT Assessment for the Polyurethane Manufacturing Process**

This section addresses the RACT assessment for the polyurethane foam manufacturing process at the Fogelsville facility. As an area source of HAP emissions, the Fogelsville plant is currently subject to a Generally Available Control Technology (GACT) Standard, under Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 63, Subpart OOOOOO National Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants for Flexible Polyurethane Foam Production and Fabrication Area Sources (NESHAP Subpart OOOOOO), which was originally published on July 16, 2007, and last updated on September 21, 2021. While the standards in NESHAP Subpart OOOOOO are applicable to HAPs only, HAP emissions generated from polyurethane foam manufacturing processes are a subset of VOCs. The GACT standard for slabstock flexible polyurethane foam production were established without the requirement to reduce HAP emissions or install add-on controls. Carpenter complies with NESHAP OOOOOO by not using methylene chloride.

# 3.3.1 Step 1: Identify All Control Technologies for VOC

Step 1 in a top-down analysis is to identify all available control technologies. The evaluation of potential controls for VOC emissions from the polyurethane foam manufacturing process involves an investigation of control and destruction of VOC emissions. The RBLC database was reviewed to identify potential add-on control technologies for processes similar to the polyurethane foam manufacturing process. Results of the RBLC search for foam manufacturing processes are provided in Appendix A. It should be noted that the RBLC search results presented include RACT determinations as well as any BACT and LAER determinations, which may be more stringent than RACT.

Table 3-3 contains a list of the various technologies that have been identified for the control of VOC emissions from the polyurethane foam manufacturing process.

# Table 3-3. Potentially Available VOC Control Technologies for the Polyurethane ManufacturingProcess

Potentially Applicable VOC Control Technologies					
Thermal Oxidizer					
Catalytic Oxidizer					
Carbon Adsorption					
Current Control – Good Operating and Management Practices					

Other general VOC control technologies exist in addition to those listed in Table 3-3 that are widely used for VOC control on other types of emissions sources. However, several of these have been identified as not applicable for use on polyurethane foam manufacturing processes, and therefore have not been considered for this top down RACT assessment. These technologies include, but are not limited to:

Refrigerated Condensers; and Flares

Based on our research, neither of these technologies listed above have been commercially demonstrated on polyurethane foam manufacturing processes similar to those at the Fogelsville facility. These technologies

are not identified in the RBLC search results for similar processes presented in Appendix A. Therefore, the control technologies are not considered as potentially applicable in our case and have been eliminated as potential RACT technologies.

The use of alternative primary ingredients and secondary alternatives are not reviewed as a potential VOC control technology for the polyurethane foam manufacturing process under RACT. RBLC search results include requirements for the utilization of best management practices, including the use of the lowest VOC-content foam production materials where technically feasible for BACT on under the federal Prevention of Significant Deterioration (PSD) program.<sup>19</sup> The process does not use VOC-containing blowing agents.

# 3.3.2 Review of Potentially Applicable VOC Control Technologies

The following section provides a discussion of each potentially applicable technology identified above, as it might be applied to the processes at the Fogelsville facility.

# 3.3.2.1 Thermal Oxidation

See Section 3.2.2.1 for control technology description.

### 3.3.2.2 Catalytic Oxidation

See Section 3.2.2.2 for control technology description.

### 3.3.2.3 Carbon Adsorption

See Section 3.2.2.3 for control technology description.

### 3.3.2.4 Current Control – Good Operating and Management Practices

Carpenter is already employing appropriate work practices to minimize VOC emissions, such as using non-VOC blowing agents and ensuring that all clean up solvent operations comply with Best Available Technology to minimize emissions.<sup>20</sup> All new and used cleaning solvents are stored in closed containers. Carpenter is operating in compliance with these standards.

# 3.3.3 Step 2: Eliminate Technically Infeasible Options for VOC Control

Step 2 in a RACT top-down analysis is to eliminate the control options identified in Step 1 which are technically infeasible. The remaining technologies are then carried into Step 3.

### 3.3.3.1 Thermal Oxidation

Due the nature of Carpenter's operations, air from the foam machine tunnel is exhausted at a high flowrate, with a low concentration of VOC. The application of traditional thermal oxidation for this type of process is challenging, and would require a large energy input to maintain a feasible oxidation reaction. Although the RBLC lists thermal oxidation systems as control device for one polyurethane foam manufacturing process, thermal oxidizers are defined as BACT, and not RACT, in this situation. However, this type of technology is

<sup>19</sup> Foamex Innovations, Inc.'s Indiana facility (RBLC ID IN-0137)

<sup>20</sup> Title V Operating Permit 39-00040, Section D, Source ID 102, Conditions #003 and #008

technically feasible for Carpenter's polyurethane foam manufacturing process and is further reviewed in the following section.

# 3.3.3.2 Catalytic Oxidation

To employ catalytic oxidation on polyurethane foam manufacturing processes at Carpenter, the high volume of gas collected by the exhaust vents would require multiple oxidizers for each stack. In addition, the various ingredients and additives used in the process may create the potential problem of fouling the catalyst, thus reducing the efficiency of the oxidation reaction. The RBLC does not list catalytic oxidation systems as control devices for similar polyurethane foam manufacturing processes. Since this technology has not been demonstrated in practice, Carpenter considers this technology to be technically infeasible and eliminates catalytic oxidation as RACT. Further evaluation of the technology is not required.

### 3.3.3.3 Carbon Adsorption

While carbon adsorption was not listed in the RBLC for polyurethane foam manufacturing processes, four Carpenter facilities currently utilize a carbon adsorption bed to control VOC emissions from the polyurethane foam manufacturing line exhaust. Therefore, Carpenter believes carbon adsorption to be technically feasible for the polyurethane foam manufacturing process and is further reviewed in the following section.

# 3.3.3.4 Current Control – Good Operating and Management Practices

The continued use of good operating and management practices are a technically feasible control strategy for the Fogelsville facility polyurethane foam manufacturing process.

# 3.3.4 Step 3: Rank Remaining Control Technologies by Control Effectiveness

In Step 3, the remaining control technology options are ranked based on their control effectiveness, from highest to lowest control efficiency. Table 3-4 provides the ranked control technologies for the polyurethane foam manufacturing process at Carpenter's Fogelsville facility.

Ranked Control Technologies	Control Efficiency	Reference
1. Thermal Oxidation	98%	EPA Air Pollution Control Technology Fact Sheet for Thermal Incinerator (EPA-452/F-03-022)
2. Carbon Adsorption	90%	EPA Expected Control
3. Current Control – Good Operating and Management Practices		

Table 3-4.	<b>Ranked Control</b>	Technologies fo	or Polyurethane	<b>Manufacturing Process</b>
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# 3.3.5 Step 4: Evaluate Most Effective Controls and Document Results

The most efficient, control technologies which are technically feasible for the polyurethane foam manufacturing process are carbon adsorption and thermal oxidation. Therefore, a cost analysis was performed on the carbon adsorption and thermal oxidation control technologies for the polyurethane foam manufacturing process. The majority of the VOC emissions generated from the polyurethane foam manufacturing process are produced as fugitive emissions as the curing process takes place in the slab room. The cost to route the fugitive emissions to the control device would be significant. Therefore, Carpenter analyzed the cost of two potential control device configurations for both the carbon adsorber and thermal oxidizer:

- Cost effectiveness of controlling only the VOC stack emissions with a control device. Combined emissions from the two exhaust points (S04 and S05) are considered and ductwork to the control device are conservatively excluded from the cost calculation.
- Cost effectiveness of controlling the total VOC from the process, including stack and fugitive emissions. Calculations include a conservative estimate of the cost of ductwork from the exhaust fans in the slab room to the control device. Carpenter conservatively assumed that 100% of emissions could be captured in the exhaust.

A control efficiency of 98% was assumed for the thermal oxidizer, and a control efficiency of 90% was assumed for the carbon adsorber. Other assumptions and cost estimates used in the analysis are based on methods found in the OAQPS CCM, Sixth Edition and Seventh Editions. The results of this cost analysis demonstrate an annualized cost effectiveness for the thermal oxidizer of over \$360,000 per ton of VOC controlled from the stack emissions only and an annualized cost effectiveness of over \$50,000 per ton of VOC controlled from combined stack and fugitive emissions. The results of this cost analysis also demonstrate an annualized cost effectiveness for the carbon adsorber of over \$260,000 per ton of VOC controlled from the stack emissions only and an annualized cost effectiveness of over \$30,000 per ton of VOC controlled from the stack emissions only and an annualized cost effectiveness of over \$30,000 per ton of VOC controlled from the stack and fugitive emissions. Both cost estimates are based on an assumed 10-year life span of the equipment. See detailed analysis is Appendix B. Carpenter believes that the cost effectiveness of these control devices is not reasonable, therefore neither carbon adsorption nor thermal oxidation is not RACT for the polyurethane foam manufacturing process processes.

# 3.3.6 Select RACT

Based upon the analysis provided above, Carpenter has not identified any add-on control technologies as RACT for the polyurethane foam manufacturing process at the Fogelsville facility. In addition, Carpenter is already employing appropriate work practices to minimize VOC emissions, such as using non-VOC blowing agents and ensuring that all clean up solvent operations comply with Best Available Technology to minimize emissions.<sup>21</sup> All new and used cleaning solvents are stored in closed containers. Carpenter is operating in compliance with these standards. Carpenter proposes that work practice standards noted above as well as the existing VOC emission limit of 20 tpy from the foam line be applied as RACT for the polyurethane foam manufacturing process at the Fogelsville facility.

<sup>21</sup> Title V Operating Permit 39-00040, Section D, Source ID 102, Conditions #003 and #008

# 4. RACT PROPOSAL

The Fogelsville facility proposed RACT and related monitoring, testing, recordkeeping and reporting are summarized in Table 4-1 and Table 4-2 below for sources subject to a case-by-case RACT analyses.

 Table 4-1. Fogelsville Plant Proposed RACT Summary – EPS Manufacturing Process

Emission Source	Title V Source ID 101: EPS manufacturing process
ID(s):	
Source	Process in which polystyrene beads are expanded into foam with pentane as a
Description(s):	blowing agent. Capacity of the process is 4,000 pounds pentane per hour.
Description of RACT:	Case-by-case
	<ul> <li>The annual VOC emissions from the Source ID 101 should not exceed 88.8 tons per year based on a 12-month rolling average as calculated by the company and approved by the Department; and</li> <li>The facility shall achieve at least 99% destruction efficiency for the VOC emissions in the control device (C33); and</li> <li>The company shall ensure that the capture system and control device (C33) area operated at all times the source (101) is in operation. The boiler must be operating within the parameters established in the CAM plan whenever the EPS process is operating.</li> </ul>

### Proposed Monitoring:

The facility shall ensure that the boiler is equipped with the applicable monitoring equipment and the monitoring equipment shall be installed, calibrated, and maintained in accordance with good manufacturing practices at all times the boiler is in use.

The operating range of the boiler is 15-270 psi of steam pressure as per boiler manual. The permittee shall monitor the steam pressure once a day during normal operating hours whenever source 101 is in operation (excluding weekends and holidays). If the boiler fails, pentane will still be collected by Process 101 until the concentration reaches 50% of the LEL, at which point the pentane is related and emitted. When the boiler is operating properly and pentane concentration in Process 101 reaches 85% of the LEL, then pentane is released and emitted. This would constitute a failure of the control device.

### Proposed Testing: N/A

### Proposed Recordkeeping:

The permittee shall record the steam pressure once a day during normal operating hours whenever source 101 is in operation (excludes weekends and holidays).

### Proposed Reporting: N/A

# Table 4-2. Fogelsville Plant Proposed RACT Summary – Polyurethane Foam Manufacturing Process

Emission Source ID(s):	Title V Source ID 102: Polyurethane foam manufacturing process					
Sourco						
Source						
Description(s):						
Description of RACT:	Case-by-case					
	<ul> <li>The annual VOC emission rate from this source shall not exceed 20 tons per year based on a 12-month rolling average as calculated by the company and approved by the Department; and</li> <li>All clean up solvent operations must comply with Best Available Technology to minimize VOC emissions. All cleaning operations must store new and used cleaning solvents in closed containers; and</li> <li>The company shall use only a non-traditional blowing agent (i.e., carbon dioxide) in the process. VOC blowing agents are prohibited from being used.</li> </ul>					
Proposed Monitoring:	N/A					
Proposed Testing: N/A Proposed Recordkeeping:						
<ul> <li>Compliance with the V the foam line on a dail</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Compliance with the VOC emission limit shall be demonstrated by recording the chemical usage for the foam line on a daily and monthly basis.</li> </ul>					
Proposed Reporting: N	I/A					

**APPENDIX A. RBLC SEARCH RESULTS** 

						Type of	
RBLC ID	Permit Number	Permit Date	Facility Name	Source	Primary Fuel	Requirement	Polluation Prevention / Add-on Control Description
			NHK SEATING OF			OTHER CASE-	
IN-0208	023-34689-00035	11/25/2014	AMERICA, INC.	SEAT FOAM PRODUCTION LINE		BY-CASE	REGENERATIVE THERMAL OXIDIZER
				THREE (3) POLYSTYRENE FOAM			
				EXTRUSION OPERATIONS -		OTHER CASE-	PERMANENT TOTAL ENCLOSURE AND RTO FOR SCRAP
IN-0219	143-35401-00016	7/6/2015	GENPAK, LLC	BUTANE ONLY BLOWING AGENT		BY-CASE	REPELLETIZER
				EXPANDED POLYSTYRENE (EPS)			
IN-0238	039-35547-00086	12/28/2015	CARPENTER COMPANY	FOAM MANUFACTURING LINE	NATURAL GAS	N/A	REGENERATIVE THERMAL OXIDIZER (RTO)
				POLYSTYRENE FOAM		OTHER CASE-	
IN-0270	039-37587-00086	5/25/2017	CARPENTER CO	MANUFACTURING PROCESS	NATURAL GAS	BY-CASE	REGENERATIVE THERMAL OXIDIZER
						OTHER CASE-	
IN-0269	067-38176-00053	6/5/2017	SYNDICATE SALES, INC.	FOAM PRODUCTION LINE		BY-CASE	GOOD MANAGEMENT AND WORK PRACTICES

#### **RBLC Search Results for EPS Manufacturing**

					Type of	
RBLC ID	Permit Number	Permit Date	Facility Name	Source	Requirement	Polluation Prevention / Add-on Control Description
			NHK SEATING OF		OTHER CASE-	
IN-0208	023-34689-00035	11/25/2014	AMERICA, INC.	SEAT FOAM PRODUCTION LINE	BY-CASE	REGENERATIVE THERMAL OXIDIZER
IN-0190	063-34203-00071	6/12/2014	FAGERDALA PACKAGING INC. (INDIANA)	POLYETHYLENE SHEET FOAM EXTRUDER LINE (SFE-01)	OTHER CASE- BY-CASE	REGENERATIVE THERMAL OXIDIZER
			FAGERDALA PACKAGING	POLYETHYLENE SHEET FOAM	OTHER CASE-	REGENERATIVE THERMAL OXIDIZER (RTO) WITH PERMANENT
IN-0210	063-35542-00071	6/8/2015	INC. (INDIANA)	EXTRUDER LINE	BY-CASE	TOTAL ENCLOSURE (PTE)
					OTHER CASE-	
IN-0269	067-38176-00053	6/5/2017	SYNDICATE SALES, INC.	FOAM PRODUCTION LINE	BY-CASE	GOOD MANAGEMENT AND WORK PRACTICES
			ADIENT US LLC -			
*TN-0184	980244	9/22/2022	PULASKI	Polyurethane Foam Manufacturing	N/A	Good work practices and permitted VOC limit

**RBLC Search Results for Polyurethane Manufacturing** 

# APPENDIX B. COST ANALYSES FOR RTO FOR THE POLYURETHANE FOAM LINE

Cost equations are adapted from the EPA Air Pollution Control Cost Manual, Sixth Edition (Jan 2002), Section 3.2 Chapter 2, for incinerators used for VOC Control. Equations taken from the manual are referenced by equation number or table number as they appear in Section 3.2 Chapter 2 unless otherwise stated.

#### Total Capital Investment (TCI)

(0.00)

#### Equipment Cost for Incinerators

	$EC = 2.204 \times 10^{\circ} + 11.57 * Q_{tot}$	(2.33)
1999 Cost Estimate Equipment Cost (EC) =	EPA Cost Manual, Section 3.2, Chapter 2, Equation 2.33	\$481,708 in 1999 dollars
CPI, 1999	Bureau of Labor Statistics	166.6
CPI, May 2016	Bureau of Labor Statistics	240.2
CPI, October 2022	Bureau of Labor Statistics	298.0
Total Flow Rate (Q <sub>tot</sub> ) =	Title V Renewal <sup>1</sup>	22,585 scfm
Destruction Efficiency =	EPA Thermal Incinerator Manual expected control	98%
Equipment Cost (EC) =	Linearly scaled using Eq. 2.33 <sup>2</sup>	\$861,674 in 2022 dollars
Auxiliary Equipment Cost (Aux) =	Assumes no auxiliary equipment required	in 2022 dollars
Equipment and Auxiliary Cost (A) =	EC + Aux =	\$861,674 in 2022 dollars
Instrumentation =	0.10 * A (Table 2.8)	\$0 in 2022 dollars
Sales Tax =	No sales tax on control equipment in PA	in 2022 dollars
Freight =	0.05 * A (Table 2.8)	\$43,084 in 2022 dollars
Purchased Equipment Cost (PEC) =	A + Tax + Freight = 1.11A	\$904,758 in 2022 dollars
Foundation & supports =	0.08 * PEC (Table 2.8)	\$72,381 in 2022 dollars
Handling & erection =	0.14 * PEC (Table 2.8)	\$126,666 in 2022 dollars
Electrical =	0.04 * PEC (Table 2.8)	\$36,190 in 2022 dollars
Piping =	0.02 * PEC (Table 2.8)	\$18,095 in 2022 dollars
Insulation for ductwork =	0.01 * PEC (Table 2.8)	\$9,048 in 2022 dollars
Painting =	0.01 * PEC (Table 2.8)	\$9,048 in 2022 dollars
Direct Installation Costs (DIC) =	0.30 * PEC (Table 2.8)	\$271,427 in 2022 dollars
Total Direct Costs (DC) =	PEC + DIC =	\$1,176,185 in 2022 dollars
Engineering =	0.10 * PEC (Table 2.8)	\$90,476 in 2022 dollars
Construction and field expenses =	0.05 * PEC (Table 2.8)	\$45,238 in 2022 dollars
Contractor fees =	0.10 * PEC (Table 2.8)	\$90,476 in 2022 dollars
Start-up =	0.02 * PEC (Table 2.8)	\$18,095 in 2022 dollars
Performance test =	0.01 * PEC (Table 2.8)	\$9,048 in 2022 dollars
Contingencies =	0.03 * PEC (Table 2.8)	\$27,143 in 2022 dollars
Total Indirect Costs (IC) =	0.29 * PEC (Table 2.8)	\$280,475 in 2022 dollars
Total Capital Investment (TCI) =	DC + IC =	\$1,456,660.00 in 2022 dollars

1. Total flow rate based on the sum of the exhaust flow rates for the pour line stack exhaust point (S04) and the cut off saw exhaust point (S05).

2. Equation for equipment cost is linearly dependent on flow rate from 10,000 scfm to 100,000 scfm.

Cost equations are adapted from the EPA Air Pollution Control Cost Manual, Sixth Edition (Jan 2002), Section 3.2 Chapter 2, for incinerators used for VOC Control. Equations taken from the manual are referenced by equation number or table number as they appear in Section 3.2 Chapter 2 unless otherwise stated.

#### Annual Costs

#### Direct Annual Costs (DAC)

DAC = (Annual Electricity Cost) + (Annual Fuel Cost) + (Annual Labor and Materials)

Annual Electricity Cost at 90% uptime =	90% x 8760 x p <sub>e</sub> kW =	\$61,221.35 in 2022 dollars
Electricity price in PA $(p_e)^1 =$	from U.S. Energy Information Administration	\$0.09 \$/kWh
Total Flow Rate (Q <sub>tot</sub> ) =	Title V renewal	22,585 scfm
Electricity Use of Fan (kW) =	Based on EPA cost manual, estimating 19 inches of water pressure drop and a 60% fan efficiency, EPA Control Cost Manual Section 3.2, Chapter 2, 2.5.2.1	83.7 kW
Annual Fuel Cost at 90% uptime =	Conservatively excluding from calculation	in 2022 dollars
Fuel price of Natural Gas in PA $(p_f)^2$ =	from U.S. Energy Information Administration	\$9.76 \$/mscf
Fuel Use (G) =	Expected fuel usage based on similar facilities	4.0 mscf/hr
Operator Labor Unit Cost <sup>3</sup>	BLS Operator Wage Rate	\$33.22 in 2022 dollars
Operator Labor	0.5 hr/shift, 8 hr shift all year	\$18,188.23 in 2022 dollars
Supervisor Labor	Table 2.10, 15% of operator	\$2,728.23 in 2022 dollars
Maintenance Labor Unit Cost	10% increase from operator labor per EPA Control Cost Manual Section 1, Chapter 2, 2.5.5.2	\$36.54 in 2022 dollars
Maintenance Labor	0.5 hr/shift, 8 hr shift all year	\$20,007.05 in 2022 dollars
Maintenance Materials	Table 2.10, 100% of maintenance labor	\$20,007.05 in 2022 dollars
Direct Annual Cost (DAC) =		\$122,152 in 2022 dollars

1. Average electricity cost for industrial consumers in August 2022 in Pennsylvania, US Energy Information Administration

2. Natural gas cost for industrial consumers in August 2022, US Energy Information Administration

3. US Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, May 2016 PA Occupational Employment and Wage Estimate for Plant and System Operators, All Other (occupation code 51-8099). Adjusted to October 2022 dollars using CPI data.

#### Indirect Annual Cost (IDAC)

IDAC = Overhead + Administrative Charges + Property Taxes + Insurance + Capital Recovery Costs

Indirect Annual Cost (IDAC) =		\$232,323 in 2022 dollars
Capital Recovery <sup>1</sup> =	CRF * TCI (Table 2.10)	\$137,498 in 2022 dollars
Insurance =	0.01 * TCI (Table 2.10)	\$14,567 in 2022 dollars
Property Taxes =	0.01 * TCI (Table 2.10)	\$14,567 in 2022 dollars
Administrative Charges =	0.02 * TCI (Table 2.10)	\$29,133 in 2022 dollars
Overhead =	60% of total labor and maint. (Table 2.10)	\$36,558 in 2022 dollars

1. Based on equipment life of 20 years and 7% interest rate.

#### Total Annual Cost (TAC)

TAC = Direct Annual Costs + Indirect Annual Costs

Direct Annual Costs (DAC) =		\$122,152 in 2022 dollars
Indirect Annual Costs (IDAC) =		\$232,323 in 2022 dollars
Total Annual Costs (TAC) =	DAC + IDAC =	\$354,475 in 2022 dollars

#### **Cost Effectiveness**

#### Cost Effectiveness = Total Annual Cost/ VOC Removed/year

Total Annual Cost (TAC) =	\$354,475 per year in 2022 dollars
VOC Removed =	1.0 tons/year <sup>1</sup>
Cost Effectiveness =	\$361,709.23 per ton of VOC removed in 2022
	dollars

1. Maximum potential VOC removed if the exhaust currently routed to the two stacks in the polyurethane area (S04 and S05) are routed to the RTO. VOC removed is based on 5% of the total PTE from the polyurethane line (20 tpy), because 5% of total polyurethane emissions are routed to the existing stacks.

Cost equations are adapted from the EPA Air Pollution Control Cost Manual, Sixth Edition (Jan 2002), Section 3.2 Chapter 2, for incinerators used for VOC Control. Equations taken from the manual are referenced by equation number or table number as they appear in Section 3.2 Chapter 2 unless otherwise stated.

#### Total Capital Investment (TCI)

#### Equipment Cost for Incinerators

	$EC = 2.204 \times 10^3 + 11.57 * Q_{tot}$	(2.33)
1999 Cost Estimate Equipment Cost (EC) =	EPA Cost Manual, Section 3.2, Chapter 2, Equation 2.33	\$1,377,400 in 1999 dollars
CPI, 1999	Bureau of Labor Statistics	166.6
CPI, May 2016	Bureau of Labor Statistics	240.2
CPI, October 2022	Bureau of Labor Statistics	298.0
Total Flow Rate (Q <sub>tot</sub> ) =	Maximum in EPA's expected range <sup>1</sup>	100,000 scfm
Destruction Efficiency =	EPA Thermal Incinerator Manual expected control	98%
Equipment Cost (EC) =	Linearly scaled using Eq. 2.33 <sup>2</sup>	\$2,463,876 in 2022 dollars
Auxiliary Equipment Cost (Aux) =	Assumes no auxiliary equipment required	in 2022 dollars
Equipment and Auxiliary Cost (A) =	EC + Aux =	\$2,463,876 in 2022 dollars
Instrumentation =	0.10 * A (Table 2.8)	\$0 in 2022 dollars
Sales Tax =	No sales tax on control equipment in PA	in 2022 dollars
Freight =	0.05 * A (Table 2.8)	\$123,194 in 2022 dollars
Purchased Equipment Cost (PEC) =	A + Tax + Freight = 1.11A	\$2,587,070 in 2022 dollars
Foundation & supports =	0.08 * PEC (Table 2.8)	\$206,966 in 2022 dollars
Handling & erection =	0.14 * PEC (Table 2.8)	\$362,190 in 2022 dollars
Electrical =	0.04 * PEC (Table 2.8)	\$103,483 in 2022 dollars
Piping =	0.02 * PEC (Table 2.8)	\$51,741 in 2022 dollars
Insulation for ductwork =	0.01 * PEC (Table 2.8)	\$25,871 in 2022 dollars
Painting =	0.01 * PEC (Table 2.8)	\$25,871 in 2022 dollars
Direct Installation Costs (DIC) =	0.30 * PEC (Table 2.8)	\$776,121 in 2022 dollars
Total Direct Costs (DC) =	PEC + DIC =	\$3,363,191 in 2022 dollars
Engineering =	0.10 * PEC (Table 2.8)	\$258,707 in 2022 dollars
Construction and field expenses =	0.05 * PEC (Table 2.8)	\$129,353 in 2022 dollars
Contractor fees =	0.10 * PEC (Table 2.8)	\$258,707 in 2022 dollars
Start-up =	0.02 * PEC (Table 2.8)	\$51,741 in 2022 dollars
Performance test =	0.01 * PEC (Table 2.8)	\$25,871 in 2022 dollars
Contingencies =	0.03 * PEC (Table 2.8)	\$77,612 in 2022 dollars
Total Indirect Costs (IC) =	0.29 * PEC (Table 2.8)	\$801,992 in 2022 dollars
Total Capital Investment (TCI) =	DC + IC =	\$4,165,182.25 in 2017 dollars

1. Total flow rate based on the sum of the exhaust flow rates for the pour line stack exhaust point (S04) and the cut off saw exhaust point (S05), as well as the flow rate from the ductwork fans. The flow rate is capped at 100,000 scfm to meet the EPA Cost Manual equipment cost equation requirement in the Section 3.2, Chapter

2, Section 2.5.1.1. Actual flow rate is likely higher than 100,000 scfm.

2. Equation for equipment cost is linearly dependent on flow rate from 10,000 scfm to 100,000 scfm.

Cost equations are adapted from the EPA Air Pollution Control Cost Manual, Sixth Edition (Jan 2002), Section 3.2 Chapter 2, for incinerators used for VOC Control. Equations taken from the manual are referenced by equation number or table number as they appear in Section 3.2 Chapter 2 unless otherwise stated.

#### Annual Costs

#### Direct Annual Costs (DAC)

DAC = (Annual Electricity Cost) + (Annual Fuel Cost) + (Annual Labor and Materials)

Annual Electricity Cost at 90% uptime =	90% x 8760 x p <sub>e</sub> kW =	\$271,070.84 in 2022 dollars
Electricity price in PA $(p_e)^1 =$	from U.S. Energy Information Administration	\$0.09 \$/kWh
Total Flow Rate (Q <sub>tot</sub> ) =	Title V renewal	100,000 scfm
Electricity Use of Fan (kW) =	Based on EPA cost manual, estimating 19 inches of water pressure drop and a 60% fan efficiency, EPA Control Cost Manual Section 3.2, Chapter 2, 2.5.2.1	370.5 kW
Annual Electricity Cost of Ductwork	See Ductwork calculations	\$45,875.75 in 2022 dollars
Annual Fuel Cost at 90% uptime =	Conservatively excluding from calculation	in 2022 dollars
Fuel price of Natural Gas in PA $(p_f)^2$ =	from U.S. Energy Information Administration	\$9.76 \$/mscf
Fuel Use (G) =	Expected fuel usage based on similar facilities	4.0 mscf/hr
Operator Labor Unit Cost <sup>3</sup>	BLS Operator Wage Rate	\$33.22 in 2022 dollars
Operator Labor	0.5 hr/shift, 8 hr shift all year	\$18,188.23 in 2022 dollars
Supervisor Labor	Table 2.10, 15% of operator	\$2,728.23 in 2022 dollars
Maintenance Labor Unit Cost	10% increase from operator labor per EPA Control Cost Manual Section 1,	\$36.54 in 2022 dollars
	Chapter 2, 2.5.5.2	
Maintenance Labor	0.5 hr/shift, 8 hr shift all year	\$20,007.05 in 2022 dollars
Maintenance Materials	Table 2.10, 100% of maintenance labor	\$20,007.05 in 2022 dollars
Direct Annual Cost (DAC) =		\$377.877 in 2022 dollars

1. Average electricity cost for industrial consumers in August 2022 in Pennsylvania, US Energy Information Administration

2. Natural gas cost for industrial consumers in August 2022, US Energy Information Administration

3. US Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, May 2016 PA Occupational Employment and Wage Estimate for Plant and System Operators, All Other (occupation code 51-8099). Adjusted to April 2017 dollars using CPI data.

#### Indirect Annual Cost (IDAC)

IDAC = Overhead + Administrative Charges + Property Taxes + Insurance + Capital Recovery Costs

Overhead =	60% of total labor and maint. (Table 2.10)	\$36,558 in 2022 dollars
Administrative Charges =	0.02 * TCI (Table 2.10)	\$83,304 in 2022 dollars
Property Taxes =	0.01 * TCI (Table 2.10)	\$41,652 in 2022 dollars
Insurance =	0.01 * TCI (Table 2.10)	\$41,652 in 2022 dollars
Capital Recovery <sup>1</sup> =	CRF * TCI (Table 2.10)	\$393,164 in 2022 dollars
Indirect Annual Cost (IDAC) =		\$596,329 in 2022 dollars

1. Based on equipment life of 20 years and 7% interest rate.

### Total Annual Cost (TAC)

TAC = Direct Annual Costs + Indirect Annual Costs

Direct Annual Costs (DAC) =	\$377,877 in 2022 dollars
Indirect Annual Costs (IDAC) for RTO =	\$596,329 in 2022 dollars
Indirect Annual Costs (IDAC) for Ductwork for slab room fugitives (see Ductwork calculations)	\$30,990 in 2022 dollars
Total Annual Costs (TAC) = DAC + IDAC =	\$1,005,197 in 2022 dollars

#### **Cost Effectiveness**

#### Cost Effectiveness = Total Annual Cost/ VOC Removed/year

Total Annual Cost (TAC) =	\$1,005,197 per year in 2022 dollars		
VOC Removed =	19.6 tons/year <sup>1</sup>		
Cost Effectiveness =	\$51,285.56 per ton of VOC removed in 2022		
	dollars		

1. VOC removed estimated based on the PTE of the polyurethane foam line (Unit ID 102) of 20 tons per year. This conservatively assumes all emissions from the polyurethane process, including fugitive emissions from the slab room, are routed to an RTO.

Cost equations are adapted from the EPA Air Pollution Control Cost Manual, Seventh Edition (October 2018), Section 3.1, Chapter 1, for Carbon Absorbers used for VOC Control. Equations taken from the manual are referenced by equation number or table number as they appear in Section 3.1 Chapter 1 unless otherwise stated.

#### Total Capital Investment (TCI)

	Equipment Cost for Carbon Adsorber EC = $2.204 \times 10^5 + 11.57 * 0$	(2.33)
Total Adsorber Equipment Cost	EPA Cost Manual, Section 3.1, Chapter 1, Equation 1.27	\$192,289 in 1999 dollars
Carbon Cost <sup>1</sup>	EPA Cost Manual, Section 3.1, Chapter 1, Equation 1.16	\$286 in 2018 dollars
Carbon Cost	Calculated based on CPI	\$189 in 1999 dollars
Total Carbon Charge <sup>2</sup>	EPA Cost Manual, Section 3.1, Chapter 1, Equation 1.14	184.3 lbs Carbon
Equilibrium Capacity <sup>3</sup>	EPA Cost Manual, Section 3.1, Chapter 1, Equation 1.1	0.4 lb VOC/lb Carbon
Vessel Cost <sup>4</sup>	EPA Cost Manual, Section 3.1, Chapter 1, Equation 1.25	\$62,576 in 1999 dollars
Surface Area of Vessel <sup>5</sup>	EPA Cost Manual, Section 3.1, Chapter 1, Equations 1.18, 1.19, and 1.24	1091.0 ft <sup>2</sup>
Ratio of Equipment Cost to Vessel Cost	EPA Cost Manual, Section 3.1, Chapter 1, Equation 1.26	1.5
CPI, 1999	Bureau of Labor Statistics	166.6
CPI, May 2016	Bureau of Labor Statistics	240.2
CPI, July 2018	Bureau of Labor Statistics	252.0
CPI, October 2022	Bureau of Labor Statistics	298.0
Total Flow Rate (Q <sub>tot</sub> ) =	Title V Renewal <sup>6</sup>	22,585 scfm
Destruction Efficiency =	EPA Expected Control	90%
Total Equipment Cost (EC) =	Calculated based on CPI	\$343,965 in 2022 dollars
Auxiliary Equipment Cost (Aux) =	Assumes no auxiliary equipment required	in 2022 dollars
Equipment and Auxiliary Cost (A) =	EC + Aux =	\$343,965 in 2022 dollars
Instrumentation =	0.10 * A (Table 1.4)	\$0 in 2022 dollars
Sales Tax =	No sales tax on control equipment in PA	in 2022 dollars
Freight =	0.05 * A (Table 1.4)	\$17,198 in 2022 dollars
Purchased Equipment Cost (PEC) =	A + Tax + Freight = 1.18A	\$361,163 in 2022 dollars
Foundation & supports =	0.08 * PEC (Table 1.4)	\$28,893 in 2022 dollars
Handling & erection =	0.14 * PEC (Table 1.4)	\$50,563 in 2022 dollars
Electrical =	0.04 * PEC (Table 1.4)	\$14,447 in 2022 dollars
Piping =	0.02 * PEC (Table 1.4)	\$7,223 in 2022 dollars
Insulation for ductwork =	0.01 * PEC (Table 1.4)	\$3,612 in 2022 dollars
Painting =	0.01 * PEC (Table 1.4)	\$3,612 in 2022 dollars
Direct Installation Costs (DIC) =	0.30 * PEC (Table 1.4)	\$108,349 in 2022 dollars
Total Direct Costs (DC) =	PEC + DIC =	\$469,512 in 2022 dollars
Engineering =	0.10 * PEC (Table 1.4)	\$36,116 in 2022 dollars
Construction and field expenses =	0.05 * PEC (Table 1.4)	\$18,058 in 2022 dollars
Contractor fees =	0.10 * PEC (Table 1.4)	\$36,116 in 2022 dollars
Start-up =	0.02 * PEC (Table 1.4)	\$7,223 in 2022 dollars
Performance test =	0.01 * PEC (Table 1.4)	\$3,612 in 2022 dollars
Contingencies =	0.03 * PEC (Table 1.4)	\$10,835 in 2022 dollars
Total Indirect Costs (IC) =	0.29 * PEC (Table 1.4)	\$111,961 in 2022 dollars
Total Capital Investment (TCI) =	DC + IC =	\$581,472.77 in 2022 dollars

1. Assumes a cost of \$1.55/lb for reactivated carbon.

2. Assumes 1 adsorbing bed and 1 desorbing bed opertating continuously, with an adsorption and desorption time of 8 hours. Hourly emissions based on a PTE of 20 tpy.

3. Uses the values from Table 1.2 for toluene.

4. Assumes a value of 1.0 for 304 stainless steel, from Table 1.3.

5. Assumes a gas velocity of 65 ft/min.

6. Total flow rate based on the sum of the exhaust flow rates for the pour line stack exhaust point (S04) and the cut off saw exhaust point (S05).

Cost equations are adapted from the EPA Air Pollution Control Cost Manual, Seventh Edition (October 2018), Section 3.1, Chapter 1, for Carbon Absorbers used for VOC Control. Equations taken from the manual are referenced by equation number or table number as they appear in Section 3.1 Chapter 1 unless otherwise stated.

#### Annual Costs

#### Direct Annual Costs (DAC)

DAC = (Annual Electricity Cost) + (Annual Fuel Cost) + (Annual Labor and Materials)

Annual Electricity Cost at 90% uptime =	90% x 8760 x 0.746 x hP x Electricity Cost/kWh =	\$61,634.45 in 2022 dollars
Electricity price in PA $(p_e)^1$ =	from U.S. Energy Information Administration	\$0.09 \$/kWh
Total Flow Rate (Q <sub>tot</sub> ) =	Title V renewal	22,585 scfm
Annual Steam Cost <sup>2</sup>	EPA Cost Manual, Section 3.1, Chapter 1, Equation 1.28	\$1,776,320.00 in 2022 dollars
Annual Cooling Water Cost <sup>3</sup>	EPA Cost Manual, Section 3.1, Chapter 1, Equation 1.29	\$3,961,650.00 in 2022 dollars
System Fan Horsepower Equivalent (hP) =	EPA Cost Manual, Section 3.1, Chapter 1, Equation 1.29, estimating 19 inches of water pressure drop	112.9 hP
Carbon Replacement Cost	Included in Operator Labor	
Fuel price of Natural Gas in PA $(p_f)^4$ =	from U.S. Energy Information Administration	\$9.76 \$/mscf
Operator Labor Unit Cost <sup>5</sup>	BLS Operator Wage Rate \$33.2	
Operator Labor	0.5 hr/shift, 8 hr shift all year	\$18,188.23 in 2022 dollars
Supervisor Labor	Table 2.10, 15% of operator	\$2,728.23 in 2022 dollars
Maintenance Labor Unit Cost	10% increase from operator labor per EPA Control Cost Manual Section 1,	\$36.54 in 2022 dollars
	Chapter 2, 2.5.5.2	
Maintenance Labor	0.5 hr/shift, 8 hr shift all year	\$20,007.05 in 2022 dollars
Maintenance Materials	Table 2.10, 100% of maintenance labor	\$20,007.05 in 2022 dollars
Direct Annual Cost (DAC) =		\$122,565 in 2022 dollars

1. Average electricity cost for industrial consumers in August 2022 in Pennsylvania, US Energy Information Administration

3. Assumes the cost for steam is 130% of the fuel price for natural gas. Hourly emissions based on a PTE of 20 tpy.

3. Assumes a cost of \$8.25/thousand gallons for colling water.

4. Natural gas cost for industrial consumers in August 2022, US Energy Information Administration

5. US Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, May 2016 PA Occupational Employment and Wage Estimate for Plant and System Operators, All Other (occupation code 51-8099). Adjusted to October 2022 dollars using CPI data.

#### Indirect Annual Cost (IDAC)

IDAC = Overhead + Administrative Charges + Property Taxes + Insurance + Capital Recovery Costs

Overhead =	60% of total labor and maint. (Table 2.10)	\$36,558 in 2022 dollars
Administrative Charges, Property Taxes and	0.04 * TCI (Section 1.2)	\$23,259 in 2022 dollars
Insurance =		
Capital Recovery <sup>1</sup> =	EPA Cost Manual, Section 3.1, Chapter 1, Equation 1.39	\$54,852 in 2022 dollars
Indirect Annual Cost (IDAC) =		\$114,670 in 2022 dollars

1. Based on equipment life of 20 years and 7% interest rate.

#### Total Annual Cost (TAC)

TAC = Direct Annual Costs + Indirect Annual Costs

Direct Annual Costs (DAC) =		\$122,565 in 2022 dollars
Indirect Annual Costs (IDAC) =		\$114,670 in 2022 dollars
Total Annual Costs (TAC) =	DAC + IDAC =	\$237,235 in 2022 dollars

#### **Cost Effectiveness**

Cost Effectiveness = Total Annual Cost/ VOC Removed/year

Total Annual Cost (TAC) =	\$237.235 per year in 2022 dollars
VOC Removed =	0.9 tons/vear <sup>1</sup>
Cost Effectiveness =	\$263.594.14 per ton of VOC removed in 2022
	dollars

1. Maximum potential VOC removed if the exhaust currently routed to the two stacks in the polyurethane area (S04 and S05) are routed to the adsorber. VOC removed is based on 5% of the total PTE from the polyurethane line (20 tpy), because 5% of total polyurethane emissions are routed to the existing stacks.

Cost equations are adapted from the EPA Air Pollution Control Cost Manual, Seventh Edition (October 2018), Section 3.1, Chapter 1, for Carbon Absorbers used for VOC Control. Equations taken from the manual are referenced by equation number or table number as they appear in Section 3.1 Chapter 1 unless otherwise stated.

### Total Capital Investment (TCI)

Equipment Cost for Carbon Adsorber	
$EC = 2.204 \times 10^5 + 11.57 * Q_{tot}$	

(2.33)

Total Adsorber Equipment Cost	EPA Cost Manual, Section 3.1, Chapter 1, Equation 1.27	\$501,524 in 1999 dollars
Carbon Cost <sup>1</sup>	EPA Cost Manual, Section 3.1, Chapter 1, Equation 1.16	\$286 in 2018 dollars
Carbon Cost	Calculated based on CPI	\$189 in 1999 dollars
Total Carbon Charge <sup>2</sup>	EPA Cost Manual, Section 3.1, Chapter 1, Equation 1.14	184.3 lbs Carbon
Equilibrium Capacity <sup>3</sup>	EPA Cost Manual, Section 3.1, Chapter 1, Equation 1.1	0.4 lb VOC/lb Carbon
Vessel Cost <sup>4</sup>	EPA Cost Manual, Section 3.1, Chapter 1, Equation 1.25	\$199,128 in 1999 dollars
Surface Area of Vessel <sup>5</sup>	EPA Cost Manual, Section 3.1, Chapter 1, Equations 1.18, 1.19, and 1.24	4830.8 ft <sup>2</sup>
Ratio of Equipment Cost to Vessel Cost	EPA Cost Manual, Section 3.1, Chapter 1, Equation 1.26	1.3
CPI, 1999	Bureau of Labor Statistics	166.6
CPI, May 2016	Bureau of Labor Statistics	240.2
CPI, July 2018	Bureau of Labor Statistics	252.0
CPI, October 2022	Bureau of Labor Statistics	298.0
Total Flow Rate (Q <sub>tot</sub> ) =	Maximum in EPA's expected range <sup>6</sup>	100,000 scfm
Destruction Efficiency =	EPA Expected Control	90%
Total Equipment Cost (EC) =	Calculated based on CPI	\$897,120 in 2022 dollars
Auxiliary Equipment Cost (Aux) =	Assumes no auxiliary equipment required	in 2022 dollars
Equipment and Auxiliary Cost (A) =	EC + Aux =	\$897,120 in 2022 dollars
Instrumentation =	0.10 * A (Table 1.4)	\$0 in 2022 dollars
Sales Tax =	No sales tax on control equipment in PA	in 2022 dollars
Freight =	0.05 * A (Table 1.4)	\$44,856 in 2022 dollars
Purchased Equipment Cost (PEC) =	A + Tax + Freight = 1.18A	\$941,976 in 2022 dollars
Foundation & supports =	0.08 * PEC (Table 1.4)	\$75,358 in 2022 dollars
Handling & erection =	0.14 * PEC (Table 1.4)	\$131,877 in 2022 dollars
Electrical =	0.04 * PEC (Table 1.4)	\$37,679 in 2022 dollars
Piping =	0.02 * PEC (Table 1.4)	\$18,840 in 2022 dollars
Insulation for ductwork =	0.01 * PEC (Table 1.4)	\$9,420 in 2022 dollars
Painting =	0.01 * PEC (Table 1.4)	\$9,420 in 2022 dollars
Direct Installation Costs (DIC) =	0.30 * PEC (Table 1.4)	\$282,593 in 2022 dollars
Total Direct Costs (DC) =	PEC + DIC =	\$1,224,569 in 2022 dollars
Engineering =	0.10 * PEC (Table 1.4)	\$94,198 in 2022 dollars
Construction and field expenses =	0.05 * PEC (Table 1.4)	\$47,099 in 2022 dollars
Contractor fees =	0.10 * PEC (Table 1.4)	\$94,198 in 2022 dollars
Start-up =	0.02 * PEC (Table 1.4)	\$18,840 in 2022 dollars
Performance test =	0.01 * PEC (Table 1.4)	\$9,420 in 2022 dollars
Contingencies =	0.03 * PEC (Table 1.4)	\$28,259 in 2022 dollars
Total Indirect Costs (IC) =	0.29 * PEC (Table 1.4)	\$292,013 in 2022 dollars
Total Capital Investment (TCI) =	DC + IC =	\$1,516,581.66 in 2022 dollars

1. Assumes a cost of \$1.55/lb for reactivated carbon.

2. Assumes 1 adsorbing bed and 1 desorbing bed opertating continuously, with an adsorption and desorption time of 8 hours. Hourly emissions based on a PTE of 20 tpy.

3. Uses the values from Table 1.2 for toluene.

4. Assumes a value of 1.0 for 304 stainless steel, from Table 1.3.

5. Assumes a gas velocity of 65 ft/min.

6. Total flow rate based on the sum of the exhaust flow rates for the pour line stack exhaust point (S04) and the cut off saw exhaust point (S05), as well as the flow rate from the ductwork fans. The flow rate is capped at 100,000 scfm to meet the EPA Cost Manual equipment cost equation requirement in the Section 3.1, Chapter 1, Section 1.6.1. Actual flow rate is likely higher than 100,000 scfm.

Cost equations are adapted from the EPA Air Pollution Control Cost Manual, Seventh Edition (October 2018), Section 3.1, Chapter 1, for Carbon Absorbers used for VOC Control. Equations taken from the manual are referenced by equation number or table number as they appear in Section 3.1 Chapter 1 unless otherwise stated.

#### **Annual Costs**

# Direct Annual Costs (DAC)

DAC = (Annual Electricity Cost) + (Annual Fuel Cost) + (Annual Labor and Materials)

Annual Electricity Cost at 90% uptime =	90% x 8760 x 0.746 x hP x Electricity Cost/kWh =	\$272,899.93 in 2022 dollars
Electricity price in PA (p <sub>e</sub> ) <sup>1</sup> =	from U.S. Energy Information Administration	\$0.09 \$/kWh
Total Flow Rate $(Q_{tot}) =$	Title V renewal	100,000 scfm
Annual Steam Cost <sup>2</sup>	EPA Cost Manual, Section 3.1, Chapter 1, Equation 1.28	\$1,776,320.00 in 2022 dollars
Annual Cooling Water Cost <sup>3</sup>	EPA Cost Manual, Section 3.1, Chapter 1, Equation 1.29	\$3,961,650.00 in 2022 dollars
System Fan Horsepower Equivalent (hP) =	EPA Cost Manual, Section 3.1, Chapter 1, Equation 1.29, estimating 19 inches of water pressure drop	500.0 hP
Carbon Replacement Cost	Included in Operator Labor	
Fuel price of Natural Gas in PA $(p_f)^4$ =	from U.S. Energy Information Administration	\$9.76 \$/mscf
Operator Labor Unit Cost <sup>5</sup>	BLS Operator Wage Rate	\$33.22 in 2022 dollars
Operator Labor	0.5 hr/shift, 8 hr shift all year	\$18,188.23 in 2022 dollars
Supervisor Labor	Table 2.10, 15% of operator	\$2,728.23 in 2022 dollars
Maintenance Labor Unit Cost	10% increase from operator labor per EPA Control Cost Manual Section 1,	\$36.54 in 2022 dollars
	Chapter 2, 2.5.5.2	
Maintenance Labor	0.5 hr/shift, 8 hr shift all year	\$20,007.05 in 2022 dollars
Maintenance Materials	Table 2.10, 100% of maintenance labor	\$20,007.05 in 2022 dollars
Direct Annual Cost (DAC) =		\$333.830 in 2022 dollars

1. Average electricity cost for industrial consumers in August 2022 in Pennsylvania, US Energy Information Administration

3. Assumes the cost for steam is 130% of the fuel price for natural gas. Hourly emissions based on a PTE of 20 tpy.

3. Assumes a cost of \$8.25/thousand gallons for colling water.

4. Natural gas cost for industrial consumers in August 2022, US Energy Information Administration

5. US Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, May 2016 PA Occupational Employment and Wage Estimate for Plant and System Operators, All Other (occupation code 51-8099). Adjusted to October 2022 dollars using CPI data.

#### Indirect Annual Cost (IDAC)

IDAC = Overhead + Administrative Charges + Property Taxes + Insurance + Capital Recovery Costs

Overhead =	60% of total labor and maint. (Table 2.10)	\$36,558 in 2022 dollars
Administrative Charges, Property Taxes and 0.04 * TCI (Section 1.2)		\$60,663 in 2022 dollars
Insurance =		
Capital Recovery <sup>1</sup> =	EPA Cost Manual, Section 3.1, Chapter 1, Equation 1.39	\$143,120 in 2022 dollars
Indirect Annual Cost (IDAC) =		\$240,342 in 2022 dollars

1. Based on equipment life of 20 years and 7% interest rate.

TAC = Direct Annual Costs + Indirect Annual Costs			
Direct Annual Costs (DAC) =			\$333,830 in 2022 dollars
Indirect Annual Costs (IDAC) =			\$240,342 in 2022 dollars
Total Annual Costs (TAC) =	DAC + IDAC =		\$574,172 in 2022 dollars

**Total Annual Cost (TAC)** 

#### Cost Effectiveness

#### Cost Effectiveness = Total Annual Cost/ VOC Removed/year

Cost Effectiveness =	\$31,898.46 per ton of VOC removed in 2022 dollars
VOC Removed =	18.0 tons/year <sup>1</sup>
Total Annual Cost (TAC) =	\$574,172 per year in 2022 dollars

1. VOC removed estimated based on the PTE of the polyurethane foam line (Unit ID 102) of 20 tons per year. This conservatively assumes all emissions from the polyurethane process, including fugitive emissions from the slab room, are routed to an adsorber.

### Ductwork Cost Calculation for Polyurethane Slab Room

Input		Individual Ducts from Exhaust Fans	Combined Duct from All Fans to Control Device	Units / Equation	Reference
Inputs					
Number of exhaust fa	ans		8		There are eight exhaust fans located in the polyurethane slab room. It is assumed that all eight fans will be ducted.
CPL 1993		14	4.5		Bureau of Labor Statistics
CPI, October 2022		298	298.012		Bureau of Labor Statistics
Equipment Costs (EC)					
Duct diameter, D	u <sub>t</sub>	2000	2000	ft/min	Section 2, Chapter 1, Table 1.4, minimum transport velocities range from 2,000 = 4,000 ft/min
	Q	30,000	240,000	scfm	<u>Individual ducts</u> - Volumetric flow rate per exhaust fan, Title V renewal application <u>Combined duct</u> - Sum of the individual flow rates for the eight fans
	D <sub>calculated</sub>	4.37	12.36	$ft = D = 1.128(Q/u_t)^{1/2}$	Section 2, Chapter 1, Eqn 1.27
	$\mathrm{D}_{\mathrm{adjusted}}$	52.42	82.00	inches	If $D_{calculated}$ exceeds the maximum diameter for which the Cost Manual ductwork cost equation applies, diameter is adjusted down accordingly. Conversion from feet to inches

### Ductwork Cost Calculation for Polyurethane Slab Room

Input		Individual Ducts from Exhaust Fans	Combined Duct from All Fans to Control Device	Units / Equation	Reference
Straight Ductwork	Function Type	Power	Power		Section 2, Chapter 1, Table 1.9, circular spiral sheet- galvanized CS, 1-inch insulation (conservatively selected the lowest parameters), range for D is 3-82 inches
	a	1.55	1.55		Section 2, Chapter 1, Table 1.9, circular spiral sheet- galvanized CS, 1-inch insulation (conservatively selected the lowest parameters)
	b	0.936	0.936		Section 2, Chapter 1, Table 1.9, circular spiral sheet- galvanized CS, 1-inch insulation (conservatively selected the lowest parameters)
	C <sub>duct, per foot</sub>	\$61	\$93	$ft = C_{duct} = aD^{b}$	Section 2, Chapter 1, Eqn 1.40
	length of ductwork	1200	100	ft	<u>Individual ducts</u> - The slab room is approximately 600 ft in length. It is assumed that, on average, each exhaust fan will require 150 feet of ductwork to reach a common collection point. <u>Combined duct</u> - assumes duct to control device will be 100 feet long
	C <sub>duct, total</sub>	\$73,589.76	\$9,321.38		Total cost of ductwork

### Ductwork Cost Calculation for Polyurethane Slab Room

Input		Individual Ducts from Exhaust Fans	Combined Duct from All Fans to Control Device	Units / Equation	Reference
Elbow	Function Type	Exponential	Exponential		Section 2, Chapter 1, Table 1.10, galvanized CS elbows, option which allows for largest diameter, range for D is 6-84 inches
	а	30.4	30.4		Section 2, Chapter 1, Table 1.10, galvanized CS elbows, option which allows for largest diameter
	b	0.0594	0.0594		Section 2, Chapter 1, Table 1.10, galvanized CS elbows, option which allows for largest diameter
	$C_{elbow, per unit}$	\$684	\$3,965	$elbow = C_{elbow} =$ $ae^{bD}$	Section 2, Chapter 1, Eqn 1.41
	Total elbows	24	2	elbows	<u>Individual ducts</u> - Assumes 3 elbows are needed per exhaust fan. <u>Combined duct</u> - Assumes 2 elbows are needed for combined duct
	$\mathrm{C}_{\mathrm{elbow, total}}$	\$16,424.41	\$7,929.85	total cost	

### Ductwork Cost Calculation for Polyurethane Slab Room

Input		Individual Ducts from Exhaust Fans	Combined Duct from All Fans to Control Device	Units / Equation	Reference
Dampers	Function Type	Power	Power		Section 2, Chapter 1, Table 1.10, dampers, louvered option which allows for largest diameter, range for D is 18-48 inches. Note that D for the combined duct (82 inches) and D for the individual ducts (52 inches) is outside of the range for dampers.
	a	78.4	78.4		Section 2, Chapter 1, Table 1.10, dampers, louvered option which allows for largest diameter
	b	0.86	0.86		Section 2, Chapter 1, Table 1.10, dampers, louvered option which allows for largest diameter
	$\mathbf{C}_{\mathrm{damper,  per  unit}}$	\$1,282	\$1,884	$ft = C_{damper} = aD^{b}$	Section 2, Chapter 1, Eqn 1.40
	Total dampers	8	2	dampers	<u>Individual ducts</u> - Assumes 1 damper is needed per exhaust fan. <u>Combined duct</u> - Assumes 2 dampers are needed for combined duct
	C <sub>damper, total</sub>	\$10,256.58	\$3,767.23		
EC (1993 dollars)		\$100,270.75	\$21,018.46	$\begin{split} \mathbf{C}_{\text{total}} &= \mathbf{C}_{\text{duct,total}} + \\ \mathbf{C}_{\text{elbow,total}} + \mathbf{C}_{\text{damper,total}} \end{split}$	Per Section 2, Chapter 1, Section 1.4, all costs are presented in second quarter 1993 dollars
EC (2022 dollars)		\$206,795.07	\$43,347.77		Scaled to October 2022 using consumer price indices
Purchased Equipm	ient Cost (PEC)				
	Taxes Freight PEC	\$0.00 \$10,339.75 \$217,134.82	\$0.00 \$2,167.39 \$45,515.16	0.05EC	No sales tax on control equipment in PA Section 2, Chapter 1, Section 1.4.2

### Ductwork Cost Calculation for Polyurethane Slab Room

Input		Individual Ducts from Exhaust Fans	Combined Duct from All Fans to Control Device	Units / Equation	Reference
<b>Total Capital Invest</b>	tment (TCI)				
	IF <sub>d</sub>	0.25	0.25		Section 1.4.4, installation factors range from 25-50% for ductwork. Conservatively selected the lower end of the range
	TCI	\$271,418.53	\$56,893.95	(1+IF <sub>d</sub> ) X PEC	
Direct Annual Costs	s (DAC)	•			
	рс	\$0.093	\$0.093	\$/kwh	Average electricity cost for industrial consumers in August 2022 in Pennsylvania, US Energy Information Administration
	F <sub>d</sub>	0.998	0.457	$F_d / 100 \text{ ft} = 0.136$ $(1/D_d)^{1.18} (u_t / 1,000)$ $^{1.8}; \text{ Fd} = \text{in. w.c.}$	Section 2, Chapter 1, Eqn 1.29, Static pressure drop through ventilation system, range for D is 0.25-5 ft. Note that D for the combined duct (6.8 ft) is outside of the range for dampers.
	Θ	8760	8760	hr/yr	
	з	0.6	0.6	fan/motor efficiency	
	C <sub>c</sub> (1993 dollars)	\$4,764.48	\$17,479.74	$Cc = (1.175 \text{ x}10^{-4})$ [(p <sub>c</sub> QF <sub>d</sub> $\Theta$ )/ $\varepsilon$ ]	Section 2, Chapter 1, Eqn 1.46, Incremental Electricity Cost Per Section 2, Chapter 1, Section 1.4, all costs are presented in second quarter 1993 dollars
	C <sub>c</sub> (2022 dollars)	\$9,826.11	\$36,049.64		Scaled to October 2022 using consumer price indices
Indirect Annual Co	sts (IDAC)	•			
	n i CRF	20 7% 0.0944	20 7% 0.0944	equipment life interest rate	Section 1, Chapter 2, Equation 2.8a
	Capital Recovery	\$25,619.99	\$5,370.39	TCI x CRF	

**APPENDIX C. TITLE V MAJOR MODIFICATION APPLICATION FORMS** 

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION **BUREAU OF AIR QUALITY** 

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Date:

# **OPERATING PERMIT MODIFICATION APPLICATION**

Section 1 – General Information					
1.1 Application Type					
Type of permit for which application is made:					
Minor Modification State-On	ly Operating Permit				
Significant Modification	perating Permit				
Existing Operating Permit No: <u>39-00040</u>					
1.2 Facility Information					
Firm Name: <u>Carpenter Co</u>	Federal Tax ID: <u>54-0499731</u>				
Facility Name: <u>Carpenter Co / Upper Macungie</u>	Plant Code: <u>54-0499731</u>				
NAICS Code: <u>326140, 326150</u>	SIC Code: <u>3086</u>				
Description of NAICS Code: Polystyrene Foam Proc	duct Manufacturing, Urethane and Other Foam Product				
(except Polystyrene) M	anufacturing				
Description of SIC Code: Plastics Foam Products	Description of SIC Code: Plastics Foam Products				
County: <u>Lehigh</u>	Municipality: <u>Upper Macungie</u>				
Latitude: <u>40° 34.912'N</u>	Longitude: <u>75° 36.364'W</u>				
Horizontal Horizontal Collection Meth	od: Reference Point:				
1.3 Permit Contact Information					
Name: <u>Brian Geren</u>	Title: <u>Technical Director</u>				
Address: <u>57A Olin Way</u>					
City: <u>Fogelsville</u>	State: <u>PA</u> ZIP: <u>18051</u>				
Telephone: <u>610-366-8349</u>					
Email: <u>brian.geren@carpenter.com</u>					

1.4 Small Business Question				
Are you a small business as defined by the Pennsylvania Air Pollution Control Act?				
Are you a small business as defined by the U.S. Small Business Administration?				
1.5 Request for Confidentiality				
Do you request any information on this application to be treated as "Confidential"?				
Place confidential information on separate page(s) marked "Confidential".				
In order to request confidential treatment for information in any document, you must submit a redacted version of the relevant document with the confidential information blacked out (and thus suitable for public disclosure), along with a letter of request containing a table identifying the page and line number of each redaction, along with a justification for each redacted item as to why it should be deemed confidential under the specific criteria allowed under 25 Pa. Code §127.12(d) and Section 13.2 of the APCA.				
1.6 Certification of Truth, Accuracy and Completeness by a Responsible Official				
I certify that, subject to the penalties of Title 18 Pa. C.S.A. Section 4904 and 35 P.S. Section 4009(b)(2), I am the responsible official having primary responsibility for the design and operation of the facilities to which this application applies and that the information provided in this application is true, accurate, and complete to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief formed after reasonable inquiry.				
(Signed) Date: [2/19/22				
Name (Typed): <u>Cliff Wilson</u> Title: <u>Vice President</u>				
Telephone: <u>804-551-08</u>				
Email: <u>Cliff: W. Isone Carpenter.com</u>				

Section 2 – Inventory of Units Being Modified				
Unit ID No.	Unit Name	Unit Type		
101	EPS manufacturing process	Process		
102	Polyurethane foam manufacturing process	Process		

### Section 3 – Facility Changes

Complete this section ONLY if the changes are for the entire facility. If changes are for a source or sources, skip this Section and complete Section 4 for each Source in which a change is proposed.

3.1 Describe all proposed changes to this facility: N/A

3.2 If the proposed facility changes involve any changes in actual emissions, please complete the following table. Attach another table if needed.

Pollutant Name	CAS Number	Change in Actual Emissions (+ or -)

3.3 Anticipated date on which proposed change is scheduled to occur:

3.4 List the proposed revision language for the operating permit conditions. This includes all changes to the emissions, monitoring, testing, record-keeping, reporting requirements and work practice standard requirements. Write in the type of applicable requirements in the column provided. Attach another table if needed.

Citation Number	Type of Applicable Requirement	Existing Operating Permit Condition or Condition Number	Proposed Language for Permit Condition

3.5 Provide a listing of all changes in chronological order (additions and subtractions) made at a facility since the last submittal and attach it to this application.

3.6 For renewals, please review the current operating permit. If you are proposing any changes to the conditions of the permit, please provide the condition number, the requested change, and justification for the requested change.

Section 4 – Unit Information (duplicate this section for each unit as needed)					
4.1 Un	nit Type: Combustion Incinerator	Process Control Device			
4.2 Ge	eneral Source Information (Combustion/Incinera	ator/Process)			
a.	Source ID: <u>101</u>	b. Source Name: <u>EPS MANUFACTURING</u>			
c.	Manufacturer:	d. Model No.:			
e.	Source Description: <u>Process</u>				
f.	Rated Capacity (for engines use BHP):	g. Installation Date: <u>05/25/2004</u>			
h.	Rated Power/Electric Output:				
i.	Exhaust j. I Temperature: <u>90</u> Units: <u>Deg F</u>	k. Exhaust Exhaust Flow % Moisture: <u>50</u> Volume: <u>2,650</u> SCFM			
4.3 Ge	eneral Control Device Information				
a.	Unit ID: <u>No changes</u>	b. Unit Name:			
с	Used by Sources:				
d.	Туре:				
e.	Pressure Drop (in. H <sub>2</sub> O):	f. Capture Efficiency:			
g.	Flow Rate (specify unit):				
h.	Manufacturer:	i. Model No.:			
j.	Installation Date:				

### 4.4 Proposed Changes to Unit

a. Describe all proposed changes to this unit: Implementation of Case by Case NO <sub>x</sub> RACT III requirements under 25 Pa. Code 129.111-115. Please see the attached Case by Case RACT proposal and initial notification for details.					
b. If the proposed un Attach another tak	nit chang ble if need	es involve any changes i led.	n actual er	missions, please c	complete the following table.
Pollutant Name		CAS Number		Change in Actual Emissions (+ or -)	
c. Anticipated date o	n which p	proposed change is sched	uled to occ	ur:	
d. List the proposed i monitoring, testing the type of applica	revision la g, record- ible requii	anguage for the operating   keeping, reporting require rements in the column pro	permit cond ements and ovided. Atta	lition. This includes I work practice sta ch another table if	all changes to the emission, indard requirement. Write in needed.
Citation Number	r	Type of Applicable Requirement	Existi Permit Cond	ng Operating t Condition or ition Number	Proposed Language for Permit Condition
Section D, Source 101 Condition #004	Ι,		39-00040		Please update the regulatory citation for this RACT requirement to: [25 Pa. Code 129.511 and §129.114]
Section D, Source 101 Condition #005	I,		39-00040		Please update the regulatory citation for this RACT requirement to: [25 Pa. Code 129.511 and §129.114]
Section D, Source 101 Condition #006	Ι,		39-00040		Please update the regulatory citation for this RACT requirement to: [25

	Pa. Code 129.511 and §129.114]

Section 4 – Unit Information (duplicate this section for each unit as needed)				
4.1 Un	nit Type: Combustion Incinerator	Process Control Device		
4.2 Ge	eneral Source Information (Combustion/Incinerat	tor/Process)		
a.	Source ID: <u>102</u>	b. Source Name: <u>POLYURETHANE FOAM MFG</u>		
C.	Manufacturer:	d. Model No.:		
e.	Source Description: <u>Process</u>			
f.	Rated Capacity (for engines use BHP):	g. Installation Date: <u>07/19/2004</u>		
h.	Rated Power/Electric Output:			
i.	Exhaust j. E Temperature: Units: %	k. Exhaust Exhaust Flow 6 Moisture: Volume: SCFM		
4.3 Ge	eneral Control Device Information			
a.	Unit ID:	b. Unit Name:		
с	Used by Sources:			
d.	Туре:			
e.	Pressure Drop (in. H <sub>2</sub> O): f	f. Capture Efficiency:		
g.	Flow Rate (specify unit):			
h.	Manufacturer:	i. Model No.:		
j.	Installation Date:			

### 4.4 Proposed Changes to Unit

a. Desci 25 Pa detail	ribe all propo a. Code 129. s.	sed ch 111-11	anges to this unit: Implem 5. Please see the attach	nentation of C ned Case by t	ase by Case NOx Case RACT propo	RACT III requirements under osal and initial notification for	
b. If the Attacl	proposed un n another tab	nit cha le if ne	nges involve any change eeded.	s in actual e	missions, please o	complete the following table.	
Polluta	nt Name		CAS Number		Change in Actual Emissions (+ or -)		
c. Antici	pated date o	n whicl	h proposed change is sch	eduled to occ	ur:		
d. List th monit the ty	e proposed r oring, testing pe of applica	evisior , recoi ble req	n language for the operatir rd-keeping, reporting requ quirements in the column p	ng permit conc uirements and provided. Atta	dition. This includes d work practice sta ich another table if	s all changes to the emission, andard requirement. Write in f needed.	
Cita	tion Number	•	Type of Applicable Requirement	Existi Permi Cond	ng Operating t Condition or ition Number	Proposed Language for Permit Condition	
Section D, Source 102, Condition #004			39-00040	)	Please update the regulatory citation for this RACT requirement to: [25 Pa. Code 129.511 and §129.114]		

Section 5 – Compliance Plan for the Facility						
		Yes	No			
5.1	Will your facility be in compliance with all applicable requirements at the time of permit issuance and continue to comply with these requirements during the permit duration?	$\boxtimes$				
5.2	Will your facility be in compliance with all applicable requirements presently scheduled to take effect during the term of the permit?	$\boxtimes$				





#### COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION BUREAU OF AIR QUALITY

# AIR POLLUTION CONTROL ACT COMPLIANCE REVIEW FORM

Fully and accurately provide the following information, as specified. Attach additional sheets as necessary.						
Type of Com	pliance Review Form Submittal (check all that apply)					
🔲 Original F	Original Filing Date of Last Compliance Review Form Filing:					
Amendeo	d Filing <u>10/2017</u>					
Type of Subm	nittal					
🔲 New Plar	n Approval 🛛 New Operating Permit 🗌 Renewal of Operating Permit					
Extension	n of Plan Approval 🛛 Change of Ownership 🔲 Periodic Submission (@ 6 mos)					
Other:	Significant modification to Title V					
	SECTION A. GENERAL APPLICATION INFORMATION					
Name of App	licant/Permittee/("applicant")					
(non-corpora	tions-attach documentation of legal name)					
Carpenter Co.						
Address	57 Olin Way					
	Fogelsville, PA 18051					
Telephone	610-366-8349         Taxpayer ID#         54-0499731					
Permit, Plan	Approval or Application ID# 39-00040					
Identify the fo	orm of management under which the applicant conducts its business (check appropriate					
box)						
Individua	I Syndicate Government Agency					
Municipa	Ity L Municipal Authority L Joint Venture					
	rsnip					
	Superation Partnership Other Type of Business, specify below:					
	w the type(s) of business activities performed					
The main build	ding (57A Olin Way) contains the prime foam line, the bonded foam line and the polyester fiber line.					
The prime foal	m line converts raw materials into polyurethane foam, primarily used in bedding and furniture					
applications. S	Slabs of foam are glued into a continuous loop and then are slit into rolls. Foam that does not get					
slit into rolls is	cut into blocks, which are approximately 8 feet in length. Blocks are either shipped to the customer					
or cut to customer specifications on various table saws. The bonded foam line primarily makes carpet cushion.						
Bonded foam is made from recycled foam. The recycled foam is ground up and glued back together with a						
binder. The for	am/binder mixture is molded into slabs. Slabs of bonded foam are glued into a continuous loop					
and then they	are slit into carpet cushion rolls. The fiber line produces sheets of unwoven polyester fiber primarily					
used in the fur	niture market.					
The second bu	uilding (57B Olin Way) manufactures expanded polystyrene (EPS). Carpenter sells polystyrene for					
many different	many different applications but it is primarily used for insulation.					

### SECTION B. GENERAL INFORMATION REGARDING "APPLICANT"

If applicant is a corporation or a division or other unit of a corporation, provide the names, principal places of business, state of incorporation, and taxpayer ID numbers of all domestic and foreign parent corporations (including the ultimate parent corporation), and all domestic and foreign subsidiary corporations of the ultimate parent corporated or unincorporated) and privately held corporations. (A diagram of corporate relationships may be provided to illustrate corporate relationships.) Attach additional sheets as necessary.

Unit Name	Principal Places of Business	State of Incorporation	Taxpayer ID	Relationship to Applicant
Carpenter Co.	5016 Monument Ave, Richmond, VA 23230	VA	54-0499731	Parent Corporation

### SECTION C. SPECIFIC INFORMATION REGARDING APPLICANT AND ITS "RELATED PARTIES"

Pennsylvania Facilities. List the name and location (mailing address, municipality, county), telephone number, and relationship to applicant (parent, subsidiary or general partner) of applicant and all Related Parties' places of business, and facilities in Pennsylvania. Attach additional sheets as necessary.

Unit Name	Street Address	County and Municipality	Telephone No.	Relationship to Applicant
Carpenter Co.	2337 E. Pleasant Valley Blvd., Altoona, PA 16601	Blair County, Antis Township	814.944.8612	Subsidiary
Carpenter Co.	400 Arrowhead Dr, Lititz, PA 17543	Lancaster County, Lititz Borough	717.627.1878	Subsidiary

Provide the names and business addresses of all general partners of the applicant and parent and subsidiary corporations, if any.

Name	Business Address	

List the names and business address	of persons with overall management responsibility for the process
Name	Business Address
Cliff Wilson, Vice President, Foam	5016 Monument Avenue, Richmond, VA 23230
Pat Naidu, Division Manager, Foam	Carpenter Co., 57A Olin Way, Fogelsville, PA 18051
Mark Powers, Vice President, EPS	Carpenter Co., 5016 Monument Avenue, Richmond, VA 23230
Blair Weller, General Manager, EPS	Carpenter Co., 57B Olin Way, Fogelsville, PA 18051

Plan Approvals or Operating Permits. List all plan approvals or operating permits issued by the Department or an approved local air pollution control agency under the APCA to the applicant or related parties that are currently in effect or have been in effect at any time 5 years prior to the date on which this form is notarized. This list shall include the plan approval and operating permit numbers, locations, issuance and expiration dates. Attach additional sheets as necessary.

Air Contamination Source	Plan Approval/ Operating Permit#	Location	Issuance Date	Expiration Date
Carpenter Co.	TV 39-00040	57 Olin Way, Fogelsville, PA 18051	9/5/2018	9/4/2023

Compliance Background. (Note: Copies of specific documents, if applicable, must be made available to the Department upon its request.) List all documented conduct of violations or enforcement actions identified by the Department pursuant to the APCA, regulations, terms and conditions of an operating permit or plan approval or order by applicant or any related party, using the following format grouped by source and location in reverse chronological order. Attach additional sheets as necessary. See the definition of "documented conduct" for further clarification. Unless specifically directed by the Department, deviations which have been previously reported to the Department in writing, relating to monitoring and reporting, need not be reported.

Date	Location	Plan Approval/ Operating Permit#	Nature of Documented Conduct	Type of Department Action	Status: Litigation Existing/Continuing or Corrected/Date	Dollar Amount Penalty
None						\$
						\$
						\$
						\$
						\$
						\$
						\$
						\$
						\$
						\$

List all incidents of deviations of the APCA, regulations, terms and conditions of an operating permit or plan approval or order by applicant or any related party, using the following format grouped by source and location in reverse chronological order. This list must include items both currently known and unknown to the Department. Attach additional sheets as necessary. See the definition of "deviations" for further clarification.

				Incident Status: Litigation		
				Existing/Continuing		
		Plan Approval/	Nature of	Or		
Date	Location	Operating Permit#	Deviation	Corrected/Date		
6/21/2021	Carpenter Co. – Fogelsville	TV 39-00040	Device failure	Corrected. (1) Vent Repaired. (2) Add redundant sensor. Sensor on order. (3) Add alarm to show if vent is not closed all the way.		
CONTINUING (	CONTINUING OBLIGATION. Applicant is under a continuing obligation to update this form using the					
Compliance Review Supplemental Form if any additional deviations occur between the date of submission and Department action on the application.						

VERIFICATION STATEMENT					
Subject to the penalties of Title 18 Pa.C.S. Section 4904 and 35 P.S. Section 4009(b)(2), I verify under penalty of law that I am authorized to make this verification on behalf of the Applicant/Permittee. I further verify that the information contained in this Compliance Review Form is true and complete to the best of my belief formed after reasonable inquiry. I further verify that reasonable procedures are in place to ensure that "documented conduct" and "deviations" as defined in 25 Pa Code Section 121.1 are identified and included in the information set forth in this Compliance Review Form.					
Catal	12/19/2022				
Signature	Date				
Cliff Wilson					
Name (Print or Type)					
Vice President					
Title					

December 15, 2022

Robert Ibach, Jr. Township Manager Upper Macungie Township 8330 Schantz Road Breinigsville, PA 18031

### Certified Mail No. 7022 2410 0003 1744 0184

### RE: Major Operating Permit Modification Application Carpenter Co. Fogelsville Facility Operating Permit No.: 39-00040

Dear Mr. Ibach:

Pursuant to 25 Pa. Code § 127.413, Carpenter Co. (Carpenter) hereby notifies the township of Upper Macungie of its submittal of a Major Operating Permit Modification Application to the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection (PADEP) concerning its foam manufacturing plant located at 57A Olin Way, Fogelsville, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania. Carpenter is specifically requesting that PADEP modify its existing Title V Operating Permit No. 39-00040 to incorporate the conditions of an alternative RACT proposal. The application does not request any physical modification to the sources at the facility or any control devices.

Copies of the application are available for public review at DEP's Northeast Regional Office, 2 Public Square, Wilkes-Barre, PA, 18701. An appointment to review the documents may be scheduled by contacting the File Review Section of the DEP at 570 826-5472 between 8:00 A.M. and 4:00 P.M., Monday through Friday, except holidays.

Pennsylvania Code Title 25 (Environmental Protection – Air Resources) Section 127.413 requires notification of this application since this is a Title V facility. The 30-day comment period begins upon receipt of this formal notification. During this comment period, PADEP will accept such comments. Comments are to be sent to:

Air Quality – Environmental Program Manager Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection Northeast Regional Office 2 Public Square Wilkes-Barre, PA, 18701 Phone: (570) 826-2511

Written comments should include the name, address and telephone number of the person(s) submitting the comments along with the reference number of the proposed permit.

If you have any questions regarding this application or require any additional information, please feel free to contact me at 610-366-8349 or via e-mail at <u>brian.geren@carpenter.com</u>.

Sincerely,

Brian Geren Technical Director

December 15, 2022

Lehigh County Commissioners 17 South Seventh Street Allentown, PA. 18101-2400

Certified Mail No. 7022 2410 0003 1744 0191

### RE: Major Operating Permit Modification Application Carpenter Co. Fogelsville Facility Operating Permit No.: 39-00040

Dear Sir or Madam:

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