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December 1, 2016

Mr. Greg Stonick, General Manager  
Aerocraft Heat Treating Company, Inc.  
15701 Minnesota Avenue  
Paramount, California 90723

Dear Mr. Stonick:

**RE: RELEASES OF HEXAVALENT CHROMIUM FROM AEROCRAFT HEAT TREATING COMPANY, INC., CITY OF PARAMOUNT**

The Los Angeles County Department of Public Health is issuing the following Public Health Directive to Aerocraft Heat Treating Company, Inc. ("Aerocraft").

On November 29, 2016, the South Coast Air Quality Management District (SCAQMD) filed a petition for an order of abatement, which is attached hereto, with the District Hearing Board. Monitoring and testing conducted by the SCAQMD indicated that Chromium 6 emissions near Aerocraft registered at hundreds of times greater than typical background levels. Hexavalent chromium has been identified as a known human carcinogen. SCAQMD has confirmed that Aerocraft is a source of elevated hexavalent chromium emissions, and these emissions endanger the health of the public.

As such, Aerocraft is operating in violation of the California Health and Safety Code, and causing a public nuisance that endangers the health of the surrounding community.

Pursuant to section 11.02.190 of the Los Angeles County Code, Aerocraft is hereby directed to:

1. Immediately take all necessary actions to eliminate the current nuisance endangering the health of the public, which may include full or partial suspension of operations.
2. Notify the Department of Public Health within 24 hours of your intent to comply with this Directive, and submit a list of actions taken, and proposed actions.

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The Department is working closely with SCAQMD to ensure the elimination of this endangerment without delay. Please copy SCAQMD on your submittals to the Department. If you should have any questions, please let me know.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Cyrus Rangan MD FAAP ACHESD". The signature is written in a cursive style.

Cyrus Rangan, M.D., M.P.H.  
Deputy Health Officer  
Los Angeles County Department of Public Health