



UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
REGION 5
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CHICAGO, ILLINOIS 60604

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DATE:

SUBJECT: CLEAN AIR ACT INSPECTION REPORT
Diesel Pro's & Performance, LLC, Swartz Creek, Michigan

FROM: Cody Yarbrough, Environmental Engineer
AECAB (MN/OH)

THRU: Brian Dickens, Section Chief
AECAB (MN/OH)

TO: File

BASIC INFORMATION

Facility Name: Diesel Pro's & Performance, LLC

Facility Location: 5200 Morrish Rd. Swartz Creek, Michigan, 48473

Date of Inspection: October 28, 2019

EPA Inspector(s):

1. Cody Yarbrough, Environmental Engineer

Other Attendees

1. Matthew Randall, President, Diesel Pro's & Performance

Contact Email Address: info@dieselproshop.com

Purpose of Inspection: Emission control device tampering on vehicles and engines.

Facility Type: Vehicle repair and performance shop.

Regulations Central to Inspection: Emission control device tampering prohibitions. CAA Section 203(a)(3)(a)-(b).

Arrival Time: 9:20am, CDT

Departure Time: 1:50pm, CDT

Inspection Type:

- ☒ Unannounced Inspection
☐ Announced Inspection

OPENING CONFERENCE

- ☒ Credentials Presented
☒ CBI warning to facility provided

The following information was obtained verbally from Mr. Randall unless otherwise noted.

Process Description:

Diesel Pro's & Performance (DPP) conducts general diesel repair and maintenance on diesel trucks, approximately 6 per week. Up until about 2 months prior to the inspection date, the company also conducted performance work on diesel vehicles including engine tuning and removal of aftertreatment emission control devices. However, DPP no longer conducts this type of work.

TOUR INFORMATION

EPA toured the facility: Yes

Data Collected and Observations:

During the inspection, there were a few boxes of aftermarket parts from brands including JAMO, MBRP, and Sinister, some of which contained aftertreatment delete hardware. Mr. Randall stated that these parts had been purchased prior to halting emission control device delete work and the business did not intend to use them.

Six diesel pickups with deleted exhaust aftertreatment and/or EGR systems were in the Diesel Pro's & Performance parking lot or maintenance shop during the inspection. Mr. Randall stated that, apart from his personal vehicle, the deletes were not conducted by DPP.

Photos and/or Videos: were taken during the inspection.

Field Measurements: were not taken during this inspection.

RECORDS REVIEW

1. One invoice for a pickup in the shop during the time of inspection. The invoice lists "Cam Sensor," "Crank Sensor," and "Pigtails". This vehicle appeared to have a straight pipe in place of an aftertreatment catalyst, though Mr. Randall stated the pickup entered his shop in this state.

CLOSING CONFERENCE

Compliance Assistance: General compliance assistance regarding emission control device tampering.

Concerns: Mr. Yarbrough expressed concern regarding the sale and installation of aftermarket defeat devices such as the JAMO and MBRP exhaust systems located in the shop. Mr. Randall stated that DDP no longer conducts this type of work.

SIGNATURES

Report Author: *Corey Yarbrough* Date: 12-2-19

Section Chief: *Brian Dittman* Date: 12/4/19

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APPENDICES AND ATTACHMENTS

1. Appendix A: Digital Image Log

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APPENDIX A: DIGITAL IMAGE LOG

1. Inspector Name: Cody Yarbrough	2. Archival Record Location: <i>CD-R labeled as "Diesel Pros & Performance Inspection Photos 10-28-2019"</i>
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Image Number	File Name	Date and Time (CDT)	Description of Image
1	PA280001.JPG	2019:10:28 09:52:40	Entryway JAMO box
2	PA280002.JPG	2019:10:28 09:52:48	Entryway stickers/banners
3	PA280003.JPG	2019:10:28 10:00:12	Shop floor parts (1)
4	PA280004.JPG	2019:10:28 10:00:32	Truck 1
5	PA280005.JPG	2019:10:28 10:00:40	Engine
6	PA280006.JPG	2019:10:28 10:00:58	Truck 1 Rear
7	PA280007.JPG	2019:10:28 10:05:35	Truck 2
8	PA280008.JPG	2019:10:28 10:05:45	Truck 2 Rear
9	PA280009.JPG	2019:10:28 10:05:55	Truck 2 Exhaust
10	PA280010.JPG	2019:10:28 10:10:06	Tool Chest
11	PA280011.JPG	2019:10:28 10:10:30	Intake manifold with EGR block plate
12	PA280012.JPG	2019:10:28 10:13:17	Aftermarket exhaust parts 1
13	PA280013.JPG	2019:10:28 10:13:24	Aftermarket exhaust parts 2
14	PA280014.JPG	2019:10:28 10:13:54	Aftermarket exhaust parts 3
15	PA280015.JPG	2019:10:28 10:15:05	Aftermarket exhaust parts 4
16	PA280016.JPG	2019:10:28 10:15:18	Aftermarket exhaust parts 5
17	PA280017.JPG	2019:10:28 10:17:22	Aftermarket exhaust parts 6
18	PA280018.JPG	2019:10:28 10:17:32	Aftermarket exhaust parts 7
19	PA280019.JPG	2019:10:28 10:21:23	Shop floor parts (2)