

Bureau of Air Quality Synthetic Minor Construction Permit Department Decision

Diatom US Inc US 521 Andrews, South Carolina 29510

In accordance with the 1976 Code of Laws of South Carolina, as amended, including SC Code Section 44-1-60(D), a Department Decision has been made to issue Permit No. CP-50000109 v1.0 to the above-named permittee. This permit was previously placed on public notice and open for public comment from September 1, 2023, through September 30, 2023. A public comment was received by SC DHEC during the comment period. The comment received during the formal comment period regarding air quality issues has been addressed in SC DHEC's *Responses to Comments on Air Quality* document attached to this Department Decision. SC DHEC's decision to issue this permit has been made after consideration and a complete review of the following: the air permit application, applicable state and federal air quality regulations, comments received within the required time frame, and all other pertinent information.

This Department Decision includes the following: a) the issued permit which meets the requirements of all applicable air quality regulations; b) a summary of the project, permit, and applicable regulations as outlined in the Statement of Basis; and c) a summary of the comments made by concerned citizens regarding air quality issues and responses by the Bureau of Air Quality, as outlined in the *Responses to Comments on Air Quality*. This Department Decision will be included in SC DHEC's administrative record for this permit decision.

Permit Number: CP-50000109 v1.0

Agency Air Number: 1140-0099

Issue Date: October 12, 2023

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