



We grant the Variance. Petitioner's problem in obtaining exempt solvents is prevalent in the industry. The hardship is not self-imposed. The Federal Energy office has established mandatory allocation of petrochemical feedstocks to petrochemical producers--including solvent manufacturers--in a quantity equal to 100 percent of the producer's current requirements (Fed. Reg. Vol. 39, No. 10, Part III, Subpart 211J, January 15, 1974). Petitioner should utilize such exempt solvents as they become available.

ORDER

Petitioner is hereby granted a Variance from Rule 205(f) for its dry paint booth and two curing ovens until April 1, 1975, subject to the following conditions:

1. Petitioner shall utilize as much exempt solvent formulations as can be furnished by its suppliers.
2. Beginning 30 days after the date of this Order, Petitioner shall submit monthly reports to:

Environmental Protection Agency  
Division of Air Pollution Control  
Control Program Coordinator  
2200 Churchill Road  
Springfield, Illinois 62706

The monthly reports shall include information on:

Total amount of solvents used,  
Nature and amount of non-exempt solvents used,  
Nature and amount of exempt solvents used,  
Amount and nature of non-exempt solvents purchased  
(list supplier),  
Amount and nature of exempt solvents purchased  
(list supplier), and  
Amount and nature of non-exempt and exempt solvents  
inventory at the beginning of each month.

3. Within six (6) months of the date of this Order, Petitioner shall submit to the Environmental Protection Agency a modified compliance plan to replace that which has been

nullified by shortages. This plan shall achieve compliance under one of the following methods:

- a. Achieve compliance at the expiration of the Variance by replacement of photochemically reactive solvents with non-reactive solvents demonstrated to be readily available; or
- b. Achieve compliance at the expiration of the Variance by qualification under the Alternative Standard of Rule 205(f)(1); or
- c. Achieve compliance by May 30, 1975, under the provisions of Rule 205(f)(2)(D).

IT IS SO ORDERED.

I, Christan L. Moffett, Clerk of the Illinois Pollution Control Board, hereby certify that the above Order was adopted on the 13<sup>th</sup> day of June, 1974, by a vote of 4 to 0.

  
Christan L. Moffett Clerk