

Charles L. Fryxell, Air Pollution Control Officer

In reply, please refer to AV0902/060

September 11, 2002

ITW Automotive Refinishing 1724 Indian Wood Circle Maumee, OH 43537-4048 Mark Charpie – Manager Research and Engineering

Subject: Rule 1151 Transfer Efficiency Approval for the ITW DeVilbiss GFG-670 (Plus) Spray Gun.

Dear Mr. Charpie:

The Antelope Valley Air Quality Management District has completed our review of your report requesting written approval to sell and operate the DeVilbiss GFG-670 (Plus) spray gun in the Antelope Valley under Rule 1151, Section C (3)(a)(iii). The test results of the transfer efficiency testing performed indicate that the ITW DeVilbiss GFG-670 (Plus) spray gun is capable of achieving equivalent or better transfer efficiency to a high-volume, low-pressure spray gun. Therefore, the DeVilbiss GFG-670 spray gun is approved for Motor Vehicle and Mobile Equipment Non-assembly Line Coating Operations, under Rule 1151 C(3)(a)(iii).

The written approval is valid only for the ITW DeVilbiss GFG-670 spray gun and the gun must be operated as outlined in the test protocol. ITW Automotive must provide the spray gun purchaser written notification that the maximum air pressure supplied to the spray gun shall not exceed 40 psi and the gun must be equipped with a pressure gauge to demonstrate the gun is being operated within the proper pressure range. The written notification shall also inform the purchaser that the gun is only approved for the application of coatings subject to Rule 1151.

Should you have any questions regarding the District's approval of the ITW DeVilbiss GFG-670 spray gun please call me at (661) 723-8070.

Sincerely,

Bret S. Banks Operations Manager



