



STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
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MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY
CHRIS WELLS, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

March 4, 2025

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Ms. Tonya Jackson
CF Rail Services LLC, Mississippi Railcar
4115 Highway 19 South
Meridian, Mississippi 39301

**Re: CF Rail Services LLC, Mississippi Railcar
Agreed Order No. 7458 25**

Dear Ms. Jackson:

Enclosed you will find a copy of Agreed Order No. 7458 25, which has been executed by the Executive Director of the Mississippi Department of Environmental Quality, Chris Wells, on behalf of the Mississippi Commission on Environmental Quality.

The enclosed Order assesses a civil penalty. The penalty payment, when due, should be made by check payable to the Mississippi Department of Environmental Quality and returned in the enclosed, self-addressed envelope to the MDEQ Accounts Receivable at P.O. Box 2339, Jackson, MS 39225.

If you have any questions regarding your obligations under the enclosed order, please contact Geoffrey Martin at (601) 961-5024.

Sincerely,

Michelle Clark, P.E., BCEE, Chief
Environmental Compliance and Enforcement Division

Enclosure
cc: Geoffrey Martin

Agency Interest No. 37117
ENF20250002

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ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

COMPLAINANT

VS.

ORDER NO. 7458 25

CF RAIL SERVICES, LLC
4115 HIGHWAY 19 SOUTH
MERIDIAN, MISSISSIPPI 39301

RESPONDENT

AGREED ORDER

COME NOW the Mississippi Commission on Environmental Quality (Commission), acting through the staff and Executive Director of the Mississippi Department of Environmental Quality (MDEQ), Complainant, and CF Rail Services, LLC, Respondent, in the above captioned cause and agree as follows:

1.

By letter dated January 6, 2025, Respondent was contacted by Complainant and notified of the following violation:

- A. Respondent is operating without a valid permit in violation of Miss. Code Ann. § 49-17-29(1)(b) which states, "It is unlawful for any person to build, erect, alter, replace, use or operate any equipment which will cause the issuance of air contaminants unless that person holds a permit from the Permit Board."
Condition 1.C.1 of Synthetic Minor Operating Permit No. 1460-00130 (the Permit) required Respondent to submit a renewal application to the Mississippi Environmental Quality Permit Board (the Permit Board) by no later than April 3, 2022. The Permit expired on September 30, 2022. Subsequently, Respondent submitted the renewal application to the Permit Board on January 3, 2023.

2.

In lieu of a formal enforcement hearing concerning the violations listed above, Complainant and Respondent agree to settle this matter as follows:

- A. Respondent agrees to pay and Complainant agrees to accept a civil penalty in the amount of \$15,000.00. Respondent shall pay this penalty to MDEQ within forty-five (45) days after this Agreed Order has been executed by the MDEQ Executive Director or his designee. The settlement payment shall be submitted to:

Mississippi Department of Environmental Quality
Attn: Accounts Receivable
P.O. Box 2339
Jackson, MS 39225

- B. Respondent shall comply with all terms and conditions of Synthetic Minor Operating Permit No. 1460-00130 issued on October 17, 2017, and modified on February 14, 2019, with an expiration date of September 30, 2022, until the Permit Board acts on the renewal application received on January 3, 2023.

3.

Nothing in this Agreed Order shall limit the rights of MDEQ or the Commission in the event Respondent fails to comply with this Agreed Order. The Agreed Order shall be strictly construed to apply to those matters expressly resolved herein.

4.

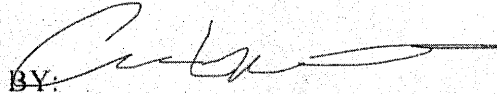
Nothing contained in this Agreed Order shall limit the rights of MDEQ or the Commission to take enforcement or other actions against Respondent for violations not addressed herein and for future violations of environmental laws, rules, and regulations.

5.

Respondent understands and acknowledges that it is entitled to an evidentiary hearing before the Commission pursuant to Miss. Code Ann. § 49-17-31, and that it has made an informed waiver of that right.

ORDERED, this the 4th day of March, 2025.

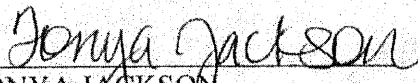
MISSISSIPPI COMMISSION ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

BY: 

CHRIS WELLS
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR
MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT
OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

AGREED, this the 3rd day of March, 2025.

CF RAIL SERVICES, LLC

BY: 
TONYA JACKSON
SENIOR MANAGER

STATE OF Mississippi
COUNTY OF Lauderdale

PERSONALLY appeared before me, the undersigned authority in and for the jurisdiction aforesaid, the within named TONYA JACKSON who first being duly sworn, did state upon her oath and acknowledge to me that she is the SENIOR MANAGER of CF RAIL SERVICES, LLC and is authorized to sign and enter this Agreement.

SWORN AND SUBSCRIBED BEFORE ME, this the 3rd day of March, 2025.


NOTARY PUBLIC

My Commission expires: 8.6.25

