



MOJAVE DESERT AIR QUALITY MANAGEMENT DISTRICT

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PERMIT TO OPERATE

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Operation under this permit must be conducted in compliance with all information included with the initial application, initial permit condition, and conditions contained herein. The equipment must be maintained and kept in good operating condition at all times. This Permit to Operate or copy must be posted on or within 8 meters of equipment. If a copy is posted, the original must be maintained on site, available for inspection at all times.

EXPIRES LAST DAY OF: OCTOBER 2026

OWNER OF OPERATOR (Co.#710)

High Tech Etch
17469 Lemon Street
Hesperia, CA 92345

EQUIPMENT LOCATION (Fac.#3576)

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Description:

DESMUT TANK (TANK # 6) consisting of: A stainless steel dip tank measuring 240 inches x 48 inches x 72 inches and holding approximately 3,590 gallons of desmutting solution consisting of 10% to 20% Nitric Acid. It is vented through Vent Fan #NH-49, which generates 8,000 ACFM through a 26 foot tall, 26 inch diameter stack.

CONDITIONS:

1. This equipment shall be installed, operated and maintained in strict accordance with those recommendations of the manufacturer/supplier and/or sound engineering principles which produce the minimum emissions of contaminants. Unless otherwise noted, this equipment shall also be operated in accordance with all data and specifications submitted with the application for this permit. [Rule 204]
2. This tank shall not be operated unless it is properly vented to the atmosphere through its associated exhaust ventilation fan (Fan ID Number NH-49). [District Rule 1302]
3. This tank shall only be used to desmut Aluminum metal and shall not be heated above ambient temperature. [District Rules 1302 and 1320]

Fee Schedule: 5 (a)

Rating: 3590 gallons

SIC: 3479

SCC: 30901501

Location/UTM(Km):
473E/3812N

This permit does not authorize the emission of air contaminants in excess of those allowed by law, including Division 26 of the Health and Safety Code of the State of California and the Rules and Regulations of the District. This permit cannot be construed as permission to violate existing laws, ordinances, statutes or regulations of this or other governmental agencies. This permit must be renewed by the expiration date above. If billing for renewal fee required by Rule 301(c) is not received by expiration date above, please contact the District.

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By: **COPY**
Eldon Heaston
Air Pollution Control Officer

4. This tank shall be fully covered whenever it is not being actively used.
[District Rules 204 and 1320]

5. All parts dipped in either etchant tank (Tank identification numbers 8 and 9) shall be thoroughly rinsed with water in Rinse Tank #7 prior to being dipped into this tank.
[District Rules 204 and 1320]

Note: Rinse Tank #7 does not require a District permit.

6. All parts dipped in this tank shall be thoroughly rinsed with water in Rinse Tank #5 after desmutting is complete.
[District Rules 204 and 1320]

Note: Rinse Tank #5 does not require a District permit.

7. A facility wide Comprehensive Emission Inventory (CEI) for all emitted criteria and toxic air pollutants must be submitted to the District, in a format approved by the District, upon District request.

[District Rule 107(b), H&S Code 39607 & 44341-44342, and 40 CFR 51, Subpart A]