



Compliance Activity Details Report

Compliance Activity Ref: CA10574

Priority/Sensitive: N

Client						
Ref	Name	Address	Phone	Mobile	Fax	Email
598756	Queensland Blow Moulders Pty Ltd	67-77 Trade Street LYTTON QLD 4178	(07) 3393 5246		(07) 3393 5246	

Activity Location		
Name	Risk Level	Address
67-77 Trade Street Lytton		

Program Type: Area

Compliance Program: 2006-07/Area/Lytton (DSD 36)/Environmental Operations

Status: Finalised

Info Entered: 25-MAY-07

Project Manager: JUERGENSEN, Christine

Responsible Office: SouthReg Env Ops (Brisbane) Projects

Subject: Lytton DSD audit 2006-2007

Running Sheet Summary		Accrued Time: 33 hrs 0 mins				
Date Commenced	Due Date	Action Type	Officer Involved	Outcome	Date Completed	
23-JAN-07	11-JUN-07	Site Inspection - Level B	JUERGENSEN, Christine	Enf Measure - Warning	30-MAY-07	
30-MAY-07		Letter - received	JUERGENSEN, Christine	NFA - activity in compliance	01-JUN-07	

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Date Commenced: 23-JAN-07

Officer Involved: JUERGENSEN, Christine

Responsible Office: SouthReg Env Ops (Brisbane) Projects

Action Type: Site Inspection - Level B

Inspection Type: Inspection Program - Area

Enforcement Measure Type:

Referral To:

Action: Non-compliant at time of the inspection. Devolved activity: Brisbane City Council (BCC).

Time Spent Hours: 3

Time Spent Minutes:

Outcome: Enf Measure - Warning

Outcome Description: Warning letter sent & ccd to BCC. Client to respond by approx. due date stated below.

Due Date: 11-JUN-07

Date Completed: 30-MAY-07

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Date Commenced: 30-MAY-07

Officer Involved: JUERGENSEN, Christine

Responsible Office: SouthReg Env Ops (Brisbane) Projects

Action Type: Letter - received

Inspection Type:

Enforcement Measure Type:

Referral To:

Action: Letter received: Client has obtained rego from BCC.

Time Spent Hours: 30

Time Spent Minutes:

Outcome: NFA - activity in compliance

Outcome Description:

Due Date:

Date Completed: 01-JUN-07

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Christine Juergensen

From: Queensland Blow Moulders [alanw@qldb.com.au]
Sent: Wednesday, 30 May 2007 11:41 AM
To: Christine Juergensen
Attachments: Letter to EPA.doc

Hi Christine,

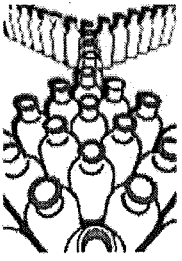
Please find attached my written response to your letter of 23/5/2007. As discussed in the response, I have no recollection of you discussing with us on 23/1/2007 the fact that we did not have a current license in our name for the site. It had however come to our attention separately when the renewal notice for ACI Operations Pty Ltd was mailed to the site. We contacted the council and found a new application was required which we promptly completed and returned to them with full payment which they processed on 22/5/2007 (prior to you writing your letter). We have since been visited by the Brisbane City Council who have issued an Environmental Registration to Qld Blow Moulders.

I trust this closes the matter out to your satisfaction.

Alan Wilkes

General Manager

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Dear Christine,

I received your letter dated 23/5/2007 on Monday 28/5/2007.

As discussed with you on Monday 28/5/2007, I have absolutely no recollection that you raised with us on your visit of 23/1/2007 any issues around Qld Blow Moulders Pty Ltd not holding a current registration certificate for the site. I do recollect discussing with you the change in the arrangements of the business with ACI Operations Pty Ltd having sold the site to Qld Blow Moulders Pty Ltd in June 2006 but I do not recall you pointing out that this meant Queensland Blow Moulders needed to have a license issued in their name. We had always thought that the current ACI license applied to us until it expired in June 2007.

As it turns out, when the renewal notice arrived at the site addressed to ACI Operations Pty Ltd, we contacted the Brisbane City Council about having the name changed to Qld Blow Moulders and found out a separate application needed to be completed by Qld Blow Moulders. We immediately completed this application and paid the fee on 22/5/2007 (prior to you writing your letter to us). Yesterday (Tuesday 29/5), the Brisbane City Council visited the site and issued Qld Blow Moulders with a Environmental Registration Certificate which arrived in the mail today Wednesday 30/5.

I trust that this meets your requirements.

Regards

Jan Wilkes
General Manager
Queensland Blow Moulders

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**Queensland
Government**

Enquires Christine Juergensen
Telephone (07) 3224 7998
Your reference
Our reference

Environmental Protection Agency

Incorporating the
Queensland Parks and Wildlife Service

23 May 2007

Mr Alan Wilkes
Queensland Blow Moulders Pty Ltd
67-77 Trade Street
LYTTON QLD 4178

Brisbane City Council
Development Assessment Team East
Locked Bag 50
MANSFIELD QLD 4122

Dear Mr Wilkes

The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) thanks you for your time during the inspection of Queensland Blow Moulders Pty Ltd's (QBM) premises located at 67-77 Trade Street, Lytton, on 23 January 2007. The inspection was carried out by Christine Juergensen and Malgorzata Sajdek of the EPA in the company of yourself. Please note that the inspection was not a complete audit of your site and does not relieve you of your other obligations under the *Environmental Protection Act 1994* (and subordinate legislation).

The inspection was part of the EPA's program for 2006 – 2007 to inspect Department of State Development (DSD) industrial estates throughout Queensland. The purpose of the inspection was to identify any significant environmental issues requiring remedial action.

During the inspection, the following matter was identified and discussed with you:

1. QBM conducts Environmentally Relevant Activity (ERA) 51 – Plastic Manufacturing, according to *Schedule 1 of the Environmental Protection Regulation 1998*. BCC advised the EPA on 27 November 2006 that ACI Operations Pty Ltd held a current registration certificate for ERA 51(b) for this site. You advised the EPA that ACI Operations Pty Ltd sold this business to QBM in June 2006, and that QBM had not obtained a registration certificate for ERA 51 from the Brisbane City Council (BCC). A registration certificate is required under the *Integrated Planning Act 1997 (IPA)* and the *Environmental Protection Act 1994 (EP Act)* for ERA 51 – Plastic Manufacturing. Please note that it is considered an offence to conduct an ERA without a registration certificate. The maximum penalty for operating an ERA 51 without a registration certificate is \$ 30,000.

It is recommended that you immediately take all reasonable and practicable measures to rectify the above issue. Queensland environmental legislation provides for a number of enforcement tools, ranging from the giving of a warning notice, requesting certain actions be undertaken or ceased, issuance of a fine, or prosecution. ERA 51 is administered by local government. Please

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contact the Brisbane City Council (BCC) regarding this matter on telephone (07) 3403 8888.

A written response to this letter addressing how Queensland Blow Moulders Pty Ltd will address this matter is requested within 14 days of receipt of this letter.

If you wish to discuss this matter further please contact Christine Juergensen on telephone (07) 3224 7998.

Yours sincerely

sch4p4(6) Personal information

Natasha Price
Manager, Southern Region, EPA

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