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March 20, 2017

Eric Lovell, President
Uroboros Glass Studios, Inc.
2139 N. Kerby Avenue
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Re: Termination of MAO
No. AQ/V-NWR-16-087

Dear Mr. Lovell:

On February 14, 2017, DEQ received your email informing DEQ that Uroboros Glass Company has ceased all glass melting activities using raw batch of metals as of January 31, 2017. Because of that, Uroboros requested that DEQ terminate Mutual Agreement and Order No. AQ/V-NWR-16-087 (MAO) between DEQ and Uroboros, including any future obligations required by the MAO. Because Uroboros is no longer conducting activities regulated by the MAO, DEQ hereby terminates the MAO and any remaining requirements under it.

Sincerely,

Sarah G. Wheeler, Acting Manager
Office of Compliance and Enforcement

cc: Dave Kauth, Northwest Region, AQ, DEQ



ROOT Jenny

From: KAUTH Dave
Sent: Tuesday, February 14, 2017 2:01 PM
To: ROOT Jenny; JOHNSON Keith; ORMAN Michael
Subject: FW: Uroboros Glass final actions & MAO termination request

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From: Eric Lovell [<mailto:eric@uroboros.com>]
Sent: Tuesday, February 14, 2017 1:57 PM
To: KAUTH Dave
Subject: Uroboros Glass final actions & MAO termination request

Dave,

Please accept this message as notification that Uroboros Glass ceased all glass melting activities using raw batch as of 1-31-2017. We believe that we fully met the requirements of the DEQ-Uroboros MAO agreement since it was executed. We will retain records pertaining to our production activities for a reasonable period in case any future questions arise.

We therefore request that the DEQ-Uroboros MAO be terminated and remaining requirements from it (if any) be suspended as of 11:59 PM on March 31st, 2017.

Thank you for your help as we worked through the rapidly changing regulatory environment in Oregon. During this period of intense scrutiny we were not surprised, but pleased to have confirmed, that DEQ air and soil sampling in the neighborhoods around us failed to find any connection between our activities and air contaminants in the city around us. This closure was a case of too many complex and expensive new regulations coming on too fast from DEQ and other agencies to keep this small business operating in Oregon, but that is a story for others to attempt to understand.

Sincerely,
Eric L.

Eric Lovell
President



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