



# ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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## Inspection Report

GENERAL INFORMATION			
Report Date:	Sept 3, 2019	Inspection Date:	Aug. 29, 2019
Inspector:	Daniel Delgado	Last Inspection Date:	Aug. 23, 2019

SOURCE INFORMATION	
LOCATION	
Facility ID #:	043110AAC
Company Name:	Sterigenics
Street Address:	7775 S. Quincy Street
City, County:	Willowbrook, Du Page
State, Zip Code:	Illinois, 60527
Contact/Title:	Paul Krett, General Manager
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SCOPE OF INSPECTION
Compliance with Seal Order issued in 2/15/19

OFF-SITE SURVEILLANCE AND OBSERVATIONS
No on-site semi-truck traffic was observed during the inspection.
Facility Representatives: Paul Krett, General Manager

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REVIEWER: EMI

### INSPECTION FINDINGS

On Aug. 29, 2019, the author conducted an unannounced inspection of Sterigenics in Willowbrook, Illinois. The inspection took place from 4:15 PM to 4:45 PM. The purpose of the inspection was to ensure compliance with the seal order issued on February 15, 2019.

The author met with Paul Krett, General Manager, for Sterigenics. Mr. Krett provided a tour of the facility (buildings 1 & 2) specifically concentrating on the process and emission units with their associated control equipment.

#### Facility Operations

##### Building 1

- All three preconditioning Heat Rooms were empty.
- Sterilization Chambers: All 14 Sterilization Chambers were empty. Observations in the control room showed that all 14 Chambers were off-line/stopped.
- Both Aeration Chambers 1 & 2 were empty
- Both Scrubbers were off-line.
- Ethelene Oxide Barrels
  - 0 Full Drums
  - 0 Partial Drums
  - 0 Empty Drums
- No final product is on-site
- No unprocessed pallets on site

##### Building 2

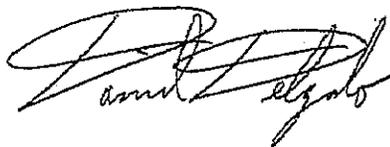
- Preconditioning Heat Room was empty
- Sterilization Chambers: All 4 Sterilization Chambers were empty. Observations in the control room showed that all 4 Chambers were off-line/stopped.
- Aeration Chamber was empty
- The AAT Scrubber was off-line
- Ethelene Oxide Barrels
  - 0 Full Drums
  - 0 Partial Drums
  - 0 Empty Drums
- No final product is on-site

#### Seal Order Verification

Four remaining Seal Orders were replaced during this inspection. It was observed that one more Seal Order needs to be replaced. This will be done during the next compliance check. Based on observations made on-site, the facility has not been in operation since 2/15/19 and is currently adhering to the Seal Order.

### SIGNATURE

REPORT CERTIFICATION:



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