

## STATE OF TENNESSEE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND CONSERVATION DIVISION OF AIR POLLUTION CONTROL WILLIAM R. SNODGRASS TENNESSEE TOWER 312 ROSA L. PARKS AVENUE, 15<sup>TH</sup> FLOOR NASHVILLE, TN 37243

December 6, 2016

Chuck Gilreath, President Thomas & Betts Corporation 260 Dennis Street Athens, TN 37303

Re: Insignificant Activity Request Letter

Thomas & Betts 260 Dennis Street, Athens 54-0047-09/72275

Dear Mr. Gilreath:

We received your application dated October 31, 2016, regarding the proposal to manufacture flexible conduit at the above referenced facility. The information which you provided has undergone a preliminary review by the permit program.

The process to manufacture flexible conduit described in your application will constitute as an *insignificant activity* or *insignificant emissions unit*, as defined in part 1200-03-09-.04(2)(a)3. of the Tennessee Air Pollution Control Regulations. The proposed operation will result in potential emissions from the source of less than five (5) tons per year of each air contaminant and each regulated air pollutant that is not a hazardous air pollutant, and less than 1,000 pounds per year of each hazardous air pollutant.

For new sources, subparagraph 1200-03-09-.04(4)(a) of the Tennessee Air Pollution Control Regulations requires that the request for designation as an insignificant emissions unit be made at least thirty (30) days prior to the estimated starting date of construction. Your application is accepted as the required notification.

If you have any questions concerning this correspondence, please contact Tawanna F. Reid at (865) 594-5459 or at Tawanna.Reid@tn.gov

Sincerely,

Steven Simpson, Section Manager East Tennessee Permit Program

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