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RE: Approval of ANEST IWATA W400-LV Spray Gun for Butte County

The Butte County Air Quality Management District (District) has completed our review of your request and supporting information regarding the ANEST IWATA W400-LV Spray Gun. The results of the transfer efficiency testing indicate that the W400-LV Spray Gun is capable of achieving equivalent or better transfer efficiency than high-volume, low-pressure spray equipment. The District approves the Model W400-LV Spray Gun for operations subject to Rule 235—Requirements for Vehicle and Mobile Equipment, under Section 3.5.5. This approval is subject to the following conditions:

1. A written notification will accompany each ANEST IWATA W400-LV Spray Gun sold or distributed for use with the District that states the spray gun is only approved for application of coatings subject to District Rule 235.
2. The maximum allowed air pressure to the ANEST IWATA W400-LV Spray Gun is limited to 20 psig and this requirement is included in the notification.
3. ANEST IWATA W400-LV Spray Guns sold or distributed within the District shall include an AK-1B air flow control valve and pressure gage (part number 8130) that clearly identifies the maximum allowable air pressure and notification includes that the use of this part in good working order is required during actual operation.
4. Any modification to the spray gun design invalidates this approval unless such modification is approved by the District.

If you have any questions regarding this approval, please contact me at (530) 891-2882.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "David J. Lusk".

David J. Lusk  
Air Pollution Control Engineer

Enclosure: District Rule 235