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From: Bauske, Shelly A.
Sent: Monday, July 01, 2013 4:18 PM
To: dmoses@scales911.com
Subject: Metrology Extension
Attachments: ND Certs Letter.docx

Good Afternoon Dylan

We received your request, dated June 28, 2013, for a metrology recertification extension due to the Wyoming lab schedule.

Under North Dakota Administrative Code Section 69-10-03-02, the Commission may extend the twelve-month recertification interval to fifteen months.

Based on your request, I am extending the recertification interval from 12 months to 15 months for your 3100 lb weight cart and 9 – 1000 lb weights; therefore, the 2013 recertification for your standards as noted is extended from May 30, 2013 to August 30, 2013.

From: Dylan Moses [<mailto:dmoses@scales911.com>]
Sent: Friday, June 28, 2013 3:04 PM
To: Bauske, Shelly A.
Subject: RMSW

Attached is the extension request. Please let me know as soon as possible if you need anything else. Thank you for the information.

Best regards,

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June 28, 2013

Ms. Shelly Bauske
Public Service Commission
600 East Blvd – Dept. 408
Bismark, ND 58505-0480

Dear Shelly,

Rocky Mountain Scale Works is asking for an extension of some of our weights which our out of date on certification according to North Dakota requirements. This would include nine 1,000lb weights and one weight cart of 3,100lb. We currently have an appointment scheduled with the Wyoming Department of Agriculture Weights and Measures division for a certification of mass calibration of our weights on August 6th, 2013. As you may know, we had an appointment with the Montana State Weights and Measures department in April for our weight calibrations; however, their metrologist quit unexpectedly delaying our weight certifications.

The Wyoming department of agriculture is able to certify weights up to 1,000lb as well as weight carts up to 4,500lb which is what their NIST certifications will allow at this time. We currently have scheduled with the Wyoming department of agriculture to certify as many 1,000lb weights and our carts as possible to comply with North Dakota yearly weight certifications. We wanted to inform you of this because of the situation that has been imposed on our company. With Montana losing their metrologist, North Dakota not having a metrology lab, and not many other metrology labs close to us, we are doing our best to attain proper weight certifications under the circumstances. Wyoming was the only state close to us that had an appointment available as early as august.

Thank you for keeping in contact with me regarding this situation. We will update you when the weights are certified and will provide proper certification paperwork after the fact. If you have any further questions please feel free to contact me at any time.

Best Regards,

Rocky Mountain Scale Works

Dylan Moses
Sales and Service Technician

Cc: J. Todd Rather, VP Operations Sales and Service
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May 30, 2013

Ms. Shelly Bauske
Public Service Commission
600 East Blvd – Dept. 408
Bismark, ND 58505-0480

Dear Shelly,

We are currently in the process of scheduling an appointment with the Wyoming Department of Agriculture Weights and Measures division for a certification of mass calibration of our weights. As you may know, we had an appointment with the Montana State Weights and Measures department in April for our weight calibrations, however, their metrologist quit unexpectedly delaying our weight certifications.

The Wyoming department of agriculture is only able to certify weights up to 1,000lb because that is what their NIST certifications will allow at this time. At the moment we are collaborating efforts to get our weight carts certified as soon as possible in a state that has the ability to do so. We wanted to inform you of this because of the situation that has been imposed on our company. With Montana losing their metrologist, North Dakota not having a metrology lab, and not many other metrology labs close to us, we are doing our best to attain proper weight certifications under the circumstances.

Thank you for keeping in contact with me regarding this situation. We will update you when the weights are scheduled for certification. Depending on the schedules of the laboratories available to us, we are hoping to have our weights up to state and federal requirements within a month or two. If you have any further questions please feel free to contact me at any time.

Best Regards,

Rocky Mountain Scale Works

Dylan Moses
Sales and Service Technician

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