

U.S. Department of Labor Occupational Safety and Health Administration
500 Route 17 South,
2nd Floor
Hasbrouck Heights, NJ 07604
Phone: 201-288-1700 Fax: 201-288-7315



09/23/2015

Prestige Industries, LLC
1099 Wall Street West
Suite 100
Lyndhurst, NJ 07071

Dear Employer,

Enclosed you will find citations for violations of the Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1970 (the Act) which may have accompanying proposed penalties. Also enclosed is a booklet entitled, "Employer Rights and Responsibilities Following an OSHA Inspection", (OSHA 3000) revised 1990, which explains your rights and responsibilities under the Act. If you have any questions about the enclosed citations and penalties, I would welcome further discussions in person or by telephone.

You will note on page 6 of the booklet that, for violations which you do not contest, you must (1) notify this office promptly by letter that you have taken appropriate corrective action within the time set forth on the citation; and (2) pay any penalties assessed. Please inform me of the abatement steps you have taken and of their dated together with adequate supporting documentation; e.g., drawings or photographs of corrected conditions, purchase/work orders related to abatement actions, air sampling results. This information will allow us to close the case.

As indicated on page 8 of the booklet, you may request an informal conference with me during the 15-working-day notice of contest period. During such an informal conference you may present any evidence or views which you believe would support an adjustment to the citation or the penalty.

If you are considering a request for an informal conference to discuss any issues related to this Citation and Notification of Penalty, you must take to schedule it early enough to allow time to contest after the informal conference, should you decide to do so. Please keep in mind that a written letter of intent to contest must be submitted to the Area Director within 15 working days of your receipt of the citation. The running of this contest period is not interrupted by an informal conference. You must take care to schedule it early enough to allow time to contest after the informal conference, should you decide to do so.

If you decide to request an informal conference, please complete the attached notice at the bottom of this letter and post it next to the Citations as soon as the time, date and the place of the informal conference have been determined. Be sure to bring to the conference with you any and all supporting documentation of existing conditions as well as of any abatement steps taken thus far. If conditions warrant, we can enter into an informal settlement agreement which amicably resolves this matter without litigation or contest.

You should be aware that OSHA publishes information on its inspection and citation activity on the Internet under the provisions of Electronic Freedom of Information Act. The information related to these alleged violations will be posted when our system indicates that you have received this citation. You are encouraged to review the information concerning your establishment at www.osha.gov. If you have any dispute with the accuracy of the information displayed, please contact this office.

Sincerely,



f. Lisa Levy
Area Director

Enclosures

U.S. Department of Labor
Occupational Safety and Health Administration
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Hasbrouck Heights, NJ 07604
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Citation and Notification of Penalty

To:
Prestige Industries, LLC
and its successors
1099 Wall Street West
Suite 100
Lyndhurst, NJ 07071

Inspection Site:
2 Wood Street
Paterson, NJ 07524

Inspection Number: 1049617
Inspection Date(s): 03/27/2015 - 09/21/2015
Issuance Date: 09/23/2015

The violation(s) described in this Citation and Notification of Penalty is (are) alleged to have occurred on or about the day(s) the inspection was made unless otherwise indicated within the description given below.

This Citation and Notification of Penalty (this Citation) describes violations of the Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1970. The penalty(ies) listed herein is (are) based on these violations. You must abate the violations referred to in this Citation by the dates listed and pay the penalties proposed, unless within 15 working days (excluding weekends and Federal holidays) from your receipt of this Citation and Notification of Penalty **you either call to schedule an informal conference (see paragraph below) or** you mail a notice of contest to the U.S. Department of Labor Area Office at the address shown above. Please refer to the enclosed booklet (OSHA 3000) which outlines your rights and responsibilities and which should be read in conjunction with this form. Issuance of this Citation does not constitute a finding that a violation of the Act has occurred unless there is a failure to contest as provided for in the Act or, if contested, unless this Citation is affirmed by the Review Commission or a court.

Posting - The law requires that a copy of this Citation and Notification of Penalty be posted immediately in a prominent place at or near the location of the violation(s) cited herein, or, if it is not practicable because of the nature of the employer's operations, where it will be readily observable by all affected employees. This Citation must remain posted until the violation(s) cited herein has (have) been abated, or for 3 working days (excluding weekends and Federal holidays), whichever is longer.

Informal Conference - An informal conference is not required. However, if you wish to have such a conference you may request one with the Area Director during the 15 working day contest period. During such an informal conference you may present any evidence or views which you believe would support an adjustment

to the citation(s) and/or penalty(ies).

If you are considering a request for an informal conference to discuss any issues related to this Citation and Notification of Penalty, you must take care to schedule it early enough to allow time to contest after the informal conference, should you decide to do so. Please keep in mind that a written letter of intent to contest must be submitted to the Area Director within 15 working days of your receipt of this Citation. The running of this contest period is not interrupted by an informal conference.

If you decide to request an informal conference, please complete, remove and post the Notice to Employees next to this Citation and Notification of Penalty as soon as the time, date, and place of the informal conference have been determined. Be sure to bring to the conference any and all supporting documentation of existing conditions as well as any abatement steps taken thus far. If conditions warrant, we can enter into an informal settlement agreement which amicably resolves this matter without litigation or contest.

Right to Contest – You have the right to contest this Citation and Notification of Penalty. You may contest all citation items or only individual items. You may also contest proposed penalties and/or abatement dates without contesting the underlying violations. **Unless you inform the Area Director in writing that you intend to contest the citation(s) and/or proposed penalty(ies) within 15 working days after receipt, the citation(s) and the proposed penalty(ies) will become a final order of the Occupational Safety and Health Review Commission and may not be reviewed by any court or agency.**

Penalty Payment – Penalties are due within 15 working days of receipt of this notification unless contested. (See the enclosed booklet and the additional information provided related to the Debt Collection Act of 1982.) Make your check or money order payable to “DOL-OSHA”. Please indicate the Inspection Number on the remittance. You can also make your payment electronically on www.pay.gov. On the left side of the pay.gov homepage, you will see an option to Search Public Forms. Type “OSHA” and click Go. From the results, click on **OSHA Penalty Payment Form**. The direct link is:

<https://www.pay.gov/paygov/forms/formInstance.html?agencyFormId=53090334>.

You will be required to enter your inspection number when making the payment. Payments can be made by credit card or Automated Clearing House (ACH) using your banking information. Payments of \$25,000 or more require a Transaction ID, and also must be paid using ACH. If you require a Transaction ID, please contact the OSHA Debt Collection Team at (202) 693-2170.

OSHA does not agree to any restrictions or conditions or endorsements put on any check, money order, or electronic payment for less than the full amount due, and will process the payments as if these restrictions or conditions do not exist.

Notification of Corrective Action – For each violation which you do not contest, you must provide ***abatement certification*** to the Area Director of the OSHA office issuing the citation and identified above. This abatement certification is to be provided by letter within 10 calendar days after each abatement date. Abatement certification includes the date and method of abatement. If the citation indicates that the violation was corrected during the inspection, no abatement certification is required for that item. The abatement certification letter must be posted at the location where the violation appeared and the corrective action took place or employees must otherwise be effectively informed about abatement activities. A sample abatement certification letter is enclosed with this Citation. In addition, where the citation indicates that ***abatement documentation*** is necessary, evidence of the purchase or repair of equipment, photographs or video, receipts, training records, etc., verifying that abatement has occurred is required to be provided to the Area Director.

Employer Discrimination Unlawful – The law prohibits discrimination by an employer against an employee for filing a complaint or for exercising any rights under this Act. An employee who believes that he/she has been discriminated against may file a complaint no later than 30 days after the discrimination occurred with the U.S. Department of Labor Area Office at the address shown above.

Employer Rights and Responsibilities – The enclosed booklet (OSHA 3000) outlines additional employer rights and responsibilities and should be read in conjunction with this notification.

Notice to Employees – The law gives an employee or his/her representative the opportunity to object to any abatement date set for a violation if he/she believes the date to be unreasonable. The contest must be mailed to the U.S. Department of Labor Area Office at the address shown above and postmarked within 15 working days (excluding weekends and Federal holidays) of the receipt by the employer of this Citation and Notification of Penalty.

Inspection Activity Data – You should be aware that OSHA publishes information on its inspection and citation activity on the Internet under the provisions of the Electronic Freedom of Information Act. The information related to these alleged violations will be posted when our system indicates that you have received this citation. You are encouraged to review the information concerning your establishment at www.osha.gov. If you have any dispute with the accuracy of the information displayed, please contact this office.



NOTICE TO EMPLOYEES OF INFORMAL CONFERENCE

An informal conference has been scheduled with OSHA to discuss the citation(s) issued on 09/23/2015. The conference will be held by telephone or at the OSHA office located at 500 Route 17 South, 2nd Floor, Hasbrouck Heights, NJ 07604 on _____ at

_____. Employees and/or representatives of employees have a right to attend an informal conference.

CERTIFICATION OF CORRECTIVE ACTION WORKSHEET

Inspection Number: 1049617

Company Name: Prestige Industries, LLC
Inspection Site: 2 Wood Street, Paterson, NJ 07524
Issuance Date: 09/23/2015

List the specific method of correction for each item on this citation in this package that does not read "Corrected During Inspection" and return to: **U.S. Department of Labor – Occupational Safety and Health Administration, 500 Route 17 South, 2nd Floor, Hasbrouck Heights, NJ 07604**

Citation Number _____ and Item Number _____ was corrected on _____
By (Method of Abatement): _____

Citation Number _____ and Item Number _____ was corrected on _____
By (Method of Abatement): _____

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By (Method of Abatement): _____

Citation Number _____ and Item Number _____ was corrected on _____
By (Method of Abatement): _____

I certify that the information contained in this document is accurate and that the affected employees and their representatives have been informed of the abatement.

Signature

Date

Typed or Printed Name

Title

NOTE: 29 USC 666(g) whoever knowingly makes any false statements, representation or certification in any application, record, plan or other documents filed or required to be maintained pursuant to the Act shall, upon conviction, be punished by a fine of not more than \$10,000 or by imprisonment of not more than 6 months or both.

POSTING: A copy of completed Corrective Action Worksheet should be posted for employee review



Citation and Notification of Penalty

Company Name: Prestige Industries, LLC
Inspection Site: 2 Wood Street, Paterson, NJ 07524

Citation 1 Item 1 Type of Violation: **Serious**

29 CFR 1910.37(a)(2): Exit routes were not arranged so that employees would not have to travel toward a high hazard area, unless the path of travel was effectively shielded from the high hazard area by suitable partitions or other physical barriers:

a) The employer did not ensure that exit routes were arranged so that employees would not have to travel toward a high hazard area. Employees exiting the facility through the exit route in the Southeast corner of the facility must pass by approximately 14-55 gallon barrels of 50% sulfuric acid, on or about March 27, 2015.

There is no abatement certification or documentation required for this item.

Date By Which Violation Must be Abated:
Proposed Penalty:

Corrected During Inspection
\$5500.00



Citation and Notification of Penalty

Company Name: Prestige Industries, LLC
Inspection Site: 2 Wood Street, Paterson, NJ 07524

The alleged violations below have been grouped because they involve similar or related hazards that may increase the potential for injury or illness.

Citation 1 Item 2 a Type of Violation: **Serious**

29 CFR 1910.134(c)(1): A written respiratory protection program that included the provisions in 29 CFR 1910.134(c)(1)(i) - (ix) with worksite specific procedures was not established and implemented for required respirator use:

a) The employer did not establish or implement a written respiratory program that included the provisions in 29 CFR 1910.134(c)(1)(I)-(ix) with worksite specific procedures for required respirator use. An employee was required to wear a tight-fitting half face respirator when performing chemical container changes in the tunnel washing area, on or about March 27, 2015.

Abatement documentation is required for this item in accordance with the requirements of 29 CFR 1903.19(d).

ABATEMENT DOCUMENTATION REQUIRED FOR THIS ITEM

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| Date By Which Violation Must be Abated: | 10/28/2015 |
| Proposed Penalty: | \$3300.00 |



Citation and Notification of Penalty

Company Name: Prestige Industries, LLC
Inspection Site: 2 Wood Street, Paterson, NJ 07524

Citation 1 Item 2 b Type of Violation: **Serious**

29 CFR 1910.134(e)(1): The employer did not provide a medical evaluation to determine the employee's ability to use a respirator, before the employee was fit tested or required to use the respirator in the workplace:

a) The employer did not provide a medical evaluation to determine the employee's ability to use a respirator, before the employee was fit tested or required to use the respirator in the workplace. An employee was required to wear a tight-fitting half face respirator when performing chemical container changes in the tunnel washing area, on or about March 27, 2015.

Abatement documentation is required for this item in accordance with the requirements of 29 CFR 1903.19(d).

ABATEMENT DOCUMENTATION REQUIRED FOR THIS ITEM

Date By Which Violation Must be Abated:

10/28/2015



Citation and Notification of Penalty

Company Name: Prestige Industries, LLC
Inspection Site: 2 Wood Street, Paterson, NJ 07524

Citation 1 Item 2 c Type of Violation: **Serious**

29 CFR 1910.134(k): The employer did not provide comprehensive, understandable training which did not occur annually and/or more often if necessary:

a) The employer did not ensure that an employee required to use a tight fitting half-face respirator received comprehensive, understandable training on the use of a respirator on an annual basis. An employee was required to wear a tight-fitting half face respirator when performing chemical container changes in the tunnel washing area, on or about March 27, 2015.

Abatement documentation is required for this item in accordance with the requirements of 29 CFR 1903.19(d).

ABATEMENT DOCUMENTATION REQUIRED FOR THIS ITEM

Date By Which Violation Must be Abated:

10/28/2015



Citation and Notification of Penalty

Company Name: Prestige Industries, LLC
Inspection Site: 2 Wood Street, Paterson, NJ 07524

Citation 1 Item 3 Type of Violation: **Serious**

29 CFR 1910.151(c): Where employees were exposed to injurious corrosive materials, suitable facilities for quick drenching or flushing of the eyes and body were not provided within the work area for immediate emergency use:

a) The employer did not provide suitable facilities for quick drenching or flushing of the eyes and body where employees were exposed to 50% sulfuric acid solution. The eyewash and shower were blocked by an empty cardboard barrel and a large laundry bin, preventing employees from quickly accessing the emergency eyewash and shower in the event of an exposure, on or about April 30, 2015.

Abatement documentation is required for this item in accordance with the requirements of 29 CFR 1903.19(d).

ABATEMENT DOCUMENTATION REQUIRED FOR THIS ITEM

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| Date By Which Violation Must be Abated: | 09/29/2015 |
| Proposed Penalty: | \$5500.00 |



Citation and Notification of Penalty

Company Name: Prestige Industries, LLC
Inspection Site: 2 Wood Street, Paterson, NJ 07524

Citation 1 Item 4 Type of Violation: **Serious**

29 CFR 1910.303(b)(6): Conductors or equipment were located in damp or wet locations; where exposed to gases, fumes, vapors, liquids, or other agents that had a deteriorating effect on the conductors or equipment; or where exposed to excessive temperatures and were not identified for use in the operating environment:

The employer did not ensure that an electrical disconnect located in an area where a 50% sulfuric acid solution was used was rated for use in an environment where corrosive materials are present. Employees are exposed to electrical shock from electrical components that have deteriorated from acid exposure.

Abatement documentation is required for this item in accordance with the requirements of 29 CFR 1904.19(d).

ABATEMENT DOCUMENTATION REQUIRED FOR THIS ITEM

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| Date By Which Violation Must be Abated: | 10/28/2015 |
| Proposed Penalty: | \$5500.00 |



Citation and Notification of Penalty

Company Name: Prestige Industries, LLC
Inspection Site: 2 Wood Street, Paterson, NJ 07524

Citation 1 Item 5 Type of Violation: **Serious**

29 CFR 1910.303(g)(1): Sufficient access and working space was not provided and maintained about all electric equipment (operating at 600 volts, nominal, or less to ground) to permit ready and safe operation and maintenance of such equipment:

a) The employer did not ensure that sufficient access and working space was provided and maintained about all electric equipment (operating at 600 volts, nominal, or less to ground) to permit safe operation and maintenance of such equipment. The electrical disconnect for the sulfuric acid pump was blocked by approximately 14 55-gallon barrels of 50% sulfuric acid solution, on or about March 27, 2015.

There is no abatement certification or documentation required for this item.

Date By Which Violation Must be Abated:
Proposed Penalty:

Corrected During Inspection
\$5500.00



Citation and Notification of Penalty

Company Name: Prestige Industries, LLC
Inspection Site: 2 Wood Street, Paterson, NJ 07524

Citation 2 Item 1 Type of Violation: **Willful**

29 CFR 1910.147(c)(4)(i): Procedures were not developed, documented and utilized for the control of potentially hazardous energy when employees were engaged in activities covered by this section:

The employer did not develop, document, and utilize procedures for the control of potentially hazardous energy when employees were engaged in activities covered by this section:

- a) An employee was engaged in a towel exchange process on top of the piston in Milnor Press 2 (Serial: 10149543) without locking out the machine prior to conducting the process, on or about March 27, 2015. The machine was under power, an interlocked door had been defeated and remained open, and the employee was not actively attending the machine.
- b) An employee travelled into the operating envelope of Milnor Shuttle 2 (Serial: 7247282) without locking out the machine prior to entering the operating envelope of the machine to retrieve towels that had fallen from the shuttle during normal operations, on or about March 27, 2015.
- c) An employee performed maintenance, replacing the diaphragm, on Milnor Press 2 (Serial: 10149543) while locked out, however, a procedure for locking out the machine was not in place, on or about April 2, 2015.

Prestige Industries LLC was previously cited for a repeat violation of this occupational safety and health standard or its equivalent standard 29 CFR 1910.147(c)(4)(i), which was contained in inspection number 682958, citation number two, item number two and was affirmed as a final order on 8/9/13 with respect to a workplace located at 2101 91st street, North Bergen, NJ 07047.

Prestige Industries LLC was previously cited for a violation of this occupational safety and health standard or its equivalent standard 29 CFR 1910.147(c)(4)(i), which was contained in inspection number 315810457, citation number one, item number two and was affirmed as a final order on 7/18/12 with respect to a workplace located at 81 Saxon Avenue, Bay Shore, NY 11706.

Abatement documentation is required for this item in accordance with the requirements of 29 CFR 1903.19(d).

See pages 1 through 4 of this Citation and Notification of Penalty for information on employer and employee rights and responsibilities.

U.S. Department of Labor
Occupational Safety and Health Administration

Inspection Number: 1049617
Inspection Date(s): 03/27/2015 - 09/21/2015
Issuance Date: 09/23/2015



Citation and Notification of Penalty

Company Name: Prestige Industries, LLC
Inspection Site: 2 Wood Street, Paterson, NJ 07524

ABATEMENT DOCUMENTATION REQUIRED FOR THIS ITEM

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| Date By Which Violation Must be Abated: | 10/13/2015 |
| Proposed Penalty: | \$70000.00 |

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Citation and Notification of Penalty

Company Name: Prestige Industries, LLC
Inspection Site: 2 Wood Street, Paterson, NJ 07524

Citation 3 Item 1 Type of Violation: **Repeat**

29 CFR 1910.147(c)(7)(i): The employer did not provide training to ensure that the purpose and function of the energy control program was understood by authorized and affected employees:

a) Employees who are authorized to perform maintenance on machines were not trained on the purpose and function of the energy control program, on or about April 29, 2015.

b) Employees who are affected by energy control procedures that are used on machines that they operate were not trained on the purpose and function of the energy control program, on or about April 29, 2015.

Prestige Industries LLC was previously cited for a repeat violation of this occupational safety and health standard or its equivalent standard 29 CFR 1910.147(c)(7)(i), which was contained in inspection number 682958, citation number two, item number three and was affirmed as a final order on 8/9/13 with respect to a workplace located at 2101 91st street, North Bergen, NJ 07047.

Prestige Industries LLC was previously cited for a violation of this occupational safety and health standard or its equivalent standard 29 CFR 1910.147(c)(7)(i), which was contained in inspection number 315810457, citation number one, item number four and was affirmed as a final order on 7/18/12 with respect to a workplace located at 81 Saxon Avenue, Bay Shore, NY 11706.

Abatement documentation is required for this item in accordance with the requirements of 29 CFR 1903.19(d).

ABATEMENT DOCUMENTATION REQUIRED FOR THIS ITEM

Date By Which Violation Must be Abated:

10/28/2015

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U.S. Department of Labor
Occupational Safety and Health Administration

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Citation and Notification of Penalty

Company Name: Prestige Industries, LLC
Inspection Site: 2 Wood Street, Paterson, NJ 07524

Proposed Penalty:

\$70000.00

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Citation and Notification of Penalty

Company Name: Prestige Industries, LLC
Inspection Site: 2 Wood Street, Paterson, NJ 07524

Citation 3 Item 2 Type of Violation: **Repeat**

29 CFR 1910.147(d)(4)(i): Lockout or tagout devices were not affixed to each energy isolating device by authorized employees:

The employer did not ensure that employees affixed appropriate lockout or tagout devices to each energy isolating device. The employer did not determine which employees were authorized to perform lockout/tagout, and which employees were affected by lockout/tagout. Employees performing the following service and maintenance did not apply the appropriate lockout/tagout devices:

- a) An employee was engaged in a towel exchange process, on top of the piston in Milnor Press 2 (Serial: 10149543) without locking out the machine prior to conducting the process, on or about March 27, 2015. The machine was under power, an interlocked door had been defeated and remained open, and the employee was not actively attending the machine.
- b) An employee travelled into the operating envelope of Milnor Shuttle 2 (Serial: 7247282) without locking out the machine prior to entering the operating envelope of the machine to retrieve towels that had fallen from the shuttle during normal operations, on or about March 27, 2015.

Prestige Industries LLC was previously cited for a violation of this occupational safety and health standard or its equivalent standard 29 CFR 1910.147(c)(5)(i), which was contained in inspection number 315810457, citation number one, item number three and was affirmed as a final order on 7/18/12 with respect to a workplace located at 81 Saxon Avenue, Bay Shore, NY 11706.

Abatement documentation is required for this item in accordance with the requirements of 29 CFR 1903.19(d).

ABATEMENT DOCUMENTATION REQUIRED FOR THIS ITEM

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| Date By Which Violation Must be Abated: | 10/13/2015 |
| Proposed Penalty: | \$70000.00 |

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Citation and Notification of Penalty

Company Name: Prestige Industries, LLC
Inspection Site: 2 Wood Street, Paterson, NJ 07524

Citation 3 Item 3 Type of Violation: **Repeat**

29 CFR 1910.212(a)(1): One or more methods of machine guarding was not provided to protect the operator and other employees in the machine area from hazards such as those created by point of operation, ingoing nip points, rotating parts, flying chips and sparks:

The employer did not ensure that adequate guarding was provided on the following machines to protect the operator and other employees in the machine area from hazards such as those created by an ingoing nip point:

- a) Employees operating Ironer #1, an American Super Sylon 120 Inch (Serial: 128Z304-M-3746), are exposed to in-running nip points at the point where linens are placed onto the web belts, where a nip point is created with a non-powered roller, and where the web belts contact the ironing rollers where a nip point is created between the fabric and an ironing roller.
- b) Employees operating Ironer #2, an American Super Sylon 120 Inch (Serial: 128-M-31103), are exposed to in-running nip points at the point where linens are placed onto the web belts, where a nip point is created with a non-powered roller, and where the web belts contact the ironing rollers where a nip point is created between the fabric and an ironing roller.
- c) Employees operating Ironer #3, an American Sylon (Serial: None), are exposed to in-running nip points at the point where linens are placed onto the web belts, where a nip point is created with a non-powered roller, and where the web belts contact the ironing rollers where a nip point is created between the fabric and an ironing roller.

Prestige Industries LLC was previously cited for a repeat violation of this occupational safety and health standard or its equivalent standard 29 CFR 1910.212(a)(1), which was contained in inspection number 682958, citation number two, item number four and was affirmed as a final order on 8/9/13 with respect to a workplace located at 2101 91st street, North Bergen, NJ 07047.

Prestige Industries LLC was previously cited for a violation of this occupational safety and health standard or its equivalent standard 29 CFR 1910.212(a)(1), which was contained in inspection number 315810457, citation number one, item number five and was affirmed as a final order on 7/18/12 with

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Company Name: Prestige Industries, LLC
Inspection Site: 2 Wood Street, Paterson, NJ 07524

respect to a workplace located at 81 Saxon Avenue, Bay Shore, NY 11706.

Abatement documentation is required for this item in accordance with the requirements of 29 CFR 1903.19(d).

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Date By Which Violation Must be Abated:
Proposed Penalty:

10/28/2015
\$70000.00

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Lisa Levy", written over a horizontal line.

for **Lisa Levy**
Area Director

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INVOICE / DEBT COLLECTION NOTICE

Company Name: Prestige Industries, LLC
Inspection Site: 2 Wood Street, Paterson, NJ 07524
Issuance Date: 09/23/2015

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| Summary of Penalties for Inspection Number | 1049617 |
| Citation 1, Serious | \$25300.00 |
| Citation 2, Willful | \$70000.00 |
| Citation 3, Repeat | \$210000.00 |
| TOTAL PROPOSED PENALTIES | \$305300.00 |

To avoid additional charges, please remit payment promptly to this Area Office for the total amount of the uncontested penalties summarized above. Make your check or money order payable to: "DOL-OSHA". Please indicate OSHA's Inspection Number (indicated above) on the remittance. You can also make your payment electronically on www.pay.gov. On the left side of the pay.gov homepage, you will see an option to Search Public Forms. Type "OSHA" and click Go. From the results, click on **OSHA Penalty Payment Form**. The direct link is <https://www.pay.gov/paygov/forms/formInstance.html?agencyFormId=53090334>. You will be required to enter your inspection number when making the payment. Payments can be made by credit card or Automated Clearing House (ACH) using your banking information. Payments of \$25,000 or more require a Transaction ID, and also must be paid using ACH. If you require a Transaction ID, please contact the OSHA Debt Collection Team at (202) 693-2170.

OSHA does not agree to any restrictions or conditions or endorsements put on any check, money order, or electronic payment for less than the full amount due, and will cash the check or money order as if these restrictions or conditions do not exist.

If a personal check is issued, it will be converted into an electronic fund transfer (EFT). This means that our bank will copy your check and use the account information on it to electronically debit your account for the amount of the check. The debit from your account will then usually occur within 24 hours and will be shown on your regular account statement. You will not receive your original check back. The bank will destroy your

original check, but will keep a copy of it. If the EFT cannot be completed because of insufficient funds or closed account, the bank will attempt to make the transfer up to 2 times.

Pursuant to the Debt Collection Act of 1982 (Public Law 97-365) and regulations of the U.S. Department of Labor (29 CFR Part 20), the Occupational Safety and Health Administration is required to assess interest, delinquent charges, and administrative costs for the collection of delinquent penalty debts for violations of the Occupational Safety and Health Act.

Interest: Interest charges will be assessed at an annual rate determined by the Secretary of the Treasury on all penalty debt amounts not paid within one month (30 calendar days) of the date on which the debt amount becomes due and payable (penalty due date). The current interest rate is one percent (1%). Interest will accrue from the date on which the penalty amounts (as proposed or adjusted) become a final order of the Occupational Safety and Health Review Commission (that is, 15 working days from your receipt of the Citation and Notification of Penalty), unless you file a notice of contest. Interest charges will be waived if the full amount owed is paid within 30 calendar days of the final order.

Delinquent Charges: A debt is considered delinquent if it has not been paid within one month (30 calendar days) of the penalty due date or if a satisfactory payment arrangement has not been made. If the debt remains delinquent for more than 90 calendar days, a delinquent charge of six percent (6%) per annum will be assessed accruing from the date that the debt became delinquent.

Administrative Costs: Agencies of the Department of Labor are required to assess additional charges for the recovery of delinquent debts. These additional charges are administrative costs incurred by the Agency in its attempt to collect an unpaid debt. Administrative costs will be assessed for demand letters sent in an attempt to collect the unpaid debt.



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