



Michigan Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy  
Air Quality Division

**EU-001**

**INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETING THE EXEMPT EMISSION UNIT FORM**

Exempt Emission Form EU-001 must be completed to identify any emission unit that, pursuant to Rule 212(4), is exempt from the requirements of Rule 210. Rule 210 addresses the submittal and content of administratively complete permit applications.

An emission unit listed within Rule 212(4) qualifies as exempt **only** if it does not have a process-specific emission limitation or standard in any applicable requirement associated with the emission unit. Examples of process-specific emission limitations or standards in applicable requirement include: fugitive dust control or operating programs, Rule 331 (Table 31) particulate emission limits, 40 CFR Part 60 Subpart Dc - Standards of Performance for Small Industrial-Commercial-Institutional Steam Generating Units, Rules 401 and 402 sulfur dioxide emission limits for fuel burning sources, Rules 611 and 707 cold cleaners, Rules 612 and 708 vapor degreasers, and Rules 621 and 632 VOC emission limits.

**Note:** Emission units that are exempt from the requirements to obtain a Permit to Install pursuant to Rules 281(h), 287(c), and 290 are **not** exempt from the requirements of Rule 210 due to process specific emission limitations and recordkeeping requirements. Emission units that meet the requirements of Rules 281(h), 287(c), and 290 should be submitted on form EU-002.

If a Permit to Install has been issued pursuant to Rule 201 for any emission unit listed in Rule 212(4), and the permit is not voided, the exempt emission unit should be considered a non-exempt emission unit and the required forms (EU-003, AR-001, etc.) must be completed. If the applicant wishes to eliminate the applicable requirements in the Permit to Install and operate the emission unit under Rules 279-290, it will be necessary to void the Permit to Install prior to submitting this form.

If an activity is considered insignificant as defined in Rule 212(2) or an emission unit is exempt as defined in Rule 212(3), there is no need to complete EU-001 or any other form unless there is a process-specific emission limitation or standard in any applicable requirement associated with the emission unit as mentioned above. For more information on Rule 212 and applicable requirements refer to Rule 212 Support Tables located on the Air Quality Division's internet site. See Appendix B – Internet Sites for web site location.

**SRN** – Enter the State Registration Number (SRN) assigned to the source.

**EXEMPT EMISSION UNIT IDENTIFICATION**

**Change:** Change or modify the exempt emission unit in the RO Permit.  
**Add:** Add an exempt emission unit in the RO Permit.  
**Delete:** Delete the exempt emission unit in the RO Permit. Complete AI-001 to provide justification and dismantle date.

1. **AQD Exempt Emission Unit ID** – Provide the AQD Exempt Emission Unit ID from the RO Permit Source Summary Report. If no AQD Exempt Emission Unit ID exists on the RO Permit Source Summary Report, leave blank.

2. **Operator's Exempt Emission Unit ID** – Create an ID for the exempt emission unit. See General Instructions for details on creating an ID.
3. **SCC** – Provide the Source Classification Code (SCC) for this exempt emission unit. The SCC is an eight-character code that provides a detailed description of a process creating emissions. Refer to the [electronic SCC table via the Internet](#). If unable to get this information from this source, contact the AQD District Office for your area (see Appendix A).
4. **Operator's Exempt Emission Unit Description (Process Equipment and Control Devices)** – Provide a brief description of the equipment. Include the number of similar exempt emission units subject to the same rule exemption pursuant to Rules 279-290. For example, five natural gas space heaters may all be exempt pursuant to Rule 282 (b) or machining/grinding operations that exhaust internally to ten different baghouses may all be exempt pursuant to Rule 285 (l)(vi).

## EXEMPT EMISSION UNIT INFORMATION

5. **List Exemptions**
  - a. **List Rule 201 Exemption Rule Number** – Specify the rule that exempts the emission unit from the requirement to obtain a Permit to Install (e.g., 282(a)(i), 284(b), 285(g), etc.).
  - b. **List Rule 212(4) Exemption** – Specify which subpart of Rule 212(4) exempts the emission unit from the requirements of Rule 210 (e.g., 212(4)(a), 212(4)(b), 212(4)(c), etc.).
6. **Maximum Design Capacity** – If the exemption rule in Item 5a is based on a capacity limit, indicate the maximum design capacity of the exempt emission unit along with the appropriate unit of measure.
7. **Externally Vented** – Indicate whether the exempt emission unit is exhausted externally to the ambient air, excluding general in-plant ventilation.
8. **List All the Control Devices with This Exempt Emission Unit** – If the exempt emission unit has an associated control device, provide the AQD control device code from Appendix E. If no control device exists, leave blank.
9. **Additional Information** – Provide the ID created on the associated AI-001 for any additional information or attachments that supplement this form. Refer to AI-001 instructions to create the ID. If the additional information or attachment is more than one page, label each page to show the relationship between pages.