



January 19, 2024

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ANEST IWATA Americas, Inc.  
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RE: Approval of ANEST IWATA Series 2 WS-400 Spray Gun (Digital and Non-Digital) with Air Caps WS-400-02, WS-400-02 OBS, WS-400-03, and WS-400-03-BF (Basecoat and Clearcoat)

The Butte County Air Quality Management District (District) has completed our review of your request and supporting information regarding the ANEST IWATA Series 2 WS-400 Spray Gun (Digital and Non-Digital) with Air Caps WS-400-02, WS-400-02 OBS, WS-400-03, and WS-400-03-BF (Basecoat and Clearcoat) is capable of achieving equivalent or better transfer efficiency than high-volume, low-pressure spray equipment. The District approves the Series 2 WS-400 Spray Gun (Digital and Non-Digital) with Air Caps WS-400-02, WS-400-02 OBS, WS-400-03, and WS-400-03-BF (Basecoat and Clearcoat) 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 Series 2 WS-400 Spray Gun (Digital and Non-Digital) with Air Caps WS-400-02, WS-400-02 OBS, WS-400-03, and WS-400-03-BF 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 Series 2 WS-400-AX-1 WS-400 Spray Gun (Digital and Non-Digital) with Air Caps WS-400-02, WS-400-02 OBS, WS-400-03, and WS-400-03-BF is limited to 29 psig and this requirement is included in the notification.
3. ANEST IWATA Series 2 WS-400 Digital Spray Gun with Air Caps WS-400-02, WS-400-02 OBS, WS-400-03, and WS-400-03-BF spray guns sold or distributed within the District shall include a digital pressure gauge (Part No. DPG-1) with each digital WS-400 Series 2 Spray Gun that clearly identifies the maximum allowable air pressure and notification includes that the use of this part in good working order is required during operation.
4. ANEST IWATA Series 2 WS-400 Non-Digital Spray Gun with Air Caps WS-400-02, WS-400-02 OBS, WS-400-03, and WS-400-03-BF spray guns sold or distributed within the District shall include a mechanical pressure gauge (Item No. 8131B) with each non-digital WS-400 Series 2 Spray Gun that clearly identifies the maximum allowable air pressure and notification includes that the use of this part in good working order is required during operation.
5. Any modification to the spray gun design invalidates this approval unless such modification is approved by the District.

If you have questions regarding this approval, please contact me at (530)332-9400 x 107 or via email at [rpeacock@bcaqmd.org](mailto:rpeacock@bcaqmd.org).

Sincerely,

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Riley Peacock  
Air Quality Engineer

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RE: Approval of ANEST IWATA Series 2 WS-400-AX-1 Non-Digital Spray Gun with Air Caps WS-400-AX-1 (Clearcoat)

The Butte County Air Quality Management District (District) has completed our review of your request and supporting information regarding the ANEST IWATA Series 2 WS-400-AX-1 Non-Digital Spray Gun with Air Caps WS-400-AX-1 (Clearcoat). The results of the transfer efficiency testing indicate that the WS400 non-HPLV Spray Gun is capable of achieving equivalent or better transfer efficiency than high-volume, low-pressure spray equipment. The District approves the Series 2 WS-400-AX-1 Non-Digital 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 Series 2 WS-400-AX-1 Non-Digital 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 Series 2 WS-400-AX-1 Non-Digital Spray Gun is limited to 36 psig and this requirement is included in the notification.
3. ANEST IWATA Series 2 WS-400-AX-1 Non-Digital Spray Gun spray guns sold or distributed within the District shall include a mechanical pressure gauge (Item #8131B) with each WS-400-AX-1 Non-Digital Spray Gun that clearly identifies the maximum allowable air pressure and notification includes that the use of this part in good working order is required during operation.
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RE: Approval of ANEST IWATA Series 2 WS-400-AX-1 (Digital and Non-Digital) Spray Gun with Air Caps WS-400-AX-1

The Butte County Air Quality Management District (District) has completed our review of your request and supporting information regarding the ANEST IWATA Series 2 WS-400-AX-1 Digital Spray Gun. The results of the transfer efficiency testing indicate that the WS400 non-HPLV Spray Gun is capable of achieving equivalent or better transfer efficiency than high-volume, low-pressure spray equipment. The District approves the Series 2 WS-400-AX-1 Digital 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 Series 2 WS-400-AX-1 Digital 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 Series 2 WS-400-AX-1 Digital Spray Gun is limited to 36 psig and this requirement is included in the notification.
3. ANEST IWATA Series 2 WS-400-AX-1 Digital Spray Gun spray guns sold or distributed within the District shall include a digital pressure gauge (Part No. DPG-1) with each WS-400-AX-1 Digital Spray Gun that clearly identifies the maximum allowable air pressure and notification includes that the use of this part in good working order is required during operation.
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