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A. Sampling and Analysis Plan

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#### **1.0 INTRODUCTION**

The National Railroad Passenger Corporation (Amtrak) currently owns and operates a train makeup and maintenance facility known as Sunnyside Yard (Yard), located at 39-29 Honeywell Street in Queens County, a borough of New York City, New York (Figure 1). A portion of the Yard has been designated by Amtrak as the site for a proposed High Speed Trainset Facility (HSTF) Service and Inspection (S&I) Building. Additionally, modifications to other areas of the Yard are required to accommodate the HSTF program.

Soil quality data generated from seven surface soil samples (L6-1 through L6-5, L5-1, and TT-1, shown in Figure 2) collected during performance of a HSTF-related investigation for track modifications identified four locations (L6-1, and L6-3 through L6-5), all on Lead Track No. 6, where total carcinogenic polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (CPAHs) concentrations exceed the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (NYSDEC) recommended cleanup objective of 10 parts per million (ppm). Total CPAHs detected above the cleanup objective ranged from 10.16 ppm in L6-5 to 54.22 ppm in L6-3 (Table 1). Analytical results for polychlorinated biphenyls and metals, shown in Tables 2 and 3, respectively, were below Yard-specific cleanup levels recommended by the NYSDEC. At the request of Amtrak, Roux Associates, Inc. (Roux Associates) has prepared this work plan to further delineate the extent of CPAHs within the confines of Lead Track No. 6 above the cleanup objective.

## 1.1 Objective

The objective of this investigation is to delineate, insitu, the vertical and horizontal extent of CPAHs above the 10 ppm cleanup level for removal and disposal purposes, prior to excavation. Amtrak plans to excavate to a depth of approximately one foot below land surface (bls) (i.e., to the bottom of the existing ballast layer) along the Lead Track No. 6 work area to remove existing rails, ties, and ballast. This material will be stockpiled and sampled for disposal in accordance with all applicable local, state and federal regulations. Therefore, for this scope of work, sample collection will begin from the bottom of the existing ballast interval.

#### 2.0 SCOPE OF WORK

The scope of work will consist of the drilling and sampling of 11 soil borings (L6-1 through L6-11) along Lead Track No. 6 at the locations shown in Figure 2 and includes the following tasks:

- Task 1 Soil Boring Sampling and Analysis Program; and
- Task 2 Report Preparation.

## 2.1 Task 1 - Soil Boring Sampling and Analysis Program

To ensure that the soil borings would not disrupt any unmapped underground utilities, Amtrak has requested that the first three feet of all soil borings be advanced by hand. Further advancement of soil borings to depths greater than three feet bls will be accomplished using either a posthole digger, hand auger, and/or split-spoon sampler.

A total of 11 soil borings will be completed at the proposed locations shown in Figure 2. Soil samples from three consecutive 1-foot depth intervals beginning at the bottom of ballast will be collected and analyzed successively until the concentration of CPAHs detected is less than 10 ppm or the last depth interval is analyzed. If the concentration of CPAHs detected in the deepest interval (i.e., the 2 to 3 feet below bottom of ballast) is above 10 ppm, a plan to further delineate the area will be developed at that time.

By removing soil to a predetermined depth interval where analytical results indicate concentrations of CPAHs are less than 10 ppm, the need for post-excavation bottom confirmatory sampling is precluded. However, in accordance with a soil Interim Remedial Measure (IRM) plan, post-excavation sidewall samples will be collected and analyzed to determine of contamination above the cleanup level extends laterally beyond the confines of Lead Track No. 6. If analytical results indicate that such contamination exists laterally into adjacent track areas, remedial efforts will be initiated at a time when track maintenance or modifications permit.

A description of the sampling procedures to be followed is included in the sampling and analysis plan (SAP) included as Appendix A. All field work will be performed in accordance with health and safety procedures contained in the Yard-specific Health and Safety Plan.

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John P. Cahill Acting Commissioner

June 18, 1997

Joseph Duminuco Roux Associates 1377 Motor Parkway Islandia, New York 11788

Dear Mr. Duminuco:

Re: Amtrak Sun /side Fard, Site Code 241006 Lead Track No. 6

The Department has reviewed the Work Plan for the Delineation of Lead track No. 6, and finds it acceptable with the following understanding:

- The number and location of proposed borings is acceptable, provided the extent of proposed track work covers the same length as the foot-print of the HSTF Building.
- Vertically, if the contrabution is found above the established clean up rubber on the 3 to 4 ft. interval, further delineation will be some down to the water table or until the contamination is set than the clean up numbers, which ever occurs first.
- If the contamination is present in the water table, boring(s) will be continued into the saturated zone.
- Horizontally, all contaminated soils above the site specific clean up numbers will be excavated between the known hot spot and next & clean 10 cation.
- Samples from new bories the 1d be analyzed for all contaminants of concern, as a net just for PAHs.

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If you have any questions, please contact me immediately at 718-482-4909.

Sincerely,

Hari O. Agrawal, P.E. Environmental Engineer

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#### TABLE SV-1.0 7097-1560A ROUX ASSOCIATES NISCELLANEOUS BASE-NEUTRALS

Client Sample I.D. Lab Sample I.D. Method Blank I.D. Quant. Factor	Method Black SBLKYI SBLKYI 1.00	L6-10(0-1) 971560A-01 SBLKYI 1.03	L6-5(0-1) 971560A-04 <b>BBLKYI</b> 1.05	Quant. Limits with no Dilution
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Naphthaleze	U	σ	U	330
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Anthragene	Ŭ	U	15J	330
		27 T	190	330
Burona	U	37J	180J	330
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Chrysene	U	36J	1103	330
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Benzo (k) fluoranthens	υ	<b>4</b> 3J	68J	330
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Indeno (1, 2, J-cd) pyrene	U		50J	330
	L	<b>U</b>		20
Benzo(g, h, i) perylene	<u> </u>	0	<b>44</b> J	330
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Date Extracted	07/01/97	07/01/97	07/01/97	
Date Analyzed	07/02/97	07/02/97	07/03/3/	
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Client Sample I.D.	L6-5 (0-1) DOP	L6-11(0-1)	L6-7(0-1)	Quant.
Lab Sample I.D.	971560A-05 SBLEYT	971560A-08 SBLXYI	971560A-12 Selkyi	Limits with no
Quant. Factor	1.05	1.04	1.06	Dilution
Naphthalens	σ	U	U	330
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Acenaphthene	Ŭ	U U	Ŭ	330
Phonanthrene	U U	T	641 17J	330
Flucranchene	840		1007	330
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Chrysene Berzo (h) Eluoranthere		<b>6</b> 6J	1200	
Benzo(k) fluoranthené Benzo(k) ever (11	56J 360	59J 61J	6 J J 457	530 130
Indeno (1,2,cd) pyrene	47J	41J 1	79J	330 330
Benzo (g, h, i) perylene	445	Ŭ	62Ĵ	330
Date Received Date Extracted Date Analyzed	07/01/97 07/01/97 07/02/97	07/01/97 07/01/97 07/02/97	07/01/97 07/01/97 07/03/97	

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#### TABLE SV-1.2 7097-1560A ROUX ASSOCIATES MISCELLANEOUS BASE-NEUTRALS

Client Sample I.D.	L6-6(0-1)	16-1(0-1) 971560A-17	L6-2(0-1) 971560A-20	Quant. Limits
Method Blank T.D.	SBLEYI	SBLEYT	SBLKYI	with no
Quant. Factor	1.04	1,09	1.04	Dilution
Naphthalene	υ	U		330
The hylnapht briefe				
Acenaphthylane	U	28J		330
Agenagerstand				220
Fluorebe	J			220
Plens Milters		26.7	TT	330
Anthraceae	U	300		
	TT	280.T	97.5	330
FYICLO				
	Ū	260J	66J	330
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Benzo (k) fluorantheze	T	280J	65J	330
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Indeno (1,2,3-cd) pyrene	Ψ	240J	<b>45</b> J	330
	U	<b>U</b>	6	330
Benzo (g, b, i) perviene	U	<u>140J</u>	415	330
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Client Sample I.D. Lab Sample I.D. Method Blank I.D. Quant. Factor	Method Blank SBLKYI SBLKYI 1.00	L6-8(0-1) 971560B-03 SBLKYI 1.09	L5-3(0-1) 971560B-06 SBLKYI 1.11	Quant. Limits with no Dilution
				220
Naphthalene	U	U	180	
2-Methylaspichelens			T	
Acenaphthylene	U			
Acenaphrbene		TT	35.7	330
Fluorene			520	330
	Ū	14J	71J	330
Anchiacone			<b>191</b>	
Durana	U	110J	500	330
Chrysene	Ŭ	100J	190J	330
Bener (b) Thioras Chens	G		1400	230
Benzo(k) fluoranthene	U	97J		
Beneo (a) pyrett		100.7	140.T	330
Indeno (1, 2, 3 - cd) pyrene	U U			
	IJ	71J	130J	330
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Date Received		07/01/97	07/01/97	
Date Extracted	07/01/97	07/01/97	07/01/97	
Date Analysed	07/02/97	07/03/97	07/03/97	
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Client Sample I.D. Lab Sample I.D. Method Blank I.D. Quant. Factor	L6-9(0-1) 971560B-09 SBLKYI 1.04	L6-4(0-1) 971560B-12 SBLKYI 1.08	Quant. Limits with no Dilution
Naphthalene	U U	26J 27J 27J	330 330 330
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Anthracene Floornatione Pyrene Bengg (1) anthracene	U U U	320J 2400	330 330 330
Chrysene Benzo (b) fluoranthene Benzo (k) fluoranthene	U U U	320J 320J 290J	330 330 330
Indeno(1,2,3-cd) pyrene Schemeole, b) entracere Benzo(g,h,i) perylene	0 1 0	45J 190J	330 210 330
Date Received Date Extracted Date Analyzed	07/01/97 07/01/97 07/02/97	07/01/97 07/01/97 07/03/97	

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# All values are mg/Kg dry weight basis.

Client Sample I.D.	L6-10(0-1)	L6-5(0-1)	L6-5(0-1)DUP	L6-11(0-1)
tab Cample I.D.	971560A-01	971560A-04	971560A-05	971560A-08
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Client Samule I.D.	L6-7(0-1)	L6-6(0-1)	L6-1(0-1)	L6-2(0-1)
Lab Sample I.D.	971560A-12	971560A-15	971560A-17	971560A-20
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Client Sample I.D.	L6-8(0-1)	L6-3 (0-1)	<b>LE-9(0-1)</b>	L6-4(0-1)
Lab Sample I.D.	971560B-03	971560B-06	971560B-09	971560B-12
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Client Sample I.D. Lab Sample I.D. Method Blank I.D. Quant. Factor	Method Blank 070297-B02 PBLK09 1.00	L6-10(0-1) 971560A-01 PBLK09 1.03	L6-5(0-1) 971560A-04 PBLK09 1.05	Quant. Limits with no Dilution
Aroclor-1016 Aroclor-1232 Aroclor-1232 Aroclor-1248 Aroclor-1248 Aroclor-1260		U U U 5.179 18.372	U U U 7.102 33.J	33 33 33 33
Date Received Date Extracted Date Analyzed	07/02/97 07/03/97	07/01/97 07/02/97 07/03/97	07/01/97 07/02/97 07/03/97	

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Client Sample I.D. Lab Sample I.D. Method Blank I.D. Quant. Factor	L6-9(0-1) 971560B-09 PBLK09 1.04	L6-4(0-1) 971560B-12 PBLK09 1.08	Quant. Limits with no Dilution
Aroclor-1016 Aroclor-1232 Aroclor-1232 Aroclor-1248 Aroclor-1248 Aroclor-1260	U U U U 8.2JP	U U U U U U U 380	33 33 33 33 33 33
Date Received Date Extracted Date Analyzed	07/01/97 07/02/97 07/04/97	07/01/97 07/02/97 07/04/97	

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Lab Sample I.D.	971560A-15	971560A-17	971560A-20	Limits
Method Blank I.D.	PBLK09	<b>PBLK09</b>	PBLK09	with no
Quant. Factor	1.04	1.09	1.04	Dilution
Aroclor-1016 Applor-1232 Aroclor-1232 Aroclor-1248 Applor-1248 Applor-1260	U U U Q Q Q 43.	U U U 35.0 150		33 33 33 33 33 33
Date Received	07/01/97	07/01/97	07/01/97	
Date Extracted	07/02/97	07/02/97	07/02/97	
Date Analyzed	07/04/97	07/04/97	07/04/97	

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Quant. Factor	1.05	1.04	1.06	Dilution
Aroclor-1016 Aroclor-1232 Aroclor-1232 Aroclor-1248 Aroclor-1248 Aroclor-1250	U U U 5.219 31.J	U U U 21 97.	<b>be</b> b 22 b 75 .	33 33 39 33
Date Received	07/01/97	07/01/97	07/01/97	
Date Extracted	07/02/97	07/02/97	07/02/97	
Date Analyzed	07/03/97	07/04/97	07/04/97	

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# 2.2 Report Preparation

Upon completion of the field investigation, Roux Associates will submit a report which presents the data and includes our findings and recommendations regarding the extent of CPAHs. This report will be used to support the development of the soil IRM Plan for Lead Track No. 6.

# **3.0 SCHEDULE**

Assuming the NYSDEC approval of this work plan by June 9, 1997 and a timely review of the investigation report, the estimated schedule for completion of the work is as follows:

- completion of field work by June 16, 1997;
- investigation report submittal by June 30, 1997; and
- soil IRM Plan submittal by July 14, 1997.

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	Sample Designation: Sample Depth: Sample Date:	L5-1 0-2 4/7/97	L6-1 0-2 4/7/97	L6-2 0-2 4/7/97	L6-3 0-2 4/7/97	L6-4 0-2 4/7/97	L6-5 0-2 4/7/97	T'T-1 0-2 4/7/97
Parameter (Concentrations in μg/kg)	NYSDEC Recommended Cleanup Level							
2-Methylnaphthalene		380 U	750 U	380 U	7,600 U	770 U	370 U	360 U
Acenaphthene		380 U	750 U	380 U	7,600 U	770 U	370 U	360 U
Acenaphthylene		380 U	750 U	380 U	7,600 U	120 J	410	360 U
Anthracene		180 J	f 069	380 U	7,600 U	770	590	360 U
Benzo(a)anthracene	CPAH	750	2,000	450	14,000	1,400	1,200	230 J
Benzo(a)pyrene	CPAH	680	1,900	460	8,500	1,400	1,100	190 J
Benzo(b)fluoranthene	CPAH	1,800	4,000	850	6,000 J	3,800	2,700	750
Benzo(g,h,i)perylene	CPAH	230 J	620 J	200 J	3,400 J	510 J	430	360 U
Benzo(k)fluoranthene	CPAH	1,100	2,900	450	7,600 U	3,200	1,600	18 J
Chrysene	CPAH	1,500	3,900	840	21,000	3,200	2,400	400
Dibenzo(a,h)anthracene	CPAH	68 J	230 J	38 J	410 J	770 U	180 J	360 U
Fluoranthene		1,000	3,600	430	13,000	3,000	2,100	160 J
Fluorene		380 U	750 U	380 U	7,600 U	770 U	370 U	360 U
Indeno(1,2,3-cd)pyrene	CPAH	210 J	700 J	100 J	910 J	350 J	550	56 J
Naphthalene		380 U	750 U	380 U	7,600 U	170 U	370 U	360 U
Phenanthrene		290 J	1,800	270 J	22,000	800	560	38 J
Pyrene		890	2,300	600	18,000	2,500	1,400	380
Total CPAH	10,000	6,338	16,250	3,388	54,220	14,630	10,160	1,644

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μg/kg - Micrograms per kilogram (parts per billion) U - Indicates that the compound was analyzed for but

not detected J - Estimated value CPAH - Carcinogenic Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbon

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Table 2. Analytical Results for Lead in Soil Samples Collected for Track Modifications, Sunnyside Yard, Queens, New York.

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	Sample Designation: Sample Depth: Sample Date:	L5-1 0-2 4/7/97	L6-1 0-2 4/7/97	L6-2 0-2 4/7/97	L6-3 0-2 4/7/97	L6-4 0-2 4/7/97	L6-5 0-2 4/7/97	TT-1 0-2 4/7/97
Parameter (Concentrations in mg/kg)	NYSDEC Recommended Yard-Specific Cleanup Level							
Lead	1000	189	745	198	159	273	151	61.3

mg/kg - Milligrams per kilogram (parts per million)

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	Sample Designation: Top of Interval: Sample Date:	L5-1 0-2 4/7/97	L6-1 0-2 4/7/97	L6-2 0-2 4/7/97	L6-3 0-2 4/7/97	L6-4 0-2 4/7/97	L6-5 0-2 4/7/97	TT-1 0-2 4/7/97
Parameter (Concentrations in μg/kg)	NYSDEC Recommended Yard-Specific Cleanup Level							
Aroclor-1016		750 U	U 0061	75 U	740 U	760 U	370 U	180 U
Aroclor-1221	ł	1500 U	3900 U	150 U	1500 U	1500 U	740 U	360 U
Aroclor-1232	ł	750 U	1900 U	75 U	740 U	760 U	370 U	180 U
Aroclor-1242	:	750 U	U 0061	75 U	740 U	760 U	370 U	180 U
Aroclor-1248	1	750 U	U 0061	75 U	740 U	760 U	370 U	180 U
Aroclor-1254	:	066	2600	67 J	f 069	1000	580	180 U
Aroclor-1260	1	2300	2800	290	1400	3300	1600	810
Total Aroclors	25,000	3290	5400	357	2090	4300	2180	810

μg/kg - Micrograms per kilogram (parts per billion) U - Indicates that the compound was

analyzed for but not detected

J - Estimated value

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Table 3. Analytical Results for Pesticides in Soil Samples Collected for Track Modifications, Sunnyside Yard, Queens, New York.

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APPENDICES



# APPENDIX A

Sampling and Analysis Plan

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#### **1.0 OBJECTIVES**

This sampling and analysis plan (SAP) describes the samples to be collected, the analysis proposed and the procedures to be followed during the additional delineation investigation activities for Lead Track No. 6 at the Sunnyside Yard, Queens, New York (Yard). Data generated by this SAP can then be used by AMTRAK to support the development of an Interim Remedial Measures plan for this area.

# 2.0 SAMPLING LOCATIONS

All proposed soil boring and sampling locations are identified in Figure 2 of the Work Plan.

## 3.0 SAMPLE CATALOGING

Soil samples collected from borings will be identified by the prefix L6 (Lead Track No. 6). The boring location number will follow the prefix. When more than one soil sample is collected from a single boring, the recorded sampling depth interval below ballast will distinguish each sample. An example is "L6-1 (0 to 1 foot)", which identifies a sample collected from soil boring number one at a depth interval of 0 to 1 foot below ballast.

This numbering system will be used by the contracted laboratory to identify samples collected for laboratory analysis during the sampling program. All chain-of-custody documentation will also adhere to this numbering system.

All samples collected will be prelabeled with the following information:

- borehole number and sampled interval;
- time and date of sample collection;
- type of analysis to be performed; and
- affiliation of person(s) collecting the sample.

All sampling information will be recorded into a project field book.

## 4.0 PROTOCOL FOR SOIL SAMPLING

This protocol outlines procedures and equipment for soil sampling at the Yard. Soil samples will be collected with hand tools (i.e., post hole digger, hand auger, hand-driven split-spoon sampler, etc.).

## 4.1 Sampling Tool Decontamination Procedures

Prior to commencing soil sampling at each location, all tools used for sample collection will be decontaminated in the following manner:

- remove all loose material and soil from tools;
- wash thoroughly with detergent and tap water, utilizing a scrub brush;
- rinse with tap water;
- rinse with distilled or deionized water;
- rinse with pesticide-grade methanol; and
- rinse with distilled or deionized water.

# 4.2 Soil Sampling Procedures

Soil samples will be collected in the following manner:

- samples will be collected using a standard post hole digger, hand auger, or split-spoon sampler;
- the excavated soil from each sampling depth interval will be placed on clean plastic sheeting and a representative composite of recovered material will be immediately placed in a proper sample container, sealed and labeled;
- any non-representative material (i.e., cinders, pieces of railroad ties, asphalt), when observed, will not be placed in the sample container;
- at all boring locations, soil samples will be collected from consecutive 1-foot intervals below ballast and each successive sample will be analyzed until the concentration of total carcinogenic polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons detected is less than 10 parts per million (ppm) or the last depth interval is analyzed;

- equipment used for filling sample containers will be cleaned prior to each subsequent use as outlined in Section 4.1; and
- boreholes will be backfilled with cuttings.

If the concentration of CPAHs detected at any sample location is above the 10 ppm action level in the last depth interval analyzed (i.e., the 2 to 3 feet below bottom of ballast interval), a plan to further delineate the area will be developed at that time and submitted to the NYSDEC for approval.

## 4.3 Sample Containers

It will be the responsibility of the contracted laboratory to provide clean sampling containers for the requested analyses. The sampling containers will be filled according to laboratory specifications.

#### 4.4 Sample Handling and Analysis

All soil samples intended for analysis will be placed on ice and protected from light immediately after collection and until delivered to the laboratory.

Samples will be analyzed for PAHs by I.E.A., Inc. of Monroe, Connecticut following NYSDEC Analytical Services Protocols. Data validation of the analyzed results may be performed and, therefore, a category and reporting package will be supplied.

#### 4.5 Record Keeping

All field data will be recorded in a bound field notebook. These data will include: weather conditions, location of boring, depth interval of sample, the sequence in which the borings were completed and lithology. A chain of custody will be implemented during sample collection and all soil samples for laboratory analysis will be submitted to I.E.A. Laboratory, Monroe, Connecticut with chain of custody documentation.