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### **Letter of Transmittal**

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Letter of Transmittal

To:	David Chiusano				Date:	3/30/05	
	Division of Enviro	nmental Remediatior	1		Job No.:	35388	
	NYSDEC		····		Subject:	Site #8-49-002	<del></del>
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	Albany, New York	12233-7020				Watkins Glen, Schulyer, NY	_
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	2			Bimonthly Le	etter Report,	Active Venting System, O&M, F	ebruary 2005
				Sampling Ev	ent		
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# BI-MONTHLY LETTER REPORT ACTIVE VENTING SYSTEM OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE FEBRUARY 2005 SAMPLING EVENT NORTH FRANKLIN STREET SITE SITE #8-49-002 VILLAGE OF WATKINS GLEN, NEW YORK

### **Prepared For:**

## NEW YORK STATE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION DIVISION OF ENVIRONMENTAL REMEDIATION WORK ASSIGNMENT D003825-09.3

**FINAL** 

Prepared By:

URS CORPORATION 77 GOODELL STREET BUFFALO, NEW YORK 14203 Mr. David J. Chiusano, Project Manager New York State Department of Environmental Conservation Division of Environmental Remediation 625 Broadway 12th Floor Albany, New York 12233-7013

**RE:** NYSDEC Standby Contract

Active Venting System Operation and Maintenance # D003825-09.3
February 2005 Sampling Event
North Franklin Street Site, Site No. 8-49-002
Summary of Operation and Maintenance Activities: Bi-Monthly Letter Report

Summary of Operation and Maintenance Activities. Di-Monthly Letter Report

Dear Mr. Chiusano:

URS Corporation (URS) has completed the fifth of six visits to the above-referenced system to conduct bi-monthly operation and maintenance (O&M). This work was performed in accordance with the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (NYSDEC) Project Management Work Plan (PMWP)/Budget Estimate (NYSDEC, July 2003).

The O&M consisted of performing system checks to ensure that the system is operating properly and to collect representative samples of the indoor air and the system's soil gas exhaust. The O&M activities were conducted by URS personnel on February 15, 2005. Documentation of the O&M activities is provided in the Daily Construction Report, included in Attachment 1.

### Inspection

URS's inspection of the system revealed that it was working properly, expulsing soil gas at a rate of 910 feet per minute. The velocity of the exhaust was measured by inserting the probe of an air velocity meter (TSI Velocicheck Model 8340) into a sampling port located on the side of the exhaust stack. The site's landlord was not present during this O&M event. It should be noted that the site building has not been occupied since before the June 2004 O&M event. However, during this O&M event, a new tenant (Past & Presents) was preparing to take up residence. The presence of paints, cleaners and solvents were noted in the back room of the site building (indoor air sampling location). Inspection details are also included in Attachment 1. A photo log is included in Attachment 2.

### Bi-Monthly Air Sampling

As part of the O&M, URS collected two (2) air samples from the following locations:

- One (1) 4-hour indoor air sample was collected in the back room of the site building (INDOOR-0205), adjacent to the above-mentioned paints, cleaners, and solvents; and,
- One (1) soil gas grab sample was collected from the venting system's exhaust stack (SOILGAS-0205).

These samples were collected using SUMMA canisters, in accordance with the protocols outlined in Section 7.1.1 of the United States Environmental Protection Agency's (USEPA's) "SUMMA Canister Sampling" procedures (SOP#: 1704, 7/27/1995). Sampling logs are provided in Attachment 3. Once collected, these samples and corresponding chain of custody (see Attachment 3) were sent to Severn Trent Laboratories (STL) in Knoxville, Tennessee (a New York State Department of Health [NYSDOH] approved laboratory) for volatile organic compound (VOC) analysis via USEPA Method TO-15. The table below summarizes the analytical data. A copy of the laboratory report is included in Attachment 4.

		Samp	le I.D.	OSHA	NYSDOH
Compound	Units	INDOOR-0205	SOILGAS-0205	Permissible Exposure Level <sup>(1)</sup>	Indoor Air Criteria
Acetone	ug/m³	20 (estimated)	3.0 (estimated)	2,400,000	None Available
Benzene	ug/m³	1.5	Not Detected	31,946.83	None Available
Chloroform	ug/m³	Not Detected	1.2 (estimated)	240,000	None Available
Chloromethane	ug/m³	1.2 (estimated)	Not Detected	206,503.07	None Available
cis-1,2- Dichloroethene	cis-1,2- ug/m <sup>3</sup> Not Detected		5.9	Not Available	None Available
Ethylbenzene	ug/m³	15	Not Detected	435,000	None Available
Methylene Chloride			0.60 (estimated)	86,850.72	None Available
Styrene	ug/m³	0.84 (estimated)	Not Detected	425,930.47	None Available
Tetrachloroethene	ug/m³	1.7 (estimated)	130	678,323.11	100 <sup>(2)</sup>
Toluene	Toluene ug/m <sup>3</sup> 8.2		0.79 (estimated)	0.79 (estimated) 753,619.63	
Trichloroethene ug/m³ Not Detected		6.1	537,423.31	5 <sup>(3)</sup>	
o-Xylene	ug/m³	19	Not Detected	435,000	None Available
m&p-Xylene	ug/m³	55	1.4	435,000	None Available
2-Butanone (MEK) ug/m³ 2.5 (estimated)		Not Detected	590,000	None Available	

<sup>1 -</sup> Sources: 29 CFR 1910.1000 and 29 CFR 1910.1052

<sup>2 -</sup> Source: Fact Sheet Tetrachloroethene (PERC) Indoor Outdoor Air, NYSDOH (May 2003)

<sup>3 -</sup> Source: NYSDOH letter from N. Kim to D. Desnoyers, Division of Environmental Remediation, NYSDEC (October 31, 2003)

As shown in the table above, the concentration of VOCs detected in the indoor air sample complies with applicable OSHA criteria, with the estimated concentration of tetrachloroethene detected (1.7 ug/m³) well below the NYSDOH indoor air criteria (100 ug/m³).

It should be noted that the concentration of xylenes and toluene detected in the indoor air sample have increased since the December O&M event. These increases are most likely the result of the above-mentioned paints and solvents staged adjacent to the indoor air sampling location. The remainder of the compounds detected had concentrations at or near their corresponding reporting limits.

Should you have any questions or comments, please do not hesitate to contact me at 716-856-5636.

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# ATTACHMENT 1 DAILY CONSTRUCTION REPORT

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## ATTACHMENT 2

**PHOTO LOG** 



### PHOTOGRAPHIC LOG

### Client Name:

New York State Department of Environmental Conservation

### Site Location:

20 N. Franklin St., Watkins Glen, New York

Project No.

11173258.61000

Photo No.

Date: 2-15-05

Direction Photo Taken:

Southeast



Site Building (20 N. Franklin St.), with new tenant (Past & Presents).



Photo No.

Date:

2-15-05

Direction Photo Taken:

Southwest

### Description:

Back room of site building (indoor air sampling location). Paints and other assorted solvents designated for remodeling present.





### PHOTOGRAPHIC LOG

New York State Department of **Environmental Conservation** 

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20 N. Franklin St., Watkins Glen, New York

Project No.

11173258.61000

Photo No. 3

Date: 2-15-05

**Direction Photo** Taken:

Southeast



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Photo No.

Date:

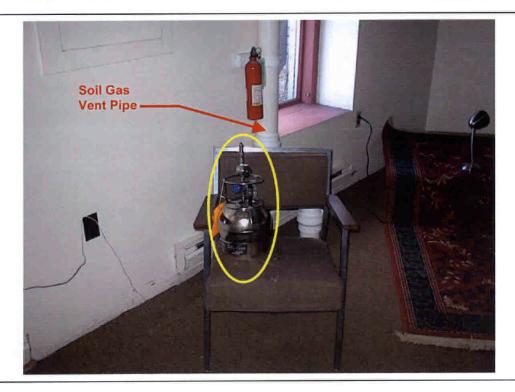
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**Direction Photo** Taken:

Northeast

### Description:

Back room of site building, with ambient air sample "INDOOR-0205" being collected. Pipe to soil gas venting system in background.



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### **ATTACHMENT 3**

### CHAIN OF CUSTODY/ SAMPLING DATA SHEET

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### **Summa Canister Sampling Field Data Sheet**

Site: NYSDEC - 20 N. Franklin Site, Watkins Glen, NY

Samplers: Kevin J. McGovern

Date: 2/15/05

Date.	2/13/03					
Sample #	INDOOR-02	205	SOILGAS-0205			
Location	Indoors		Gas Exhaust			
Summa Canister ID (Lab ID, if provided)	2967		93104			
Additional Tubing Added	YES - How	much	NO/ YES - How much 2'14-20 hory	NO/ YES - How much	NO/ YES - How much	NO/ YES - How much
Purge Time (Start)	NO		09.50			
Purge Time (Stop)	1		\$ 10.10			
Total Purge Time (min) [recommended time is 20 min for 1L canister]			20 14 /2			
Pressure Gauge - before sampling	1		NA			
Sample Time (Start)	0950		10/13			
Sample Time (Stop)	13.50		10:15			
Total Sample Time (min)	240		2			
Pressure Gauge - after sampling	ACM		MX			
Canister Pressure Went To Ambient Pressure?	YES (N	0	YES / NO	YES / NO	YES / NO	YES / NO
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# ATTACHMENT 4 LABORATORY REPORT

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### Client Sample ID: INDOOR-0205

GC/MS Volatiles

Lot-Sample # H5B160106 - 001

Work Order # G4HGE1AC

Matrix.....: AIR

454 6 8 18 mm

2/15/05 2/18/05 Date Received..: 2/16/05 Analysis Date... 2/18/05

 Date Sampled...:
 2/15/6

 Prep Date......:
 2/18/6

 Prep Batch #....:
 50533

 Dilution Factor.:
 1.85

 5053200

Method...... TO-14

PARAMETER .	RESULTS (ppb(v/v))	REPORTING LIMIT (ppb(v/v))	RESUL	TS (ug/m3)	REPORTING LIMIT (ug/m3)
trans-1,3-Dichloropropene	ND	0.37	ND		1.7
Acetone	8.3	9.2	20	J	22
Ethylbenzens	3.4	0.37	15		1.6
2-Нехалопе	ND	0.92	ND		3.8
Methylene chloride	0.20	0.92	0.70	J	3.2
Benzene	0.4 <del>6</del>	0.37	1.5	_	1.2
Styrene	0.20	0.37	0.84	J	1.6
1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane	ND	0.37	ND		2.5
Tetrachloroethene	0.25	0.37	1.7	J	2.5
Toluene	2.2	0.37	8.2		1.4
1,1,1-Trichloroethane	ND	0.37	ND		2.0
1,1,2-Trichloroethane	ND	0.37	ND		2.0
Trichloroethene	ND	· 0.37	ND		2.0
Vinyl chloride	ND	0.37	ND		0.95
o-Xylene	4.3	0.37	19		1.6
m-Xylene & p-Xylene	13	0.37	55		1.6
Bromodichloromethane	ND	0.37	ND		2.5
2-Butanone (MEK)	0.83	0.92	2,5	J	2.7
4-Methyl-2-pentanone (MIBK)	ND	0.92	ND		3.8
Bromoform	ND	0.37	ND		3.8
Bromomethane	ND	Q.37	ND		1.4
Carbon disulfide	ND	0.37	ND		1.2
Carbon tetrachloride	ND	0.37	ND		2.3
Chlorobenzene	ND	0.37	ND		1.7
Dibromochloromethane	ND	0.37	ND		3.2
Chloroethane	ND	0.37	ND		0.98
Chloroform	ND	0.37	ND		1.8
Chloromethane	0.56	0.92	1.2	J	1.9
1.1-Dichloroethane	ND	0.37	ND		1.5
1,2-Dichloroethane	ND	0.37	ND		1.5
1,1-Dichloroethene	ND	0.37	ND		1.5
cis-1,2-Dichloroethene	ND	0.37	ND		1.5
trans-1,2-Dichloroethene	ND	0.37	ND		1.5
1,2-Dichloropropane	ND	0.37	ND		1.7
cis-1,3-Dichloropropene	ND	0.37	ND		1.7

### Client Sample ID: INDOOR-0205

### **GC/MS** Volatiles

Lot-Sample # H5B160106 - 001	Work Order # G4HGE1AC	Matrix: AIR
SURROGATE	PERCENT RECOVERY	LABORATORY CONTROL LIMITS (%)
1,2-Dichloroethane-d4	109	70 - 130
Toluene-d8	104	70 - 130
4-Bromofluorobenzene	117	70 - 130

### Qualifiers

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The 'Result' in ug/m3 is calculated using the following equation: Amount Found(before rounding)\*(Molecular Weight/24.45)

The 'Reporting Limit' in ug/m3 is calculated using the following equation: (Reporting Limit(before rounding) \* Dilution Factor) \* (Molecular Weight/24.45)

### Client Sample ID: SOILGAS-0205

### GC/MS Volatiles

Lot-Sample # H5B160106 - 002

Work Order # G4HGF1AC

Matrix....: AIR

Date Sampled...:

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2/15/05

Date Received..: 2/16/05 Analysis Date... 2/18/05

Prep Date.....:

2/18/05

Prep Batch #....:

5053200

Dilution Factor.:

1.35

Method..... TO-14

PARAMETER	RESULTS (ppb(v/v))	REPORTING LIMIT (ppb(v/v))	RESUL <sup>1</sup>	rs (ug/m3)	REPORTING LIMIT (ug/m3)
trans-1,3-Dichloropropene	ND	0.27	ND		1.2
Acetone	1.3	6.8	3.0	J	16
Ethylbenzene	ND	0.27	ND		1.2
2-Hexanone	ND	0.68	ND		2.8
Methylene chloride	0,17	0.68	0.60	J	2.3
Benzene	ND	0.27	ND		0-86
Styrene	ND	0.27	ND		1.2
1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane	ND	0.27	ND		1.9
Tetrachloroethene	20	0.27	130		1.8
Toluone	0.21	0.27	0.79	J	1.0
l, l, l-Trichloroethane	ND	0.27	ND		1.5
1,1,2-Trichloroethane	ND	0.27	ND		1.5
Trichloroethene	1.1	0.27	6.1		1.5
Vinyl chloride	ND	0.27	ND		0.69
o-Xylene	ND	0.27	ND		1.2
m-Xylene & p-Xylene	0.31	0.27	1.4		1.2
Bromodichloromethane	ND	0.27	ND		1.8
2-Butanone (MEK)	ND	0.68	ND		2.0
4-Methyl-2-pentanone (MIBK)	ND	0.68	ND		2.8
Bromoform	ND	0.27	ND		2.8
Bromomethane	ND	0.27	ND		1.0
Carbon disulfide	ND	0,27	ND		0.84
Carbon tetrachloride	ND	0.27	ND		1.7
Chlorobenzene	ND	0.27	ND		1.2
Dibromochloromethane	ND	0.27	ND		2.3
Chlorocthane	ND	0.27	ND		0.71
Chloroform	0.24	0.27	1.2	J	1.3
Chloromethane	ND	0.68	ND		1.4
1,1-Dichlorocthane	ND	0.27	ND		1.1
1,2-Dichloroethane	ND	0.27	ND		1.1
1,1-Dichloroethene	ND	0.27	ND		1.1
cis-1,2-Dichloroethene	1.5	0.27	5.9		1.1
trans-1,2-Dichloroethene	מא	0.27	ND		1.1
1,2-Dichloropropano	ND	0.27	ND		1.2
cis-1,3-Dichloropropene	ND	0.27	ND		1.2

### Client Sample ID: SOILGAS-0205

### GC/MS Volatiles

Lot-Sample # H5B160106 - 002	Work Order# G4HGF1AC	Matrix AIR
SURROGATE	PERCENT RECOVERY	LABORATORY CONTROL LIMITS (%)
1,2-Dichloroethane-d4	112	70 - 130
Toluene-d8	101	70 - 130
4-Bromofluorobenzene	112	70 - 130

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# BI-MONTHLY LETTER REPORT ACTIVE VENTING SYSTEM OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE FEBRUARY 2005 SAMPLING EVENT NORTH FRANKLIN STREET SITE SITE #8-49-002 VILLAGE OF WATKINS GLEN, NEW YORK

### **Prepared For:**

## NEW YORK STATE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION DIVISION OF ENVIRONMENTAL REMEDIATION WORK ASSIGNMENT D003825-09.3

**FINAL** 

Prepared By:

URS CORPORATION 77 GOODELL STREET BUFFALO, NEW YORK 14203 Mr. David J. Chiusano, Project Manager New York State Department of Environmental Conservation Division of Environmental Remediation 625 Broadway 12th Floor Albany, New York 12233-7013

**RE:** NYSDEC Standby Contract

Active Venting System Operation and Maintenance # D003825-09.3
February 2005 Sampling Event
North Franklin Street Site, Site No. 8-49-002
Summary of Operation and Maintenance Activities: Bi-Monthly Letter Report

Dear Mr. Chiusano:

URS Corporation (URS) has completed the fifth of six visits to the above-referenced system to conduct bi-monthly operation and maintenance (O&M). This work was performed in accordance with the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (NYSDEC) Project Management Work Plan (PMWP)/Budget Estimate (NYSDEC, July 2003).

The O&M consisted of performing system checks to ensure that the system is operating properly and to collect representative samples of the indoor air and the system's soil gas exhaust. The O&M activities were conducted by URS personnel on February 15, 2005. Documentation of the O&M activities is provided in the Daily Construction Report, included in Attachment 1.

### Inspection

URS's inspection of the system revealed that it was working properly, expulsing soil gas at a rate of 910 feet per minute. The velocity of the exhaust was measured by inserting the probe of an air velocity meter (TSI Velocicheck Model 8340) into a sampling port located on the side of the exhaust stack. The site's landlord was not present during this O&M event. It should be noted that the site building has not been occupied since before the June 2004 O&M event. However, during this O&M event, a new tenant (Past & Presents) was preparing to take up residence. The presence of paints, cleaners and solvents were noted in the back room of the site building (indoor air sampling location). Inspection details are also included in Attachment 1. A photo log is included in Attachment 2.

### Bi-Monthly Air Sampling

As part of the O&M, URS collected two (2) air samples from the following locations:

- One (1) 4-hour indoor air sample was collected in the back room of the site building (INDOOR-0205), adjacent to the above-mentioned paints, cleaners, and solvents; and,
- One (1) soil gas grab sample was collected from the venting system's exhaust stack (SOILGAS-0205).

These samples were collected using SUMMA canisters, in accordance with the protocols outlined in Section 7.1.1 of the United States Environmental Protection Agency's (USEPA's) "SUMMA Canister Sampling" procedures (SOP#: 1704, 7/27/1995). Sampling logs are provided in Attachment 3. Once collected, these samples and corresponding chain of custody (see Attachment 3) were sent to Severn Trent Laboratories (STL) in Knoxville, Tennessee (a New York State Department of Health [NYSDOH] approved laboratory) for volatile organic compound (VOC) analysis via USEPA Method TO-15. The table below summarizes the analytical data. A copy of the laboratory report is included in Attachment 4.

		Samp	le I.D.	OSHA	NYSDOH
Compound	Units	INDOOR-0205	SOILGAS-0205	Permissible Exposure Level <sup>(1)</sup>	Indoor Air Criteria
Acetone	ug/m³	20 (estimated)	3.0 (estimated)	2,400,000	None Available
Benzene	ug/m³	1.5	Not Detected	31,946.83	None Available
Chloroform	ug/m³	Not Detected	1.2 (estimated)	240,000	None Available
Chloromethane	ug/m³	1.2 (estimated)	Not Detected	206,503.07	None Available
cis-1,2- Dichloroethene	ug/m³ Not Detected		5.9	Not Available	None Available
Ethylbenzene	ug/m³	15	Not Detected	435,000	None Available
Methylene Chloride	ug/m <sup>3</sup> 0.70 (estimated)		0.60 (estimated)	86,850.72	None Available
Styrene	ug/m³	0.84 (estimated)	Not Detected	425,930.47	None Available
Tetrachloroethene	ug/m³	1.7 (estimated)	130	678,323.11	100 <sup>(2)</sup>
Toluene	Toluene ug/m³ 8.2		0.79 (estimated)	753,619.63	None Available
Trichloroethene ug/m³ Not Detected		6.1	537,423.31	5 <sup>(3)</sup>	
o-Xylene	ug/m³	19	Not Detected	435,000	None Available
m&p-Xylene	ug/m³	55	1.4	435,000	None Available
2-Butanone (MEK)	ug/m³	2.5 (estimated)	Not Detected	590,000	None Available

<sup>1 -</sup> Sources: 29 CFR 1910.1000 and 29 CFR 1910.1052

<sup>2 -</sup> Source: Fact Sheet Tetrachloroethene (PERC) Indoor Outdoor Air, NYSDOH (May 2003)

<sup>3 -</sup> Source: NYSDOH letter from N. Kim to D. Desnoyers, Division of Environmental Remediation, NYSDEC (October 31, 2003)

As shown in the table above, the concentration of VOCs detected in the indoor air sample complies with applicable OSHA criteria, with the estimated concentration of tetrachloroethene detected (1.7 ug/m³) well below the NYSDOH indoor air criteria (100 ug/m³).

It should be noted that the concentration of xylenes and toluene detected in the indoor air sample have increased since the December O&M event. These increases are most likely the result of the above-mentioned paints and solvents staged adjacent to the indoor air sampling location. The remainder of the compounds detected had concentrations at or near their corresponding reporting limits.

Should you have any questions or comments, please do not hesitate to contact me at 716-856-5636.

Sincerely,

**URS** Corporation

Charles E. Dusel, Jr. Sr. Project Manager

Attachments

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cc:

Kevin J. McGovern, P.G., CPG -URS

# ATTACHMENT 1 DAILY CONSTRUCTION REPORT

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## ATTACHMENT 2 PHOTO LOG



### **PHOTOGRAPHIC LOG**

### Client Name:

New York State Department of Environmental Conservation

### Site Location:

20 N. Franklin St., Watkins Glen, New York

Project No.

11173258.61000

Photo No.

Date: 2-15-05

Direction Photo Taken:

Southeast



Site Building (20 N. Franklin St.), with new tenant (Past & Presents).



Photo No.

. Date:

2 2-15-05

Direction Photo Taken:

Southwest

### Description:

Back room of site building (indoor air sampling location). Paints and other assorted solvents designated for remodeling present.





### PHOTOGRAPHIC LOG

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New York State Department of Environmental Conservation

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20 N. Franklin St., Watkins Glen, New York

Project No.

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Photo No.

Date: 2-15-05

Direction Photo Taken:

Southeast



Back room of site building (indoor air sampling location). Paints and other assorted solvents designated for remodeling present.



Photo No.

Date: 2-15-05

Direction Photo Taken:

Northeast

### Description:

Back room of site building, with ambient air sample "INDOOR-0205" being collected. Pipe to soil gas venting system in background.



### **ATTACHMENT 3**

### CHAIN OF CUSTODY/ SAMPLING DATA SHEET

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### **Summa Canister Sampling Field Data Sheet**

Site: NYSDEC - 20 N. Franklin Site, Watkins Glen, NY

Samplers: Kevin J. McGovern

Date: 2/15/05

Sample #	INDOOR-0205	SOILGAS-0205			
Location	Indoors	Gas Exhaust			
Summa Canister ID (Lab ID, if provided)	2967	93104			
Additional Tubing Added	YES - How much	NO/ YES - How much 2'14-20 hu:	NO/ YES - How much	NO/ YES - How much	NO/ YES - How much
Purge Time (Start)	NO	09.50			
Purge Time (Stop)	1	\$ 10.13			
Total Purge Time (min) [recommended time is 20 min for 1L canister]		20 M/N			
Pressure Gauge - before sampling	1	NA			
Sample Time (Start)	0950	19/13			
Sample Time (Stop)	13.50	10:15			
Total Sample Time (min)	240	2			
Pressure Gauge - after sampling	N/M	MA			
Canister Pressure Went To Ambient Pressure?	YES (NO)	YES / NO	YES / NO	YES / NO	YES / NO
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## ATTACHMENT 4 LABORATORY REPORT

### Client Sample ID: INDOOR-0205

GC/MS Volatiles

Lot-Sample # H5B160106 - 001

Work Order # G4HGE1AC

Matrix....:

AIR

Date Sampled...: Prep Date....:

2/15/05

ND

ND

Date Received ..: 2/16/05

Analysis Date... 2/18/05

Prep Batch #....: Dilution Factor.:

1,2-Dichloropropane

cis-1,3-Dichloropropene

2/18/05 5053200

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Method...... TO-14

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### Client Sample ID: INDOOR-0205

### GC/MS Volatiles

Lot-Sample # H5B160106 - 001	Work Order # G4HGE1AC	Matrix: AIR
SURROGATE	PERCENT RECOVERY	LABORATORY CONTROL LIMITS (%)
1,2-Dichloroethane-d4	109	70 - 130
Toluene-d8	104	70 - 130
4-Bromofluorobenzene	117	70 - 130

### Qualifiers

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### Client Sample ID: SOILGAS-0205

### GC/MS Volatiles

Lot-Sample # H5B160106 - 002

Work Order # G4HGF1AC

Matrix....: AIR

Date Sampled...: Prep Date.....

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2/15/05

Date Received ..: 2/16/05

Prep Batch #....: Dilution Factor.:

2/18/05

Analysis Date... 2/18/05

5053200

1.35

Method.....: TO-14

PARAMETER	RESULTS (ppb(v/v))	REPORTING LIMIT (ppb(v/v))	RESUL	TS (ug/m3)	REPORTING LIMIT (ug/m3)
trans-1,3-Dichloropropene	ND	0.27	ND		1.2
Acetone	1.3	6.8	3.0	J	16
Ethylbenzene	ND	0.27	ND		1.2
2-Hexanone	ND	0.68	ND		2.8
Methylene chloride	0,17	0.68	0.60	J	2.3
Benzene	ND	0.27	ND		0.86
Styrene	ND	0.27	ND		1.2
1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane	ND	0.27	ND		1.9
Tetrachloroethene	20	0.27	130		1.8
Toluone	0.21	0.27	0.79	J	1.0
l, l, l-Trichloroethane	ND	0.27	ND		1.5
1,1,2-Trichloroethane	ND	0.27	ND		1.5
Trichloroethene	1.1	0.27	6.1		1.5
Vinyl chloride	ND	0.27	ND		0.69
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m-Xylene & p-Xylene	0.31	0.27	1.4		1.2
Bromodichloromethane	ND	0.27	ND		1.8
2-Butanone (MEK)	ND	0.68	ND		2.0
4-Methyl-2-pentanone (MIBK)	ND	0.68	ND		2.8
Bromoform	ND	0.27	ND		2.8
Bromomethane	ND	0.27	ND		1.0
Carbon disulfide	ND	0,27	ND		0.84
Carbon tetrachloride	ND	0.27	ND		1.7
Chlorobenzene	ND	0.27	ND		1.2
Dibromochloromethane	ND	0.27	ND		2.3
Chlorocthane	ND	0.27	ND		0.71
Chloroform	0.24	0.27	1.2	J	1.3
Chloromethane	ND	0.68	ND		1.4
l, l-Dichloroethane	ND	0.27	ND		1.1
1,2-Dichloroethane	ND	0.27	ND		1.1
1,1-Dichloroethene	ND	0.27	ND		1.1
cis-1,2-Dichloroethene	1.5	0.27	5.9		1.1
rans-1,2-Dichloroethene	ND	0.27	ND		1.1
1,2-Dichloropropane	ND	0.27	ND		1.2
cis-1,3-Dichloropropene	ND	0.27	ND		1. <b>2</b>

### Client Sample ID: SOILGAS-0205

### GC/MS Volatiles

Lot-Sample # H5B160106 - 002	Work Order # G4HGF1AC	Matrix AIR
SURROGATE	PERCENT RECOVERY	Laboratory Control Limits (%)
1,2-Dichloroethane-d4 Toluene-d8	112 101	70 - 130
4-Bromofluorobenzene	112	70 - 130 70 - 130

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