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RE: Site Response Action Status Report – October 1, 2012 through October 31, 2012
Former Tidewater Facility
Pawtucket, Rhode Island
RIDEM Case No. 95-022

The following summarizes response actions completed at the above-referenced site for the period October 1, 2012 through October 31, 2012.

SITE ACTIVITIES PERFORMED

- Performed Site visits to document security conditions and sheen observations, if present.
- Performed round of quarterly NAPL monitoring and recovery from the groundwater monitoring well network. This event was performed by GZA between October 23 and 24, 2012.
- Continued preparation of the draft Public Involvement Plan (PIP) for the Site.
- Continued to develop a website specifically related to the investigation and remediation of the Tidewater Site (www.tidewatersite.com). The website was made available in October 2012.
- Prepared and disseminated Notification Package to public regarding additional methods for enhancing public communications related to the investigation and remediation of the Tidewater Site. These additional public communication methods include the development of a Site specific website, establishment of a phone message system, and the installation of informational bulletin boards at the Site. The Notification Package dated October 25, 2012 was distributed to property abutters and the current Site contact list via mail and e-mail.

FUTURE RESPONSE ACTION WORK/SCHEDULE

- Continue quarterly NAPL monitoring and recovery. The next event is scheduled for January 2013.
- Continue Site visits to document Site security conditions and sheen observations.



- Complete evaluation of potential volatile emissions associated with planned STRAP activities related to the south washout area. We currently anticipate the results of this air modeling will be submitted to RIDEM in late 2012.
- It is currently anticipated that the electrical substation upgrade project will begin the week of November 12, 2012. GZA will perform environmental oversight, air monitoring, and soil management activities on behalf of National Grid during this work. The air monitoring will be performed consistent with GZA's September 28, 2012 summary memo which was submitted to RIDEM.
- Continue preparation of the draft PIP associated with the planned environmental cleanup of the Site. We currently anticipate the draft PIP will be submitted to RIDEM in November 2012.

We trust that the above is acceptable. Please call me if you have any questions at 401-421-4140 Ext. 2719 or Michele Leone at 781-907-3651.

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