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Re: Work plan for investigations at the Former Berglin Corporation, located at 22313 Meekland Avenue, Hayward, California

Dear Mr. Schmidt,

This office has reviewed over P & D Environmental's September 26, 1996 work plan for the above site and the TAC Environmental Services (TAC) report, dated August 27, 1996, documenting the site condition and analytical results for Sample SB-1. Based on our review of these reports, this office is requesting the following additional work:

- o Based on my review of Inspection Reports for other machine shops, it appears that metal grindings were commonly associated with these operations. Additionally, due to the elevated levels of TPHd observed in sample SB-1, it appears that unacceptable levels of Polynuclear Aromatic Hydrocarbons (PNAs), which are the contaminant of greatest concern in TPHd, may be present in site soils. Therefore, this office is requesting that two surficial soil samples (i.e., collected from above 3-feet below ground surface) be analyzed for CAM 17 metals and PNAs, in addition to the analysis of soil samples collected at 5-feet below ground surface.
- o According to TAC's report, "a nozzle connected to what appeared to be a "fill pipe" was noted within the deck area." This seems to imply that there could be an underground storage tank located at the site. The proposed work should include a search for any potential underground storage tanks in this area. It may be necessary to employ a geophysical surveying device to accomplish this task.

If you have any questions or comments, please contact me at (510) 567-6763.

Sincerely,


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