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March 28, 1991

Mr. M. Hossain Kazemi Regional Water Quality Control Board San Francisco Region 1800 Harrison Street Oakland, CA 94612

Mr. Gilbert Wistar Alameda County Health Care Services Agency Hazardous Materials Program 80 Swan Way, Room 200 Oakland, CA 94612

Subject: Plaza Car Wash

400 San Pablo Avenue

Albany, CA

#### Gentlemen:

Enclosed are the results of the samplings done in the El Cerrito creek on February 6, 1991 and March 6, 1991 at the end of significant rainfalls. The analysis of the February 6th sampling was done by Anametrix, Inc. of San Jose, and the analysis of the March 6th sample was done by Superior Analytical Lab of San Francisco. Both results were tabulated by Soil Tech Engineering.

The rain storms after the March 6th sample have been continuous with no 48 hour break between significant storms. We are intending to sample on March 29th and will report these results when they are received.

As I believe you both know I authorized Soil Tech Engineering to drill two additional monitoring wells, the location of which Soil Tech Engineering worked out with Gil Wistar. These new wells along with the two previously monitored wells plus the additional well located between the car wash and the paint shop were sampled on March 11th. The results of these tests will be forthcoming. From what I understand there was no free product observed in any of the wells prior to sampling.

Please contact me if you have any further questions.

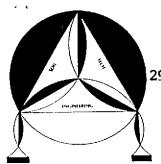
Sincerely,

Murray T. Stevens

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cc: Soil Tech Engineering





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March 22, 1991

File No. 8-90-421-SI

Kamur Industries 2351 Shoreline Drive Alameda, California 94501

ATTENTION: MR. MURRAY STEVENS

SUBJECT:

FEBRUARY AND MARCH 1991 SAMPLING OF EL CERRITO CREEK

LOCATED ADJACENT TO PLAZA CAR WASH

400 San Pablo Avenue, in San Pablo, California

#### Dear Mr. Stevens:

This letter summarizes the surface water sampling of El Cerrito Creek for Kamur Industries by Soil Tech Engineering, Inc. The El Cerrito Creek is located north of Plaza Car Wash at 400 San Pablo Avenue, in Albany, California. The water sampling is the on-going monitoring program to be conducted during raining season within 48 hours following a significant rainfall greater than or equal to 0.25 inches. Samples are taken from four established sampling locations (Figure 1) as required by the California Regional Water Control Board. The four stations are designated as:

- C-1 Approximately 20 feet up-stream from the storm drain outlet
- C-2 The storm drain outlet
- C-3 Confluence of the storm drain flow and El Cerrito Creek
- C-4 50 feet down-stream from the storm drain

Grab water samples taken at the designated locations were analyzed for Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons as Gasoline (TPHg) only.

The grab water samples from each station were collected in 40 ml VOA bottles with no headspace left in the bottle. Each VOA bottle was logged and placed in a cool ice chest and transported to a state-certified laboratory accompanied with a chain-of-custody. During sampling, a mild petroleum odor was noted coming from the storm drain outlet only but no visible sheen was observed.

The analytical results are summarized in Table 1. Results of the samples taken on February 6, 1991, detected TPHg (11 mg/l) at the storm drain outlet (C-2) only. Where as on March 6, 1991, three of the four stations did detected TPHg. At station C-2, TPHg was 55 mg/l; C-3 was 1.1 mg/l; and at C-4, TPHg was 0.12 mg/lrespectively.

STE will continue monitoring El Cerrito Creek per Regional Water Quality Control Board (RWQCB) request. Analytical results will be submitted monthly in a technical report by the 10th of each following month.

If you have any questions or require additional information, please feel free to contact our office at your convenience.

Sincerely,

SOIL TECH ENGINEERING, INC.

GENERAL MANAGER

LAWRENCE KOO, P. E.

C. E. #34928

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TABLE 1
EL CERRITO CREEK RAINFALL EVENT SAMPLING (PPT > 0.250)
TOTAL PETROLEUM HYDROCARBONS AS GASOLINE (TPHg)
RESULTS IN PARTS PER MILLION (ppm)

Date Sampled	Station C-1 TPHg	Station C-2 TPHg	Station C-3 TPHg	Station C-4 TPHg
08/03/89	ND	470	иѕ	2.700
12/08/89	ND	33	ND	ND
01/03/90	ND	99	0.900	0.800
01/15/90	ND	16	0.840	0.160
01/17/90	ND	15	ND	ND
02/02/90	ND	16	0.060	0.130
02/08/90	ND	7	0.100	0.140
02/19/90	ND	26	0.030	0.200
03/06/90	0.065	30	0.600	0.120
03/13/90	ND	30	0.360	0.100
04/06/90	ND	42	3.000	0.400
11/27/90	ND	160	4.400	0.055
12/18/90	ND	33	0.066	ND
01/11/91	ND	14	0.370	ND
02/06/91	ND	11	ND	ND
03/06/91	ND	55	1.1	0.12

PPT = Rainfall Precipitation

NS = Not Sample

ND = Not Detected (Below Detection Limit)

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#### **ANAMETRIX** INC

Environmental & Analytical Chemistry 1961 Concourse Drive, Suite E, San Jose, CA 95131 (408) 432-8192 • Fax (408) 432-8198



MR. FRANK HAMEDI SOIL TECH ENGINEERING 298 BROKAW ROAD SANTA CLARA, CA 95050 Workorder # : 9102073 Date Received : 02/07/91 Project ID : 8-90-421-SI

Purchase Order: N/A

The following samples were received at Anametrix, Inc. for analysis :

ANAMETRIX ID	CLIENT SAMPLE ID
9102073- 1	1
9102073- 2	2
9102073- 3	3
9102073- 4	4

This report consists of 4 pages not including the cover letter, and is organized in sections according to the specific Anametrix laboratory group or section which performed the analysis(es) and generated the data. The Report Summary that precedes each section will help you determine which Anametrix group is responsible for those test results, and will bear the signatures of the department supervisor and the chemist who have reviewed the analytical data. Please refer all questions to the department supervisor who signed the form.

Anametrix is certified by the California Department of Health Services (DHS) to perform environmental testing under Certificate Number 1234. A detailed list of the approved fields of testing can be obtained by calling our office, or the DHS Environmental Laboratory Accreditation Program at (415)540-2800.

If you have any further questions or comments on this report, please give us a call as soon as possible. Thank you for using Anametrix.

Burt Sutherland

Laboratory Director

2-19-91

Date

# REPORT SUMMARY ANAMETRIX, INC. (408)432-8192

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Purchase Order: N/A
Department : GC
Sub-Department: TPH

#### SAMPLE INFORMATION:

ANAMETRIX SAMPLE ID	CLIENT SAMPLE ID	MATRIX	DATE SAMPLED	METHOD
9102073- 1	1	WATER	02/06/91	TPHg
9102073- 2	2	WATER	02/06/91	трнд
9102073- 3	3	WATER	02/06/91	TPHg
9102073- 4	4	WATER	02/06/91	ТРНд

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298 BROKAW ROAD

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QA/QC SUMMARY :

- No QA/QC problems encountered for these samples.

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Department Supervisor Date

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#### ANALYSIS DATA SHEET - TOTAL PETROLEUM HYDROCARBONS (GASOLINE WITH BTEX) ANAMETRIX, INC. - (408) 432-8192

Project Number: 8-90-421-SI Date Released: 02/15/91

Anametrix W.O.: 9102073
Matrix : WATER
Date Sampled : 02/06/91

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ND - Not detected at or above the practical quantitation limit for the method.

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TPHg - Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons as gasoline is determined by GCFID using EPA Method 5030.

RLMF - Reporting Limit Multiplication Factor.
Anametrix control limits for surrogate recovery are 50-150%.

All testing procedures follow California Department of Health Services (Cal-DHS) approved methods.

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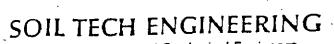


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#### CERTIFICATE OF ANALYSIS

LABORATORY NO.: 53285

DATE RECEIVED: 03/08/91

CLIENT: Soil Tech Engineering

DATE REPORTED: 03/15/91

CLIENT JOB NO.: 8-90-421-SI

## ANALYSIS FOR TOTAL PERTROLEUM HYDROCARBONS by Modified EPA SW-846 Method 8015

LAB		Concentration (ug/L)
#	Sample Identification	Gasoline Range
1	C-1	ND<50
2	C-2	55000
3	C-3	1100
4	C-4	120

ug/L - parts per billion (ppb)

Minimum Detection Limit for Gasoline in Water: 50 ug/L

#### QAQC Summary:

Daily Standard run at 2mg/L: %DIFF Gasoline = <15% MS/MSD Average Recovery = 88%: Duplicate RPD = 2%

Richard Srna, Ph.D.

Laboratory Birector

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