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August 29, 1995

Ms. Juliet Shin Alameda County Health Care Agency Department of Environmental Health Hazardous Materials Division 1131 Harbour Bay Parkway Alameda, CA 94502 STANGOL PUBLO

Re. The work performed for the Underground Storage Tanks at Encinal Terminals, The Unauthorized Release Forms prepared by Geomatrix

Dear Ms. Shin:

In reference to the captioned matter, please find the enclosed letter and its attached forms dated August 25, 1995 written by Ms. Shri Y. Page of Geomatrix, please note that we signed the said forms and returned it herein for your file. If there is any questions you may be concerned regarding to the captioned matter, please do let us know. Thank you very much for your assistance and cooperation.

Very truly yours,

Wang Chengben

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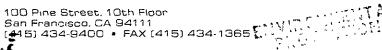
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Ms. Juliet Shin Alameda County Health Care Services Agency 1131 Harbour Bay Parkway Alameda, California 94502

Subject:

Work Plan for Soil Excavation and Sampling

1521 Buena Vista Avenue Alameda, California

Dear Ms. Shin:

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Encinal's earthwork contractor will conduct a limited excavation of soil in the vicinity of soil boring S-15 (Figure 2). Approximately 150 to 200 cubic yards of soil (in-situ) will be excavated using a backhoe and stockpiled on a concrete pad. The proposed plan area of the excavation toe is 20 feet by 30 feet with sidewalls sloped, if necessary, to provide for excavation safety. These bounds may be modified during excavation activities based on field observations. The excavation will be advanced to remove gasoline-affected soil located near the groundwater level, which is expected to be encountered at six to eight feet.

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Sincerely,

GEOMATRIX CONSULTANTS, INC.

Daniel Del Grande, P.E.

Project Engineer

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cc: Sum Arigala, RWQCB

Peter Wang, Encinal Real Estate

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Figure 2 - Excavation Plan

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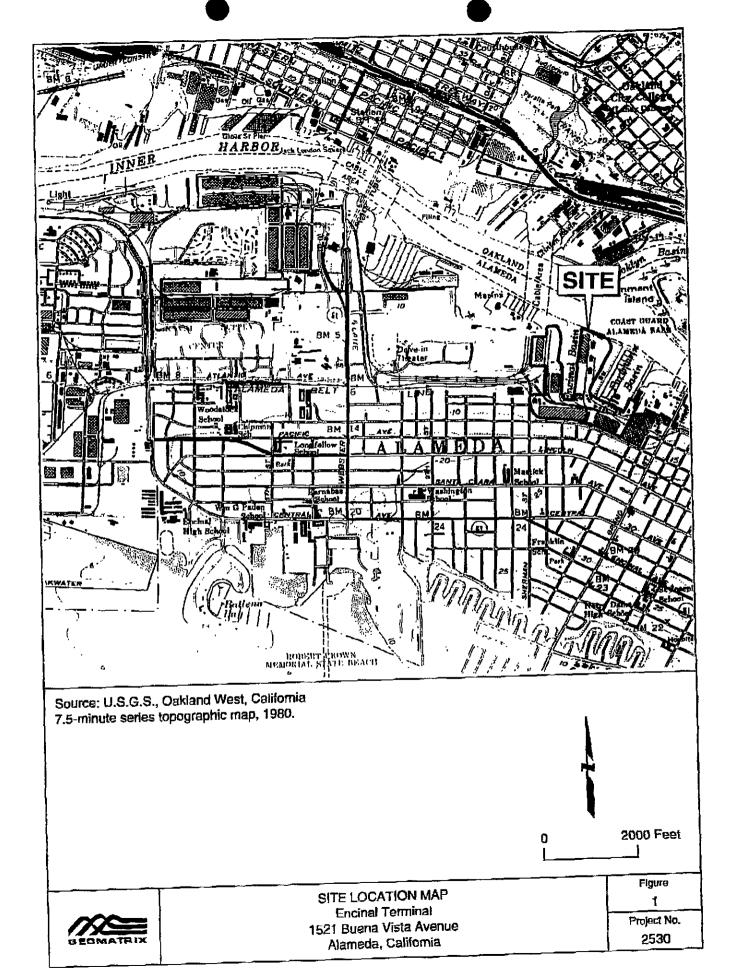
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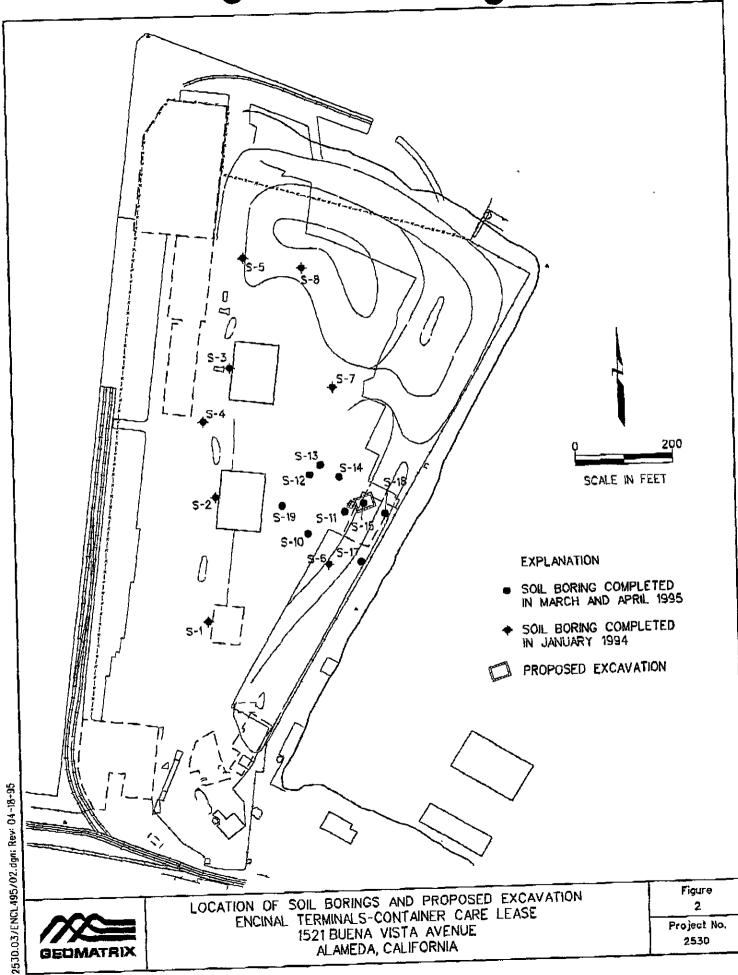
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30 January 1995 Project No. 2530.01

Ms. Juliet Shin Alameda County Health Care Services Agency 1131 Harbour Bay Parkway Alameda, CA 94502

Subject:

Response to Questions Regarding

Workplan Revisions for Encinal Terminals

Alameda, California

#### Dear Juliet:

This letter follows our telephone conversation of 25 January, 1995 regarding Geomatrix's 19 January 1995 letter to you regarding revisions to the workplan submitted to you for the Encinal Terminal Site. During our conversation you had questions relating to the following:

- 1. Size of filter proposed for filtering groundwater samples for diesel analysis:

  We propose to use a 0.2 micron filter: cuill used. 45 micron, fully
- 2. Applicability of testing for EPA Method 8010 and gasoline constituents in the vicinity of the waste oil sump: Although one soil sample already analyzed from the sump vicinity did not contain these constituents, it is not clear from the existing data that the boring location would provide adequate characterization for the potential presence of these constituants. Therefore, we have included these analyses to provide a more complete data set.
- 3. Intended plan for addressing diesel tank "A" after obtaining data from single boring: The intent of the single boring is to obtain a "worst case" groundwater sample from the former diesel tank location. If access is warranted and possible, additional locations between the former diesel tank "A" area and the estuary will be tested to evaluate the extent, if any, of residual constituents in groundwater. The need for additional data will be discussed with ACHCSA after completion of this phase of work.
- 4. ACHCSA requirement of permanent monitoring wells at the site: After completion of this phase of work, the data will be evaluated to assess the potential for significant impact to groundwater or the adjacent estuary. Based on evaluation of the data Geomatrix will discuss our conclusions with ACHCSA to assess the need, if any, for long-term site monitoring.

Geomatrix Consultants, Inc.

Engineers, Geologists, and Environmental Scientists
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Ms. Juliet Shin Alameda County Health Services Agency 30 January 1995 Page 2

Please call me if you have any additional questions or need clarification of any of the above items. Due to the continuing rain, we have temporarily delayed initiation of field work for this program.

Sincerely,

GEOMATRIX CONSULTANTS, INC.

Tom Graf, P.E.

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Ms. Juliet Shin Alameda County Health Care Services Agency 1131 Harbour Bay Parkway Alameda, California 94502

Subject:

Workplan Revisions

Former Petroleum Hydrocarbon Tanks

**Encinal Terminals** 

1521 Buena Vista Avenue Alameda, California

Dear Ms. Shin:

We are sending you this letter on behalf of Encinal Terminals to keep you informed of progress regarding the underground petroleum tank investigations required by Alameda County Health Care Services Agency (ACHCSA) at the project site. You have received two workplans for site characterization dated 22 June 1994 (regarding the former underground gasoline tanks and above ground waste oil tank) and 19 September 1994 (regarding the former underground diesel tanks). In your letters dated 7 July 1994 and 18 October 1994, you indicated that the scope of work is acceptable for preliminary site characterization. Preparation for fieldwork including permitting, completing a health and safety plan, and scheduling began in December 1994. Based on our utility survey and site reconnaissance performed in January 1995, as well as further review, we have made the following changes to the workplans:

- 1. Potential boring locations are severely limited in the vicinity of diesel tank "A" due to the close proximity of the former tank to above-ground bulk liquid tanks, surface piping, sumps, and miscellaneous machinery. We propose to place only one boring near this former tank, to be located within five feet north of the tank excavation. Based on the location of the harbor approximately 100 feet north of the former tank excavation, this boring will likely be downgradient of the former tank.
- 2. All the borings will be completed as temporary piezometers using 1.5-inch diameter slotted casing, and will be protected from surface run-off.
- 3. Based on our previous experience at this site, the borings will encounter the uppermost groundwater within the Bay Mud clay, which has a very low permeability. These borings will produce water very slowly, and a full liter of groundwater may not be recovered during a sampling event. Therefore, detection limits on diesel analyses in groundwater may be higher than 50 micrograms per liter if a full liter of groundwater cannot be recovered from the piezometer.
- 4. It is anticipated that grab groundwater samples recovered from the Bay Mud will have high turbidity. Therefore, the diesel samples will be filtered in the field to remove particulates which are present due to the sampling technique. Biogenic materials may also be present in the soil and should not be quantified as petroleum



Ms. Juliet Shin Alameda County Health Care Services Agency 19 January 1995 Page 2

hydrocarbons. These materials include tallow which has historically been used at this site, and native biogenic material in the organic Bay Mud. Therefore, a silicagel clean-up will be conducted by the laboratory on samples to be analyzed for diesel and/or motor oil prior to analysis.

- 5. In order to meet San Francisco Bay Regional Water Quality Control Board analytical recommendations, groundwater samples from the former gasoline tank areas will be analyzed for lead, and samples from the former waste oil tank area will be analyzed for gasoline by EPA Method 8015 and volatile organics by EPA Method 8010 in addition to the analyses proposed in the workplan. Groundwater samples from the former diesel tank areas will not be analyzed for gasoline as proposed in the workplan based on RWQCB guidelines.
- 6. Acid will not be added to samples to be analyzed for BTEX because of the foaming reaction encountered with previous groundwater samples collected from this site. Samples will be analyzed within allowable holding times for samples without acid (7 days).
- 7. A groundwater sample will be collected for PNA analysis downgradient of the former waste oil tank and the diesel tanks, and a groundwater sample will be collected for analysis of gasoline additives downgradient of the former gasoline tanks after the groundwater gradient survey has been completed.

Because of the temporary nature of the piezometers, we feel it is prudent to conduct fieldwork after the current series of rainstorms. We plan to complete the fieldwork as soon as we can reasonably expect about a week of dry weather.

Please call either of the undersigned if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

GEOMATRIX CONSULTANTS, INC.

Cheri Y. Page, R.G.

**Project Geologist** 

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cc: Mr. Peter Wang - President, Encinal Terminals

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October 24, 1994

Ms. Juliet Shin Alameda County Health Care Agency Department of Environmental Health Hazardous Materials Division 80 Swan Way Room #200 Oakland, CA 94621

Re. The Work plan for soil & Ground water characterization Encinal Terminals, Alameda

Dear Ms. Shin:

In reference to your letter dated October 18, 1994, we will contact to Geomatrix for them to proceed on the studies concerned by the due date. Thanks for your cooperation.

Very truly yours,

Wang Chengben

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DAVID J. KEARS, Agency Director

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DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH Hazardous Materials Division 80 Swan Way, Rm. 200 Oakland, CA 94621 (510) 271-4320

October 18, 1994

Mr. Peter Wang Encinal Terminals 1521 Buena Vista Ave. Alameda, CA 94501

STID 3522

Re: Work plan for Soil and Ground water Characterization at Tank Locations "A" and "B", located at 1521 Buena Vista

Ave., Alameda

Dear Mr. Wang,

This office has reviewed Geomatrix' work plan, dated September 19, 1994, for further soil and ground water investigations at tank locations "A" and "B". It is the understanding of this office that the proposed piezometers are equivalent to permanent monitoring wells, that can be monitored on a quarterly basis per the Regional Water Quality Control Board's guidelines. If not, permanent monitoring wells should be installed, and monitored for a minimum of four quarters. Additionally, please be reminded to screen the monitoring wells adequately above and below the shallowest and deepest historical water tables.

With the above conditions, the work plan is acceptable to this office. Field work should commence within 60 days of the date of this letter. A report documenting the proposed work shall be submitted to this office within 45 days after completing field activities.

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

Sincerely

Juliet Shin

Senior Hazardous Materials Specialist

cc: Cheri Y. Page, R.G.

Geomatrix Consultants, Inc. 100 Pine St., 10th Floor San Francisco, CA 94111

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August 25, 1994

Juliet Shin Alameda County Department of Environmental Health 1131 Harbor Bay Park Way, Ste 250 Alameda, California 94502

Re: 1521 Buena Vista Avenue, Alameda, California

Subject: Closure of Tank Removal Excavations

Dear Ms. Shin,

Per our telephone conversation today, Semco has been directed by the owner of the above referenced property to close the excavations remaining from the tank removal activities. All soil excavated during the tank removal will be stockpiled on site, and covered with plastic per state and local codes. The excavations will be backfilled with clean imported fill material, and resurfaced with concrete per the Semco Proposal #93-3504.

As this activity will close out our current contract with the property owner, further involvement by Semco in this project is uncertain. I have informed the property owner that the environmental issues will need to be addressed at some point in time.

If you should have any questions please feel free to contact me at (209) 524-9653

Sincerely, Semco

Doug Flaming,

Operations Manager

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July 7, 1994

Mr. Peter Wang Encinal Terminals 1521 Buena Vista Ave. Alameda, CA 94501

STID 3522

Re: Work plan for Encinal Terminals, located at 1521 Buena Vista Avenue, Alameda, California

Dear Mr. Wang,

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## ALAMEDA COUNTY, DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH

80 Swan Way, #200 Oakland, CA 94621 (415) 271-4320

#### **Hazardous Materials Division Inspection Form**

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## ALAMEDA COUNTY, DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH

80 Swan Way, #200 Oakland, CA 94621 (415) 271-4320

#### <u>Hazardous Materials Division Inspection Form</u>

	Site ID# 3522	Site Nam	e Encinal Terminals Today's Date 4,5, 99
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## Encinal Terminals

(510) 523-8800 FAX (510) 521-5814 1521 BUENA VISTA AVENUE P.O. BOX 2453 ALAMEDA, CA 94501-0251

February 1, 1994

Ms. Juliet Shin Alameda County Health Care Agency Department of Environmental Health Hazardous Materials Division 1131 Harbour Bay Parkway Alameda, CA 94502

Re. The Work Plan for Soil & Ground water characterization Encinal Terminals, Alameda

Dear Ms. Shin:

In reference to the enclosed letter dated January 30, 1995 written by Mr. Tom Graf of Geomatrix regarding to the captioned project, we agreed and contracted Geomatrix to proceed on the said project. If there is any questions you may be concerned, please do let us know. Thank you very much for your cooperation.

Very truly yours,

Wang Chengben

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ALAMEDA COUNTY HEALTH CARE SERVICES AGENCY
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH
HAZARDOUS MATERIALS DIVISION
80 SWAN WAY, ROOM 200
OAKLAND, CA 94621
PHONE NO. 415/271-4320

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UNDERGROUND TANK CLOSURE PLAN

\* \* Complete according to attached instructions \* \* \*

1.	Business Name Alameda Termina	ls			
	Business Owner Peter Wo	ng			
2.	Site Address 1521 Buena Vista	Avenue			
	CityAlameda	Zip	94501	Phone (510)	523-2528
3.	Mailing Address P.O. Box 245	3			
	CityAlameda	Zip	94501_	Phone (510)	523-2528
4.	Land Owner Peter Wong		Alar	meda, CA	<del>-</del>
	Address 1521 Buena Vista Ave.	_ City, S	tate	Z	ip 9 <u>4501</u>
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Project Specialist (print)

6.	Contractor SEMCO
	Address 1741 Leslie Street
	City San Mateo. CA 94402 Phone (415) 572-8033
	License Type A.B. & C-61 ID# 449864
7.	Consultant N/A
	Address
محري	City Phone
8.	Contact Person for Investigation
	Name _Chuck Kiper Title _Vice-President
	Phone (415) 572-8033
9.	Number of tanks being closed under this plan
	Length of piping being removed under this plan undetermined
	Total number of tanks at facility
LO.	State Registered Hazardous Waste Transporters/Facilities (see instructions).
	** Underground tanks are hazardous waste and must be handled ** as hazardous waste
	a) Product/Residual Sludge/Rinsate Transporter
	Name Allied Petroleum EPA I.D. No. CAL 000112314
	Hauler License No. 1168 License Exp. Date 14/30/94
	Address 1217 7TH Street
	City Modesto State CA Zip 95351
	b) Product/Residual Sludge/Rinsate Disposal Site
	Name Refineries Services EPA I.D. No.CAD083166728
	Address 13331 West Highway 33
•	City Patterson State CA Zip 95363

C	) Tank and Piping Transporter
	Name RHT Trucking EPA I.D. No. CAL, 000112413
	Hauler License No. 2753 License Exp. Date 4/30/94
	Address 1217 7TH Street
	City Modesto State CA Zip 95351
	d) Tank and Piping Disposal Site
<b>A</b>	Name Erickson EPA I.D. No. CAD009466392
	Address 255 Parr Blvd.
	City Richmond State CA: Zip 94801
-:	xperienced Sample Collector  NameChuck Kiper  CompanySEMCO
	Address 1741 Leslie Street
	City San Mateo State CA Zip 94402 Phone (415)572-8033  aboratory
	Name Superior Analytical
	Address 1555 Burke Unit I
-	City San Francisco State CA Zip 94124
	State Certification No. 1332 & 319
13. H	Have tanks or pipes leaked in the past? Yes [ ] No [X]
I	f yes, describe.
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14. Describe methods to be used for rendering tank inert

High pressure hot water detergent wash.	
20 lbs. per 1000 gallons dry ice.	
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Before tanks are pumped out and inerted, all associated piping must be flushed out into the tanks. All accessible associated piping must then be removed. Inaccessible piping must be plugged.

The Bay Area Air Quality Management District (771-6000), along with local Fire and Building Departments, must also be contacted for tank removal permits. Fire departments typically require the use of explosion proof combustible gas meters to verify tank inertness. It is the contractor's responsibility to bring a working combustible gas meter on site to verify tank inertness.

#### 15. Tank History and Sampling Information

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One soil sample must be collected for every 20 feet of piping that is removed. A ground water sample must be collected should any ground water be present in the excavation.

# Stockpiled Soil Volume (Estimated) Anywhere from approx. 25 to 100 cy Sampling Plan Soil samples taken from the tank excavation will be collected, placed in brass tubes, sealed with foil, Teflon caps, sealed with approved tape, placed on ice, transported to state certified lab under chain of custody and analyzed for constituents of tank. Sampling Plan Soil samples taken from the tank excavation will be collected, placed in brass tubes, sealed with approved tape, placed on ice, transported to state certified lab under chain of custody and analyzed for constituents of tank. Sampling Plan Soil samples taken from the tank excavation will be collected, placed in brass tubes, sealed with approved tape, placed on ice, transported to state certified lab under chain of custody and analyzed for constituents of tank. Sampling Plan Soil samples taken from the tank excavation will be collected, placed in brass tubes, sealed with approved tape, placed on ice, transported to state certified lab under chain of custody and analyzed for constituents of tank. Sampling Plan Soil samples taken from the tank excavation will be collected, placed in brass tubes, sealed with approved tape, placed on ice, transported to state certified lab under chain of custody and analyzed for constituents of tank.

Stockpiled soil must be placed on bermed plastic and must be completely covered by plastic sheeting.

16. Chemical methods and associated detection limits to be used for analyzing samples

The Tri-Regional Board recommended minimum verification analyses and practical quantitation reporting limits should be followed. See attached Table 2.

Contaminant Sought	EPA, DE Sample Method	S, or Other Preparation Number	EPA, DHS, o Other Analy Method Numb	sis	Metl Dete Lim	ection	
Diesel, Jet Kerosene		TPH D BTX&E	GCFID(3550) 8020 or 8240	TPH BTX		GCFID(353	
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17. Submit Site Health and Safety Plan (See Instructions)

18.	Submit Worker's Compensation Certificate copy	
•	Name of Insurer Superior National Insurance Company	<u> </u>
19.	Submit Plot Plan (See Instructions)	
20.	Enclose Deposit (See Instructions)	
21.	Report any leaks or contamination to this office within 5 days of discovery. The report shall be made on an Underground Storage Tank Unauthorized Leak/Contamination Site Report form. (see Instructions)	
22.	Submit a closure report to this office within 60 days of the tank removal. This report must contain all the information listin item 22 of the instructions.	ted
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#### INSTRUCTIONS

#### General Instructions

- \* Three (3) copies of this plan plus attachments and deposit must be submitted to this Department.
- \* Any cutting into tanks requires local fire department approval.
- \* One complete copy of your approved plan must be at the construction site at all times; a copy of your approved plan must also be sent to the landowner.

#### Item Specific Instructions

- 2. <u>SITE ADDRESS</u>
  Address at which closure is taking place.
- 5. <u>EPA I.D. NO. under which the tanks will be manifested</u>
  EPA I.D. numbers may be obtained from the State Department of
  Health Services, 916/324-1781.
- 6. <u>CONTRACTOR</u>
  Prime contractor for the project.
- 10. STATE REGISTERED HAZARDOUS WASTE TRANSPORTERS/FACILITIES
  - a) All residual liquids and sludges are to be removed from tanks before tanks are inerted.
  - c) Tanks must be hauled as hazardous waste.
  - d) This is the place where tanks will be taken for cleaning.
- 15. TANK HISTORY AND SAMPLING INFORMATION

  Use Histor This information is essential and must be accurate.

  Include that installation date, products stored in the tank, and the date when the tank was last used.

Material to be sampled - e.g. water, oil, sludge, soil, etc...

Location and depth of samples - e.g. beneath the tank a maximum of two feet below the native soil/backfill interface, side wall at the high water mark, etc.

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#### 17. SITE HEALTH AND SAFETY PLAN

A <u>site specific</u> Health and Safety plan must be submitted. We advocate the site health and safety plan include the following items, at a minimum:

- a) The name and responsibilities of the site health and safety officer;
- b) Identification of health and safety hazards of each work task. Include potential fire, explosion, physical, and chemical hazards;
- c) An outline of briefings to be held before work each day to appraise employees of site health and safety hazards;
- d) Frequency and types of air and personnel monitoring to be used - along with the environmental sampling techniques and instrumentation. Include instrumentation maintenance and calibration methods and frequencies;
- e) Specific personal protective equipment and procedures to be used by workers to protect themselves from the identified hazards. Also state the contaminant concentrations in air or other conditions which will trigger changes in work or work habits to ensure workers are not exposed to high levels of hazardous chemicals or to other unsafe conditions;
- f) Confined space entry procedures (if applicable);
- g) Decontamination procedures;
- h) Measures to be taken to secure the site, excavation and stockpiled soil during and after work hours (e.g. barricades, caution tape, fencing, trench plates, security guards, etc.);
- i) Spill containment and emergency/contingency plan. Be sure to include emergency phone numbers, the location of the phone nearest the site, and directions to the hospital nearest the site;
- j) Documentation that all site workers have received the appropriate OSHA approved trainings and participate in appropriate medical surveillance per 29 CFR 1910.120; and
- k) Page for employees to sign indicating they have read and will comply with the site health and safety plan.

The safety plan must be distributed to all employees and contractors working in hazardous waste operations on site. A complete copy of the site health and safety plan along with any standard operating procedures shall be on site and accessible at all times.

NOTE: These requirements are <u>excerpts</u> from 29 CFR Part 1910.120, Hazardous Waste Operations and Emergency Response; Final Rule, March 6, 1989. Safety plans of certain underground tank sites may need to meet the <u>complete</u> requirements of this Rule.

#### 19. PLOT PLAN

The plan should consist of a scaled view of the facility at which the tank(s) are located and should include the following information:

- a) Scale;
- b) North Arrow;
- c) Property Lines;
- d) Location of all Structures;
- e) Location of all relevant existing equipment including tanks and piping to be removed and dispensers;
- f) Streets;
- g) Underground conduits, sewers, water lines, utilities;
- h) Existing wells (drinking, monitoring, etc.);
- i) Depth to ground water; and
- j) All existing tanks and piping in addition to the ones being pulled.

#### 20. DEPOSIT

A deposit, payable to Alameda County for the amount indicated on the Alameda County Underground Storage Tank Fee Schedule, must accompany the plans.

21. Blank Unauthorized Leak/Contamination Site Report forms may be obtained in limited quantities from our office and from the San Francisco Bay Regional Water Quality Control Board (415/464-1255). Larger quantities may be obtained directly from the State Water Resources Control Board at (916) 739-2421.

#### 22. TANK CLOSURE REPORT

The tank closure report should contain the following information:

- a) General description of the closure activities;
- b) Description of tank, fittings and piping conditions. Indicate tank size and former contents; note any corrosion, pitting, holes, etc.;

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- c) Description of the excavation itself. Include the tank and excavation depth, a log of the stratigraphic units encountered within the excavation, a description of root holes or other potential contaminant pathways, the depth to any observed ground water, descriptions and locations of stained or odor-bearing soil, and descriptions of any observed free product or sheen;
- d) Description of sampling methods;
- e) Description of any remedial measures conducted at the time of tank removal;
- f) To-scale figures showing the excavation size and depth, nearby buildings, sample locations and depths, and tank and piping locations. Include a copy of the plot plan prepared for the Tank Closure Plan under item 19;
- g) Chain of custody records;
- h) Copies of signed laboratory reports;
- i) Copies of "TSDF to Generator" Manifests for all hazardous wastes hauled offsite (sludge, rinsate, tanks and piping, contaminated soil, etc.); and
- j) Tabulation of the volume and final destination of all nonmanifested contaminated soil hauled offsite.

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## TABLE \$2 RECOMMENDED MINIMUM VERIFICATION ANALYSES FOR UNDERGROUND TANK LEAKS

	SHORKGROUND TANK LEAKS	
HYDROCARBON LEAK	SOIL ANALYSIS	WATER ANALYSIS
Unknown Fuel	TPH G GCFID(5030) TPH D GCFID(3550) BTX&E 8020 or 8240 TPH AND BTX&E 8260	TPH G GCFID(5030) TPH D GCFID(3510) BTX&E 602, 624 or 8260
Leaded Gas	TPH G GCFID(5030) BTX&E 8020 OR 8240 TPH AND BTX&E 8260 TOTAL LEAD AA	TPH G GCFID(5030) BTX&E 602 or 624 TOTAL LEAD AA
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Unleaded Gas	TPH G GCFID(5030) BTX&E 8020 or 8240 TPH AND BTX&E 8260	TPH G GCFID(5030) BTX&E 602, 624 or 8260
Diesel, Jet Fuel and Kerosene	TPH D GCFID(3550) BTX&E 8020 or 8240 TPH AND BTX&E 8260	TPH D GCFID(3510) BTX&E 602, 624 or 8260
Fuel/Heating Oil	TPH D GCFID(3550) BTX&E 8020 or 8240 TPH AND BTX&E 8260	TPH D GCFID(3510) BTX&E 602, 624 or 8260
Chlorinated Solvents	CL HC 8010 or 8240 BTX&E 8020 or 8240 CL HC AND BTX&E 8260	CL HC 601 or 624 BTX&E 602 or 624 CL HC AND BTX&E 8260
Non-chlorinated Solvents	TPH D GCFID(3550) BTX&E 8020 or 8240 TPH AND BTX&E 8260	TPH D GCFID(3510) BTX&E 602 or 624 TPH and BTX&E 8260
Waste and Used Oil or Unknown (All analyses must be completed and submitted)	TPH G GCFID(5030) TPH D GCFID(3550) TPH AND BTX&E 8260 O & G 5520 D & F BTX&E 8020 or 8240	TPH G GCFID(5030) TPH D GCFID(3510  O & G 5520 C & F BTX&E 602, 624 or
	CL HC 8010 or 8240	8260 CL HC 601 or 624
	ICAP or AA TO DETECT MET METHOD 8270 FOR SOIL OR PCB* PCP* PNA CREOSOTE	PALS: Cd, Cr, Pb, Zn, N WATER TO DETECT: PCB PCP PNA CREOSOTE

<sup>\*</sup> If found, analyze for dibenzofurans (PCBs) or dioxins (PCP)

Reference: Tri-Regional Board Staff Recommendations for Preliminary Evaluation and Investigation of Underground Tank Sites, 10 August 1990

#### EXPLANATION FOR TABLE #2: MINIMUM VERIFICATION ANALYSIS

- 1. OTHER METHODOLOGIES are continually being developed and as methods are accepted by EPA or DHS, they also can be used.
- 2. For DRINKING WATER SOURCES, EPA recommends that the 500 series for volatile organics be used in preference to the 600 series because the detection limits are lower and the QA/QC is better.
- 3. APPROPRIATE STANDARDS for the materials stored in the tank are to be used for all analyses on Table #2. For instance, seasonally, there may be five different jet fuel mixtures to be considered.
- 4. To AVOID FALSE POSITIVE detection of benzene, benzene-free solvents are to be used.
- 5. TOTAL PETROLEUM HYDROCARBONS (TPH) as gasoline (G) and diesel (D) ranges (volatile and extractible, respectively) are to be analyzed and characterized by GCFID with a fused capillary column and prepared by EPA method 5030 (purge and trap) for volatile hydrocarbons, or extracted by sonication using 3550 methodology for extractable hydrocarbons. Fused capillary columns are preferred to packed columns; a packed column may be used as a "first cut" with "dirty" samples or once the hydrocarbons have been characterized and proper QA/QC is followed.
- 6. TETRAETHYL LEAD (TEL) analysis may be required if total lead is detected unless the determination is made that the total lead concentration is geogenic (naturally occurring).
- 7. CHLORINATED HYDROCARBONS (CL HC) AND BENZENE, TOLUENE, XYLENE AND ETHYLBENZENE (BTX&E) are analyzed in soil by EPA methods 8010 and 8020 respectively, (or 8240) and in water, 601 and 602, respectively (or 624).
- 8. OIL AND GREASE (O & G) may be used when heavy, straight chain hydrocarbons may be present. Infrared analysis by method 418.1 may also be acceptable for O & G if proper standards are used. Standard Methods" 17th Edition, 1989, has changed the 503 series to 5520.
- 9. PRACTICAL QUANTITATION REPORTING LIMITS are influenced by matrix problems and laboratory QA/QC procedures. Following are the Practical Quantitation Reporting Limits:

	SOIL PPM	WATER PPB
TPH G	1.0	50.0
TPH D	1.0	50.0
BTX&E	0.005	0.5
0 & G	50.0	5,000.0

Based upon a Regional Board survey of Department of Health Services Certified Laboratories, the Practical Quantitation Reporting Limits are attainable by a majority of laboratories with the exception of diesel fuel in soils. The Diesel Practical Quantitation Reporting Limits, shown by the survey, are:

ROUTINE		MODIFIED PROTOCOL
<pre>≤ 10 ppm ≤ 5 ppm ≤ 1 ppm</pre>	(19%)	<pre>≤ 10 ppm (10%) ≤ 5 ppm (21%) ≤ 1 ppm (60%)</pre>

When the Practical Quantitation Reporting Limits are not achievable, an explanation of the problem is to be submitted on the laboratory data sheets.

- 10. LABORATORY DATA SHEETS are to be signed and submitted and include the laboratory's assessment of the condition of the samples on receipt including temperature, suitable container type, air bubbles present/absent in VOA bottles, proper preservation, etc. The sheets are to include the dates sampled, submitted, prepared for analysis, and analyzed.
- 11. IF PEAKS ARE FOUND, when running samples, that do not conform to the standard, laboratories are to report the peaks, including any unknown complex mixtures that elute at times varying from the standards. Recognizing that these mixtures may be contrary to the standard, they may not be readily identified; however, they are to be reported. At the discretion of the LIA or Regional Board the following information is to be contained in the laboratory report:

The relative retention time for the unknown peak(s) relative to ... the reference peak in the standard, copies of the chromatogram(s), the type of column used, initial temperature, temperature program is C/minute, and the final temperature.

12. REPORTING LIMITS FOR TPH are: gasoline standard ≤ 20 carbon atoms, diesel and jet fuel (kerosene) standard ≤ 50 carbon atoms. It is not necessary to continue the chromatography beyond the limit, standard, or EPA/DHS method protocol (whichever time is greater).

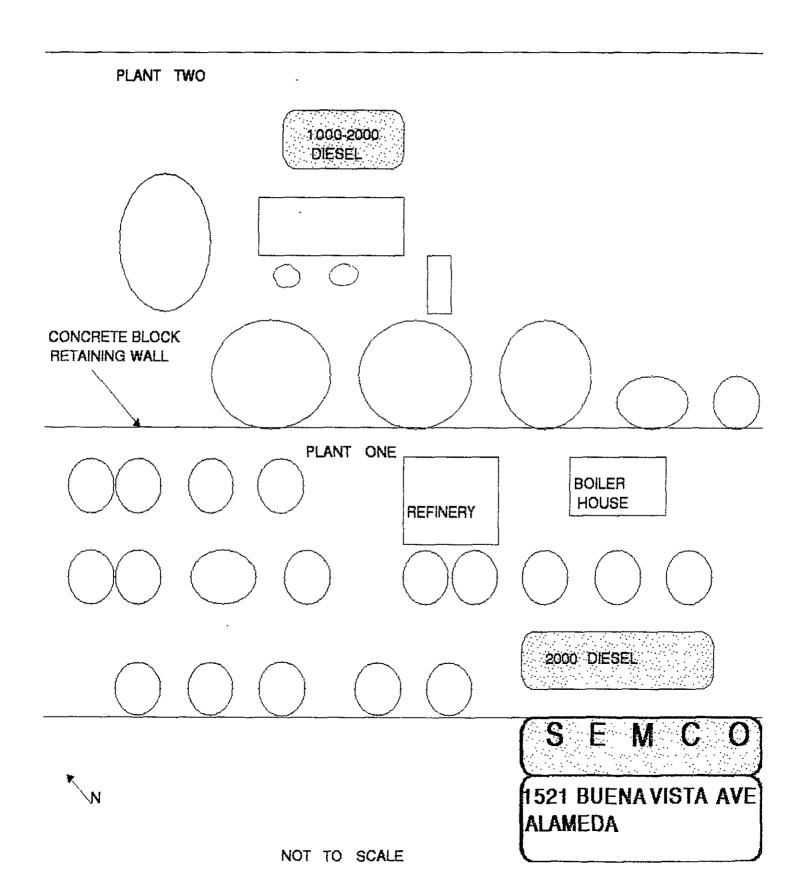
#### EPILOGUE

ADDITIVES: Major oil companies are being encouraged or required by the federal government to reformulate gasoline as cleaner burning fuels to reduce air emissions. MTBE (Methyl-tertiary butyl ether), ETHANOL (ethyl alcohol), and other chemicals may be added to reformulate gasolines to increase the oxygen content in the fuel and thereby decrease undesirable emissions (about four percent with MTBE). MTBE and ethanol are, for practical purposes, soluble in water. The removal

from the water column will be difficult. Other compounds are being added by the oil companies for various purposes. The refinements for detection and analysis for all of these additives are still being worked out. If you have any questions about the methodology, please call your Regional Board representative.

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Land Comment



# ALAMEDA COUNTY HAZARDOUS MATERIALS DIVISION Acknowledgement of Refund Recipient for Site Account DEPOSITOR FILLS OUT PER SITE -- REQUIRED --

The depositor will use this form to acknowledge that the property owner or his or her designee will receive any refund due at the completion of all deposit/refund projects at the site listed below.

SITE NUMBER/ADDRESS:	REFUND RECIPIENT-PROPERTY OWN
Site Number	•
_ Alameda Terminals	
Company Name	Owner's Name
P.O. Box 2453	
Street Address	Owner's Address
Alameda CA 94501	
City , Zip Code	Owner's City State Zip
e property owner or his or he	is site will be refunded solely to er designee.  1-19-94
Signature of Depositor	Date
Chuck Kiper	
Depositor Name	
SEMCO	
Company Name	
1541	
1741 Leslie Street	
1/41 Leslie Street Street Address	

RETURN FORM TO: Alameda County, Hazardous Materials Div.

80 Swan Way, Rm 200 Oakland, CA 94621-1439 Phone: (510) 271-4320

#### SITE SAFETY PLAN FOR UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANK REMOVAL/CLOSURE

#### JOBSITE ADDRESS:

1521 BUENA VISTA AVENUE ALAMEDA, CALIFORNIA

JAMES C. BATEMAN PETROLEUM SERVICES, INC.

"dba"
SEMCO
1741 LESLIE STREET
SAN MATEO, CALIFORNIA 94402

1217 S. 7TH STREET MODESTO, CALIFORNIA 95351

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SEMCO has adopted the following Health & Safety Plan and procedures for the removal and/or closure of underground petroleum storage tanks and associated piping. The purpose of this plan is to provide health and safety guidelines to be adhered to while all work is in progress.

All personnel involved with the tank removal or associated activities will have an assigned responsibility. The outlined responsibilities will establish standards for personnel protective wear and safety procedures, and will provide for emergency actions which could arise during project operations.

#### SCOPE OF WORK

#### 1.0 Scope of Work:

The tanks will be purged of all remaining residues, and these residues will be stored on site in a 55 gallon approved drum until they are hauled away or pumped out for disposal by a certified hazardous materials hauler.

The tanks will be inerted with a minimum of 20 lbs of dry ice per 1000 gallons of tank capacity. More ice will be added if necessary to displace the oxygen in the tank to a concentration level below the OSHA approved lower explosive limit, this will be achieved by using a Gastech 1314. When this level is obtained the tanks will be removed, and samples will be collected per the approved work plan.

- 1.1 Responsibilities of Other Agencies if Present:
  - a. The Environmental Health Department is responsible for approval and inspection of procedures, including tank removal, sample procurement and integrity of work plan.
  - b. The Fire Department is responsible for inspections relative to safe procedures and conditions of the tank prior to removal.

#### 2.0 Hazards, Special Precautions:

#### 2.1 Special Precautions:

During the course of underground storage tank removal, workers could be exposed to petroleum hydrocarbon vapors, liquids, or other wastes. The following precautions will be observed by all individuals engaged in the tank removal activity.

#### 2.1.1 Toxicity Considerations, Petroleum Substances:

All individuals should be aware of appropriate health precautions. When high concentrations of petroleum hydrocarbon vapors are inhaled, symptoms of intoxication may result. These symptoms range from simple dizziness to unconsciousness. Care will be exercised to minimize exposure to these substances when they are present. Avoid skin contact with petroleum substances whenever possible. Use soap and water to remove any petroleum product that contacts skin.

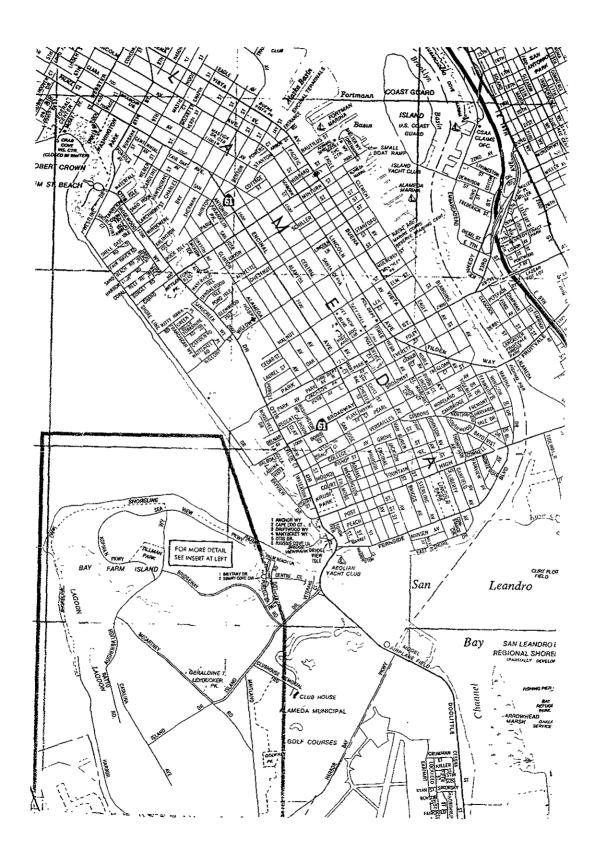
#### 2.1.2 Flammability and Combustibility Consideration:

Flammable and combustible vapors are likely to be present in the work area. Precautions will be taken to eliminate all potential sources of ignition to prevent the discharge of static electricity during venting, and to prevent the accumulation of vapors.

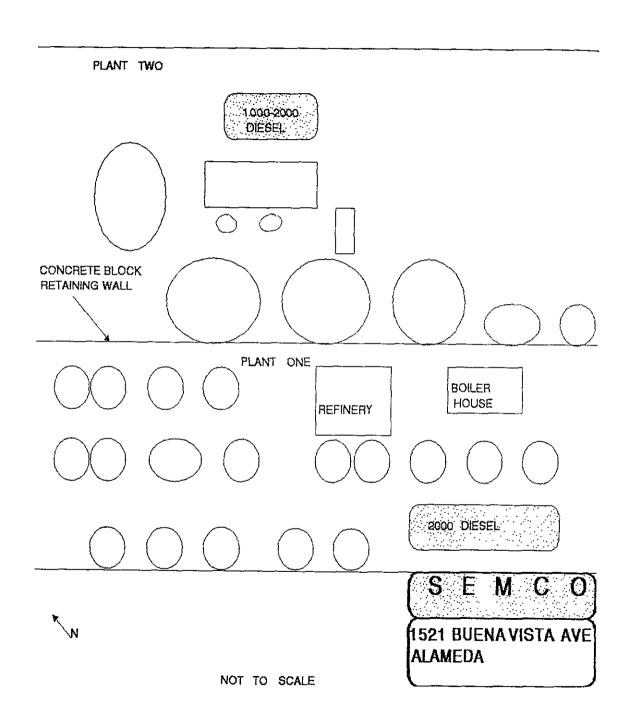
#### 2.1.3 Physical Considerations:

During the excavation of underground storage tanks, some physical hazards can be present in the form of large holes, exposed piping, debris piles, and excavation equipment. All workers will be aware of these hazards and take all necessary actions to eliminate accidents. The excavated area will be appropriately marked and barricaded at all times.

#### 3.0 Jobsite Vicinity Map



#### 4.0 Site Map



#### PERSONNEL

### 5.0 Personnel SEMCO Employees

#### 5.1 Project Manager

- Manages field operations.
- Ensures the Work Plan is completed on schedule.
- Briefs the field teams on their specific assignments.
- Participates in the preparation of the Site Safety Plan.
- Serves as a liaison with public officials.

#### 5.2 Site Safety Officer

- Implements and enforces the SSP.
- Assures that all on-site personnel have received a copy of the SSP, have read it and understand it.
- Conducts frequent inspections of site conditions, facilities, equipment, and activities to determine if the SSP is adequate and being followed.
- Conducts daily "tailgate" meetings to explain the plan of work for the day and to mention potential hazards of the site.
- Ensures that protective clothing and equipment are properly stored and maintained.
- Knows emergency procedures, excavation routes, and notifies local emergency services when necessary.
- Notifies the Health and Safety Manager of all accidents and injuries that occur on site.

#### 5.3 On-Site Personnel:

- Are required to document their full understanding of the SSP before starting work by signing that they have read the SSP and understand it.
- Complies with the SSP.
- Notifies the SSO of unsafe conditions.
- On-Site employees are held responsible to perform only those tasks for which they believe they are qualified and in their opinion are safe.

LEVEL C: Safety Glasses or Goggles w/side shields

Hard Hats

Steel Toe Safety Shoes

Half or Full Face Respirator with Organic

Vapor Cartridge

Tyvek or Ploy-Coated Tyvek

LEVEL D: Safety Glasses

Steel Toe Shoes

Hard Hats

Uniform shirt/pants

#### EMERGENCY SERVICES

- 6.0 Emergency Services
- 6.1 Persons to contact in case of emergency:
  - a. PROJECT MANAGER

Name: Chuck Kiper

Phone: (415) 572-8033 (415) 860-8221 Mobile (415) 377-8660 Pager

b. CLIENT CONTACT

Name: Steve Petri

Phone: (510) 523-2528 X-30

c. SITE CONTACT

Name: Chuck Kiper Phone: (415) 572-8033

- d. SITE SAFETY OFFICER
  Name: Chuck Kiper
- Phone: (415) 572-8033
- e. HEALTH & SAFETY COORDINATOR

Name: Milt Tiffin Phone: (209) 524-9653

6.2 Hospital In Area:

Alameda Hospital (510) 522-3700

2070 Clinton Ave., Alameda, California

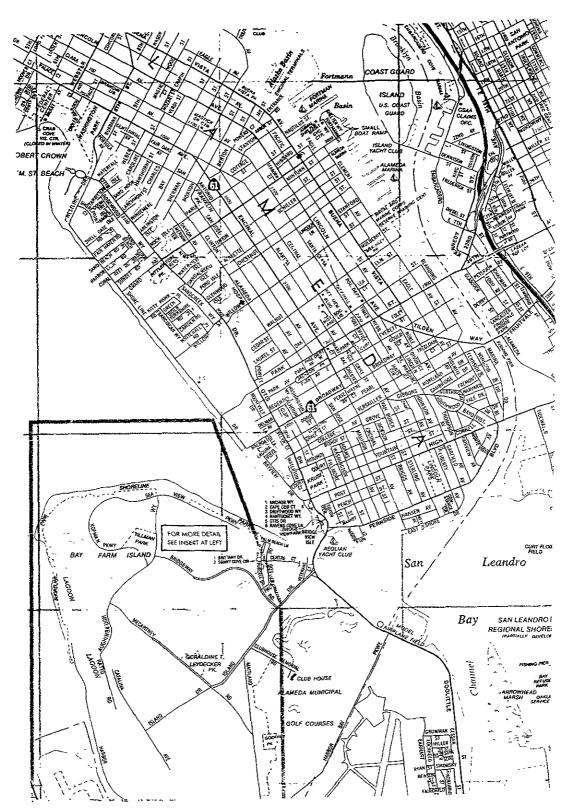
- 6.3 Emergency Routes
  See Hospital Route Map, Page 10
- 6.4 Ambulance Service: DISPATCH SERVICE

DIAL 911

- 6.5 Fire Prevention:
  Alameda Fire Department
  (510) 748-4601
- 6.6 Fire Department: DIAL 911
- 6.7 A First Aid Kit will be on site.
- 6.8 Barricades:
  Job site will be barricaded off and construction tape will be used around working area, when work area is left unattended.
- 6.9 Fire Extinguishers will be present on site.

#### HOSPITAL ROUTE MAP

#### 7.0 Hospital Route Map



#### 8.0 Contingency Plan:

If an injury occurs, the following action will be taken:

- Medical attention for the injured person immediately.
- Notify the Site Safety Officer.
- Depending on the type and severity of the injury, SEMCO's occupational physician will be notified.
- The injured person's personnel office will be notified.
- An incident report will be prepared. The Site Safety Officer will be responsible for its preparation and submittal to the Health and Safety Director and corporate personnel office within 24 hours.
- The Site Safety Officer will assume charge during a medical emergency.
- EMERGENCY ROUTES -- see Hospital Route Map, Page 10

#### SAFETY EQUIPMENT

- 9.0 Safety Equipment:
- 9.1 As a minimum, the following equipment will be on site:

LEL Meter - Gastech 1314 OSHA - Approved First Aid Kit 40BC Fire Extinguisher Half Face Respirator with Organic Vapor Cartridges

#### 10.0 Safety Training

SEMCO'S field employees have received their certificates of training as required by OSHA-SARA agencies, with refresher courses as needed.

#### 11.0 Medical Monitoring

SEMCO requires all Class I truck drivers to have a mandatory physical once a year. SEMCO supplies health insurance to all employees and administers random and mandatory drug and alcohol testing.

#### 10.0 Signatures & Acknowledgments:

I acknowledge having read and understand the preceding Health & Safety Plan:

Signature	Date	Signature	Date
Signature	Date	Signature	Date
Signature	Date	Signature	Date
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JAMES C. BATEMAN PETROLEUM SERVICES, INC.
ENVIRONMENTAL & GENERAL ENGINEERING CONTRACTORS
LICENSE # 449864 A, B, C61/D40
HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCES REMOVAL AND REMEDIAL ACTIONS CERTIFICATION
1217 SOUTH 7TH STREET, MODESTO, CA 95351
(209) 524-9553 FAX #: (209) 524-0503

DATE: 1/28/94 TIME: 9:30
ATTENTION:
company: County of Alameda
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FROM: Judy Campbell
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Check for our license Fee .
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SITE NAME: Metropolitan CA. Stevedore Co. DATE REPORTED: 02/01/89
ADDRESS: 1521 Buena Vista Ave. DATE CONFIRMED: 02/01/89

CITY/ZIP: Alameda 94501 MULTIPLE RPs: N

## SITE STATUS

CASE TYPE: G CONTRACT STATUS: 4 EMERGENCY RESP:

RP SEARCH: S DATE COMPLETED: 03/27/92

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## RESPONSIBLE PARTY INFORMATION

RP#1-CONTACT NAME: n/a

COMPANY NAME: Encinal Industries ADDRESS: 1521 Buena Vista Ave CITY/STATE: Alameda, C A 94501

INSPECTOR VERIFICATION:						
NAME		SIGNATURE		DATE		
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# ALAMEDA COUNTY HEALTH CARE SERVICES AGENCY

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80 Swan Way, Rm 200
Oakland, CA 94621
(510) 271-4530

February 23, 1993

Peter Wang Encinal Terminals 1521 Buena Vista Avenue Alameda, CA 94501

STID 3522

Re: Addendum to work plan for Encinal Terminals, located at 1521 Buena Vista Avenue, Alameda, California

Dear Mr. Wang,

This office has reviewed Blymer Engineer's "Addendum to Workplan", dated February 12, 1993. This work plan is acceptable to this office. Subsequent to the installation of the additional monitoring well, Well SB-1, you will be required to collect and analyze ground water samples on a quarterly basis from this well, in addition to the other on-site wells.

Field work should commence within 60 days of the date of this letter. A report documenting the installation and sampling of all the wells and borings shall be submitted to this office within 45 days after the completion of field activities.

If you have any questions or comments, please contact me at (510) 271-4530.

Sincerely,

Juliet Shin

Hazardous Materials Specialist

cc: Richard Hiett, RWQCB

Laurie Buckman Blymyer Engineers, Inc. 1829 Clement Ave. Alameda, CA 94501-1395

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November 3, 1992

Peter Wang Encinal Terminals 1521 Buena Vista Avenue Alameda, CA 94501

STID 3522

RE: The approval of the Revised Work Plan for investigations at 1521 Buena Vista Avenue, Alameda, California

Dear Mr. Wang,

This office has received and reviewed the revised work plan, dated October 28, 1992, and approves of this work plan. Thank you for your quick response.

Field work should commence within 60 days of the receipt of this letter. A report documenting the results from work performed is due to this office within 45 days of completion of activities.

Thank you for your cooperation. If you have any questions or comments, please contact me at (510) 271-4530.

Sincerely,

Juliet Shin

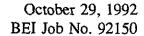
Hazardous Materials Specialist

cc: Richard Hiett, RWQCB

Robert La Grone, Alameda Fire Dept.

Sue Black Blymer Engineers, Inc. 1829 Clement Ave. Alameda, CA 94501

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Ms. Juliet Shin Alameda County Health Care Services Agency 80 Swan Way, Rm. 200 Oakland, CA 94621

Subject:

Revised Work Plan

**Encinal Terminals** 

1521 Buena Vista Avenue Alameda, CA 94501

Dear Ms. Shin:

In response to your letter to Mr. Peter Wang dated October 19, 1992 I have enclosed a Revised Work Plan for the referenced site.

Please contact me at 510-521-3773 with any questions or comments.

Sincerely,

Blymyer Engineers, Inc.

Laurie A. Buckman Project Geologist

Enclosure

## ALAMEDA COUNTY HEALTH CARE SERVICES AGENCY



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RAFAT A. SHAHID. ASST. AGENCY DIRECTOR DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH

> State Water Resources Control Board Division of Clean Water Programs

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Oakland, CA 94621 (510) 271-4530

DAVID J. KEARS, Agency Director

October 19, 1992

Peter Wang Encinal Terminals 1521 Buena Vista Avenue Alameda, CA 94501

STID 3522

RE: The approval of work plan for investigations at 1521 Buena Vista Avenue, Alameda, California

Dear Mr. Wang.

This office has received and reviewed the work plan, dated October 14, 1992, for the above site. In addition to soil samples being collected from boring SB-1, a grab ground water sample should also be collected and analyzed for waste oil constituents. Additionally, ground water investigations should be conducted to address the area downgradient of T-2. Per the conversation between Sue Black, Blymer Engineering, and myself on October 19, 1992, it will be acceptable to collect and analyze grab ground water samples from this area to determine whether releases from T-2 have impacted ground water. If the ground water samples identify unacceptable levels of contaminants, you may be required to install a permanent monitoring well in this area. With the above additional requirements, the work plan will be acceptable to this office.

Lastly, please be reminded to collect soil samples at changes in lithology, in addition to soil samples being collected at depth intervals of 5 feet.

If you have any questions or comments, please contact me at (510) 271-4530.

Sincerely,

Juliet Shin

Hazardous Materials Specialist

cc: Richard Hiett, RWQCB

Robert La Grone, Alameda Fire Dept.

Mr. Peter Wang RE: 1521 Buena Vista Ave. October 19, 1992 Page 2 of 2

> Sue Black Blymer Engineers, Inc. 1829 Clement Ave. Alameda, CA 94501

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# Encinal Terminals

(510) 523-8800 FAX (510) 521-5814 1521 BUENA VISTA AVENUE P.O. BOX 2453 ALAMEDA, CA. 94501-0251

September 3, 1992

Ms. Juliet Shin, Hazardous Materials Specialist Alameda County Health Care Services Agency Department of Environmental Health State Water Resources Control Board Division of Clean Water Programs UST Local Oversight Program 80 Swan Way, Room 200 Oakland, CA 94621

RE: STID 3522

Work plan for investigations at 1521 Buena Vista Avenue

Alameda, California

Dear Ms. Shin:

Thank you for your letter dated August 27, 1992. We are contacting Blmyer & Sons Engineers to proceed with the project per your letter dated April 1992.

Very truly yours,

Chengben Wang

President

cc: Ray Holbrook, SSA

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# ALAMEDA COUNTY HEALTH CARE SERVICES AGENCY



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August 27, 1992

Peter Wang Encinal Terminals 1521 Buena Vist Avenue Alameda, CA 94501

STID 3522

RE: Work plan for investigations at 1521 Buena Vista Avenue, Alameda, California

Dear Mr. Wang,

In April 1992, this office sent you a letter requiring that you submit a work plan for soil and ground water investigations at the above site. Per the conversation between Sue Black, Blymer Engineers, Inc., and myself on April 28, 1992, your consultants had begun preparing a work plan in April. However, to this date, this office has not yet received the completed work plan.

You are required to submit a work plan within 45 days of the receipt of this letter addressing those issues outlined in the April 15, 1992 letter from this office. Please be advised that this is a formal request for technical reports pursuant to California Water Code Section 13267 (b). Any extensions of the stated deadlines, or modifications of the required tasks, must be confirmed in writing by either this agency or RWQCB.

Please be reminded to copy Richard Hiett, at the San Francisco Bay Region-Water Quality Control Board, on all correspondence and reports regarding this site.

If you have any questions or comments, please feel free to contact me at (510) 271-4530.

Sincerely

**J**uliet Shin

Hazardous Materials Specialist

Peter Wang

RE: 1521 Buena Vista Ave.

August 27, 1992 Page 2 of 2

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April 15, 1992

Peter Wang Encinal Terminals 1521 Buena Vista Avenue Alameda, CA 94501

STID 3522

RE: Investigations at 1521 Buena Vista Avenue, Alameda, California

Dear Mr. Wang,

Alameda County Environmental Health Department, Hazardous Materials Division, has currently been delegated authority from the San Francisco Regional Water Quality Control Board (RWQCB) to oversee a large number of remediation cases within Alameda County. Therefore, we will be the lead contact agency for the oversight duties regarding this case.

The files for the case referenced above have recently been reviewed by our office. According to the Final Closure Report, dated March 8, 1988, three underground storage tanks (T-1, T-2, and T-3) were removed from the site on January 27, 1988. The analysis of groundwater samples collected from tank pits T-1 and T-3 identified up to 100,000 parts per billion (ppb) Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons (TPH) and 910 ppb Benzene. Additionally, the analysis of soil samples collected from these tank pits, and tank pit T-2, identified concentrations of TPH and Benzene.

Guidelines established by RWQCB requires that a groundwater investigation be conducted whenever an unauthorized release of product is suspected from an underground storage tank (UST). The groundwater contamination identified from the tank pits would indicate that such an event has occurred. The guidelines state that a groundwater monitoring well must be installed within ten feet downgradient of a former UST. Since groundwater contamination was documented in water collected from tank pits T-1 and T-3, monitoring wells will be required to be installed within 10 feet downgradient of these former USTs. Additionally, a third well must also be installed to complete the triangulation necessary to determine the groundwater gradient behavior.

You are required to submit a preliminary site assessment (PSA) work plan describing the proposed work at the site. It should include, among other elements, a depiction of the proposed locations for monitoring well installations and sampling plan. Initial soil and groundwater samples shall be analyzed for Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons as gasoline (TPHg) and Benzene, Toluene, Ethylbenzene, and Xylenes using appropriate EPA or DHS methods. Additionally, due to concern over the former above-ground waste oil tank, initial soil and groundwater samples should also be analyzed for TPH as diesel fuel, volatile organic compounds (EPA method 8010 or 8240) and oil and grease (EPA 5520 series).

The PSA must be conducted in accordance with the RWQCB's <u>Staff</u> <u>Recommendation for the Initial Evaluation and Investigation of Underground Tanks</u>, August 1990, and the State Water Resources Control Board's LUFT field manual. Please reference the attached Appendix A summarizing the technical scope of such a PSA proposal.

The PSA shall be conducted under the direction of a registered engineer/geologist. A technical report shall be submitted following completion of this intial stage of work at the site. Subsequent reports are to be submitted quarterly until this site qualifies for final RWQCB "sign-off".

The referenced initial and quarterly reports must describe the status of the investigation and must include, among others, the following elements:

- o Details and results of all work performed during the designated period of time: records of field observations and data, boring and well construction logs, water level data, chain-of-custody forms, laboratory results for all samples collected and analyzed, tabulations of free product thicknesses and dissolved fractions, etc.
- o Status of groundwater contamination characterization
- o Interpretation of results: water level contour maps showing gradients, free and dissolved product plume definition maps for each target component, geologic cross sections, etc.
- o Recommendations or plans for additional investigative work of remediation

The need for any follow-up investigative or remedial actions at this site will be based upon the data derived from this groundwater investigation.

If you have any questions or comments please contact Juliet Shin at (510) 271-4320.

Sincerely

Scott O. Seery, CHMM

Senior Hazardous Materials Specialist

Attachment

cc: Richard Hiett, RWQCB

Richard Quarante, Alameda Fire Dept.

## WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD DIVISION OF WATER QUALITY - UST CLEANUP PROGRAM SITE SPECIFIC QUARTERLY REPORT AGENCY NO: 10000 10/15/91 THROUGH 01/15/92

SOURCE OF FUNDS:

StID : 2584 MULTIPLE RP's?: SITE NAME: Safeway Preserve Plant DATE REPORTED: ADDRESS : 1111 Marina Blvd. DATE CONFIRMED:

CITY/ZIP: San Leandro 94577

SUBSTANCE:

SITE STATUS

CASE TYPE: CONTRACT STATUS:
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## RESPONSIBLE PARTY

RP#1-CONTACT NAME:

COMPANY NAME:

ADDRESS:

CITY/STATE:

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RP#2-CONTACT NAME:

COMPANY NAME:

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CITY/STATE:

PHONE:

RP#3-CONTACT NAME:

COMPANY NAME:

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CITY/STATE:

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RP#4-CONTACT NAME:

COMPANY NAME:

ADDRESS:

CITY/STATE:

PHONE:

SUBJ: Transfer of Elligible Oversight Case site name: <u>Enciral</u> Terminals Address: 1521 Rueva Vista Lor city Alameda zip Closure plan attached? Y (N) DepRef remaining \$ DepRef Project #\_\_\_\_ STID #(if any) 3522 Number of Tanks: 3 removed? (Y) N Date of removal 1-27-88

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Leak Report filed? Y (N) Date of Discovery 2-1-89 Soil under Date of Discovery 2-1-89 Soil under oil pit was contamination: unkn analysed Samples received? Avgas Jet <u>leaded</u> unleaded Diesel Petroleum Y N Types: fuel oil waste oil kerosene solvents Monitoring wells on site when Monitoring schedule? Y 3 \* H S LUFT category 1 2 C Briefly describe the following: Preliminary Assessment\_ Non E Post Remedial Action Monitoring Enforcement Action Sample must be requested. T.O.G. under oil/water separator it high. Remedial action's needed. There are no lab results go samples taken under tanks removed. No assessment plan.

3-12-92

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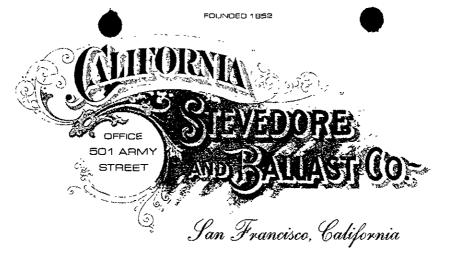
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May 10, 1989

Division of Hazardous Materials Department of Environmental Health 80 Swan Way, Room 200 Oakland, Calif. 94621

Dear Mr. Levi,

In response to your inspection report dated (4/14/89), I'll inform you what has been done about the waste removal site.

- (1). We cleaned and converted a (conex) van. We welded a metal strip around the bottom 6" high to contain any oil in case of a leak. The van is standing on concrete and will remain there.
- (2). The empty drums are labeled and it will be noted when they begin to be filled.
- (3). I applied for an E.P.A. number on April 26, 1989 but I have not received it yet.
- (4). I have not yet taken care of a manifest order request because of the E.P.A. number.

Enclosed you'll find a copy of the invoice of the waste disposal contractor who hauled the oil away. The old batteries were hauled to Pier 80 terminal for disposal by our truck. See license copy.

Hope we have complied to all the regulations.

Sincerely,

Art Spithorst

California Stevedore & Ballast Company

Terminal Manager

DEPT. OF EXPRESSION MATERIALS

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# Waste Q# Recovery Systems, Inc. Invol

6401 LEONA STREET OAKLAND, CA 94605



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March 21, 1989 BEI Job No. 88322

Mr. Ariu Levi ALAMEDA COUNTY HEALTH AGENCY 80 Swan Way, Room #200 Oakland, CA. 94621

SUBJECT:

ENCINAL TERMINALS
1521 BUENA VISTA AVENUE
ALAMEDA, CALIFORNIA

Dear Mr. Levi:

Abovegand (According to Michael Luvir, 4/13/92)

tank containment sump at the subject facility

The old waste oil tank containment sump at the subject facility was removed on February 1, 1989. Approximately seven tons of concrete rubble and contaminated soil was removed and transported to Casmalia Resources, Inc. (copy of manifest attached) for disposal. One soil sample was obtained from the bottom center of the excavation. Captain Marvin Helms of the Alameda Fire Department was on site to witness the soil sampling. The sample was delivered to Trace Analysis Laboratory and analyzed for volatile organics (EPA Method #8240) and oil and grease (SM 503E). As indicated in the attached analytical report, 750 mg/kg oil and grease was detected in the sample. No volatile organic compounds were detected.

If you have any questions, please give me a call at 521-3773.

Cordially,

BLYMYER ENGINEERS, INC.

Michael S. Lewis

Michael S.

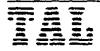
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Attachments

cc: Mr. Peter Wong -ENCINAL TERMINALS
Capt. Marvin Helms-ALAMEDA FIRE DEPARTMENT

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DATE RECEIVED: 2/2/89

CUSTOMER:

Blymyer Engineers, Inc.

REQUESTER:

Mike Lewis

PROJECT:

No. 88322, Encinal - Alameda

	Sample Type: Soil			
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Oil and Grease	ug/kg	750,000	20,000	

BLYMYER ENGINEERS, INC. BE

Mr. Ariu Levi ALAMEDA COUNTY HEALTH AGENCY 80 Swan Way, Room #200 Oakland, CA 94621

SUBJECT:

ENCINAL TERMINALS
1521 BUENA VISTA AVENUE
ALAMEDA, CALIFORNIA

January 9, 1989 BEI Job No. 88322



HAZARDOUS MATERIALS/ WASTE PROGRAM

Dear Mr. Levi:

As we discussed, Blymyer Engineers has been retained by Encinal Terminals to remove the old waste oil tank containment sump at the subject facility. We are planning to break up the sump and dispose of all concrete rubble and contaminated soil at a Class I facility. A soil sample will be obtained from the bottom of the excavation and analyzed for oil & grease (SM503E) and volatile organics (EPA Method 8240). The removal work is scheduled for January 24, 1989.

If you have any questions, please give me a call at 415/521-3773.

Cordially,

BLYMYER ENGINEERS, INC.

Michael S. Lewis

Environmental Specialist

MSL/ds

cc: Mr. Peter Wong

## BLYMYER & SONS ENGINE , INC. 1829 Clement Street ALAMEDA, CALIFORNIA 94501

## LETTER OF TRANSMITTAL

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TO Alameda County Health	Encinal Terminals
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WE ARE SENDING YOU ★Attached □ Under separate cover	w tión
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☐ Copy of letter ☐ Change order ☐	
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## BLYMYER & SONS engineers, in

December 30, 1987 BSE Job No. 87139

Mr. Ariu Levi Division of Hazardous Materials DEPT. OF ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH 470-27th Street Room #322 Oakland, CA. 94612

SUBJECT:

CLOSURE PLAN FOR UST ENCINAL TERMINALS

1521 BUENA VISTA AVENUE ALAMEDA. CALIFORNIA 94501

Dear Mr. Levi:

Please find enclosed the closure plan for underground storage tanks at the subject facililty. Also enclosed is a check in the amount of \$450.00 for the required deposit. We will await your approval of this plan.

If you have any questions or are in need of additional information, please give me a call at 521-3773.

Very truly yours,

BLYMYER & SONS ENGINEERS, INC.

Michael S. Lewis

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MSL/ds

Attachments

Project # <u>USOSS 42</u>
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Date <u>114/88</u>



December 29, 1987 BSE Job No. 87139

## CLOSURE PLAN FOR UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANKS

## Property Owner:

Encinal Terminals 1521 Buena Vista Avenue Alameda, CA. 94501 (415) 523-8800 Mailing Address: P. O. Box 2453 Alameda, CA. 94501

## Project Manager:

Blymyer Engineers, Inc. 1829 Clement Avenue Alameda, CA. 94501 (415) 521-3773 Contact: Mike Lewis

#### Contractor:

Trace Environmental Services, Inc. P. O. Box 815 Orangevale, CA. 95662-0815 (916) 723-6080 License No. 511740 - Class A

## Background:

This facility is located adjacent to Alaska Basin and is used for marine stevedoring. The facility has two underground gasoline tanks and one underground oil/water separator as indicated on the attached plot plan. The oil/water separator is constructed of concrete and has a capacity of approximately 250 gallons. The two gasoline tanks are constructed of steel and their capacities are unknown. All tanks have been pumped completely of liquid.

#### Closure Plan

The two gasoline tanks will be triple rinsed prior to removal to render them non-hazardous. The rinsate will be manifested and transported by Trace Environmental, Transporter I.D. No. CAD982357170 to H & H Ship Service, State Facility No. 38-001-78, for final disposal. The tanks will be removed and transported by Trace Environmental to H & H Ship Service for final disposal.

The oil/water separator will be steam-cleaned on site. The waste water generated from cleaning will be manifested and transported by Trace Environmental to H & H Ship Service for final disposal. The concrete will be broken up and removed for disposal at an appropriate landfill. The discharge line to sanitary sewer will be permanently capped.

## Sampling And Analysis:

Soil samples will be obtained by Blymyer Engineers, Inc. from the bottom of the tank excavations. Two soil samples will be taken from each gasoline tank excavation, one from the fill end and one from the vent end. One soil sample will be taken from the oil/water separator excavation. If groundwater is encountered in any of the excavations, a water sample will be obtained.

All gasoline tank samples will be analyzed for total volatile hydrocarbons and BTX. Oil/water separator sample(s) will be analyzed for total oil and grease. All analyses will be performed by Trace Analysis Laboratory, a DOHS certified lab, on a normal 10-day turnaround.

#### Remediation:

In the event soil and/or groundwater contamination is discovered, the Department of Environmental Health and the RWQCB will be notified immediately. A contamination investigation and remediation are not included in Blymyer's scope of work and may be handled by others.