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Richard Hiatt
RWQCB, S.F. Bay Region
2101 Webster St., Ste 500
Oakland, CA 94612

STID 4309

Re: Historic Alameda High School, located at 2200 Central Ave.,
Alameda, California

RECOMMENDATION FOR UST CASE CLOSURE

Dear Mr. Hiatt,

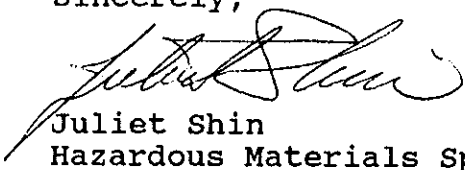
In December of 1991, two heating oil underground storage tanks (4,000-gallon and 2,000-gallon tanks) were removed from the above site. Soil samples collected from beneath these tanks were analyzed for diesel, benzene, toluene, ethylbenzene, and xylenes. No contaminants were detected in these soil samples. One ground water sample was collected from the tank pit and the analysis of this sample identified 0.6 ppb toluene, 1.2 ppb ethylbenzene, and 1.8 ppb xylenes.

Subsequently, three monitoring wells were installed at the site. The analysis of the soil samples collected during the installation of these wells did not identify any contaminants above detection limits. Ground water samples were collected from these three wells for four consecutive quarters, and no contaminants were ever identified over detection limits except for in the first quarter at 170 ppb diesel.

Attached is a copy of ACC's Closure Request Report. Considering the information contained in this report, this office is recommending that this site be certified closed. With RWQCB's concurrence, this office will send a letter to the Responsible Party to inform them of the site's certification of closure

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

Sincerely,


Juliet Shin
Hazardous Materials Specialist

cc: Edgar Howell-File(JS)