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Subject:

Transmittal - Analytical Results and Summary of Product Removal at TF-3

PPG Oak Creek Facility Oak Creek, Wisconsin EPA ID# WID059972935 Wisconsin FID# 241014620

Dear Mr. Nemani:

On behalf of PPG Industries, Inc. (PPG), Shaw Environmental, Inc. is transmitting with this letter the tabulated analytical results and the groundwater elevation map generated as a result of the March 2011 sampling event at the former tank farm area of the Oak Creek Wisconsin facility. Samples and groundwater elevation information were collected on March 25, 2011 in accordance with the February 4, 2011 letter to you and the October 19, 2006 Hydrogeologic Evaluation Work Plan (Plan).

PPG began free product removal from Monitoring Well TF-3 on March 13, 2009. A summary table that provides the date, thickness of free product, and the total volume of liquid removed from the well is provided. Please note that when the groundwater level was measured at Monitoring Well TF-3 during this sampling event (March 25, 2011), a very thin layer (less than 0.1 inch) of free product was observed above the groundwater table; therefore, a groundwater sample was not collected.

During this sampling event two issues related to sample collection and analysis were identified:

- A water level measurement and groundwater sample were not taken in Well MW-14 due to an ice obstruction in the well casing.
- The sample storage temperature for all collected samples was recorded out of range before analysis could be performed due to a faulty refrigerator at the laboratory. It does not appear that this nonconformance with the analytical method had any discernable effect on sample quality, since resultant sample concentrations appear consistent with previous sampling rounds.

If you have questions regarding this submittal, please let me know.

Sincerely,

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