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Re: Request for Information – Permit ID: PA 0026913

Dear Mr. Furlan:

April 18, 2011

The Municipal Authority of the City of McKeesport received your letter of March 18, 2011. Your request for additional data on the plant effluent has been implemented. The Authority has been sampling for TDS, pH and Chlorides on a daily basis for over a year and submitted monthly on our DMR's. In addition, the Authority recently began sampling for Gross Alpha, Gross Beta and Radium 226 and 228.

When your letter was received we added Alkalinity, Sulfate, Bromide and Uranium to our sample lists. These parameters will be sampled twice monthly as requested. Unless otherwise directed the results will be emailed to you at rfurlan@state.pa.us on a monthly basis. All data collected in 2011 for the requested parameters will be emailed to you by the end of April.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (412)673-9701 ext. 12 or Kristi Cavanaugh, Lab Manager, at ext. 15.

Sincerely,

Joseph E. Rost Executive Director