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Department of Health Services

Memorandum

To :

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Subject : Inspection at Petroleum Recycling Corporation

PRC was inspected on April 02, 1990. The facility representatives were cooperative but ignorant.

More then anything the report was delayed because the facility representative, Jim Ennis, didn't know what was going on at that the facility. After finally getting ahold of the facilty owner, Rick McAuley, I was able to get much more conclusive answers. Why Ennis didn't come out and say "contact McAuley or someone else" is beyond me, it made the facility look like a bunch of idiots.

Anyway, the practice of the facility testing each load without obtaining a certification from the generator is pretty shakey. Especially in light of the conflicting statements regarding whether or not they actually test all their loads, and the accuracy of their equipment (though after this event they now have new testing equipment). They did state that in this case all generators were tested to determine PCB content.

As far as potential violations observed, I still see "Failure to maintain records of additions and removals for dispositions of batches of PCBs from bulk storage tanks" $ 761.65 (c)(7)(ii).