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From: Travers, David
Sent: Fri 1/24/2014 10:37:43 PM
Subject: Fw: Urgent - Coordination of Water Sampling in WV

Please see request below and reach out to R3 as appropriate. D

From: Hautman, Dan
Sent: Friday, January 24, 2014 5:34:58 PM
To: Arguto, William; Caporale, Cynthia
Cc: Burneson, Eric; Oshida, Phil; Grevatt, Peter; Lopez-Carbo, Maria; Travers, David; Sayles, Gregory; Carroll, Gregory; Clark, Becki; Wendelken, Steve; Smith, Glynda
Subject: RE: Urgent - Coordination of Water Sampling in WV

Bill/Cindy,
I'm not aware of any PPH methods for water but chemists on our staff (Steve Wendelken and Glynda Smith) may be able to assist and offer some advice. Don't hesitate to contact our office requesting assistance or if you'd like us engaged in technical discussions.

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From: Clark, Becki
Sent: Friday, January 24, 2014 4:44 PM
To: Hautman, Dan; Carroll, Gregory
Cc: Burneson, Eric; Oshida, Phil; Grevatt, Peter; Lopez-Carbo, Maria; Travers, David; Sayles, Gregory
Subject: Urgent - Coordination of Water Sampling in WV

Dan and Greg,

This message provides some further background to the voice mail message I just left for Dan.

I was on a call this afternoon with Chris Weis and Aubrey Miller of NIEHS and Greg Sayles of ORD. I understand that the state of West Virginia is seeking help from EPA to develop an analytical method for the set of glycol ethers in the product PPH, recently found to be released along with MCHM during the Elk River spill.

I believe R3 is involved (see the email trail below), but can you please reach out to your contacts there to get up to speed and offer our assistance? Greg Sayles can help with ORD assistance if needed.

Please call me if you have any questions (202) 564-3818 or Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy Thanks for your help!

Becki Clark, Deputy Director
Office of Ground Water and Drinking Water Office of Water

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From: Werner, Lora
Sent: Friday, January 24, 2014 3:49 PM
To: Grant, Gregory L LTC USARMY (US); 'christopher.weis@nih.gov'; Arguto, William; Grevatt, Peter; Clark, Becki; Cseh, Larry F CAPT (US); Wright, DavidA; Burns, Francis; Capacasa, Jon; Caporale, Cynthia
Cc: 'letitia.tierney@wv.gov'; bucher@niehs.nih.gov; 'vck3@cdc.gov'; masten@niehs.nih.gov; 'miller.aubrey@nih.gov'
Subject: RE: Coordination of Water Sampling in WV

This is the MCHM method Raj from EPA ERT is referencing. Thank you.

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From: Singhvi, Raj
Sent: Friday, January 24, 2014 2:58 PM
To: Kelly, Jack (R3 Phila.); Werner, Lora; Gilbert, John; caporla.cynthia@epa.gov
Cc: Carpenter, Angela; Compton, Harry; Heimerman, Jeffrey; Singhvi, Raj
Subject: Final SOP #1857 for 4-MCHM

Kelly,
Here is the SOP for 4-MCHM. This method was used for Region V for Art Smith -OSC (12 samples from Ohio river collected by USGS for ERT).
Thanks.
-Raj

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Sent: Friday, January 24, 2014 3:17 PM
To: 'christopher.weis@nih.gov'; Arguto, William; Grevatt, Peter; Clark, Becki; Werner, Lora; Cseh, Larry F CAPT (US); Wright, DavidA; Burns, Francis; Capacasa, Jon
Cc: 'letitia.tierney@wv.gov'; bucher@niehs.nih.gov; 'vck3@cdc.gov'; masten@niehs.nih.gov; 'miller.aubrey@nih.gov'
Subject: Re: Coordination of Water Sampling in WV

All,

We have coordinated another conference call with all of you involved in the chemical detection of PPh and MCHM with the EPA Lab Manager and staff at Ft Detrick, MD

This is short notice but would benefit everyone to share information with EPA lab.

Conference Call: 3:30 pm today

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Lt. Col. Grant,

I am the Lab Manager for the EPA R3 Laboratory. I was informed that you had some questions for us.

I can be reach at 410-305-2732 and am in the office today.

Thanks,
Cindy

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Sent from my blackberry

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From: Weis, Christopher (NIH/NIEHS) [E] [mailto:christopher.weis@nih.gov]
Sent: Friday, January 24, 2014 01:59 PM
To: Arguto.william@Epa.gov <Arguto.william@Epa.gov>; Grevatt, Peter <Grevatt.Peter@epa.gov>; Becki Clark <clark.becki@epa.gov>; Werner, Lora <Werner.Lora@epa.gov>; Cseh, Larry F CAPT (US); wright.davida@epa.gov <wright.davida@epa.gov>; burns.fran@epa.gov <burns.fran@epa.gov>; Capacasa, Jon <Capacasa.jon@epa.gov>
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Subject: Coordination of Water Sampling in WV

All,

Through Dr. Vik Kapil (Senior Medical Officer and Associate Director for Science at CDC/ATSDR) it is my understanding that the State of WV has now requested support from EPA on sampling and analysis for the Kanawha water system in West Virginia. HHS agencies have been providing science support to CDC/ATSDR (ESF 8) during the response including coordination with EPA. The list of individuals on this email are those who we (HHS) have been in communication with or were recommended by our contacts. I hope this facilitates discussion among those key individuals. Key contacts for the State of WV are:

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Lt. Col. Gregory Grant is the person coordinating the sampling and analysis of the water system in WVA.

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