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Quarterly Hazardous Waste
Treatment and/or Collection Site Report

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Company Contact: Jack Johnston

I.D. No.: ORD 009227398

Visited on: oct 5, 1981
Time: 10:30 A.M.

By: william Hartford

Registration:

DEQ: Treatment/collection facility
EPA: Generator, storage

Principal business: Chemical distributor

Ancillary business: Handling of hazardous waste by:

(1) Collection - customers only
(2) Distillation - chlorinated solvents

No. of employees: (treatment facility/collection) 1
Still volume (last quarter):

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cc. Rich Reiter, Haz waste - DEQ
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Background:

1. Is company familiar with current DEQ and EPA hazardous waste rules? yes

   Are current rules available for reference? yes

2. Are the following plans and procedures adequate?

   a. Waste analysis plan

   b. Site security plan

   c. Inspection schedule plan and log

   d. Preparedness and prevention plan

   e. Contingency plan and emergency procedures

   f. Personnel training procedure and log

   g. Closure plan (including cost estimate)

3. Review last month's manifests/discuss last quarter's report to DEQ (discrepancies)? several manifests did not indicate shipping unit i.e. drum of what?

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Facility tour:

1. Waste analysis area

   a. Records complete? yes

   b. Frequency of analysis (pick two generators)? All material to be treated

2. Treatment/collection area

   a. Generator containers labeled? yes { still have problem with water wash off on some yellow label. Sanford Sharpie felt tip does not rub off & is now being used.

   b. Separation of ignitable from non-ignitable? yes

   c. Treatment residue containers labeled and dated from time of filling? yes

   d. Any leaking containers/appearance of spills? No site well ordered additional pad increase allows much better sorting of material

   e. Condition of container area (i.e., berm, cracks, etc.) new berm, pad & catch basin construction approved. Note below

   f. Safety equipment in place? yes [eye wash, First Aid Kit, emergency shower fire extinguisher

   g. Check log records contract with watchman service 7 days/week security records kept by using night watchman reports. Daily check by operator for leakers, etc. Record kept, and shown, of month amt's received for storage &/or treatment & amount of reclaimed material produced

Other comments:

Note: Approval of new construction

① catch basin (blue prints for detail)

② new pad extension (North side of existing pad) (see blueprints for detail)

③ Containment run-off trough

pictures taken to document new construction

No on site monitoring required at this time

Report finished: UDA 10/6/81

Plans as required by A6a → g will be approved or recommendations forwarded to VWR for compliance

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Visited on: May 14/1981
Time: 10:20 A.M.

By: William D. Hartford - DEQ
Chuck Rice, Bob Stamnes - EPA
I.S.S. joint inspection

Registration:

DEQ: # Treatment/collection facility
EPA: # generator, storage

Principal business: # chemical distributor

Ancillary business: # Distillation of waste chlorinated Hydrocarbons (1,1,1 Trichloroethane, Perchloroethane, Methylene Chloride, Trichloroethyle. & collection site for customers)

No. of employees: —
Still volume (last quarter): —

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Background:

1. Is company familiar with current DEQ and EPA hazardous waste rules?
   yes

   Are current rules available for reference? yes plus guideline document from Corp. headquarters

2. Are the following plans and procedures adequate?

   a. Waste analysis plan Plan & example given to VWR for review & will be updating their plan. Will review next inspection. Laboratory facilities are excellent & have Chemist on staff.

   b. Site security plan need to outline plan & schedule. Supplied by VWR with Hazardous Waste Corp. headquarters instructions on how to set up plan & what must be done

   c. Inspection schedule plan and log Safety inspection & report available. Daily walkthroughs to inspect area, safety & procedures. No log supplied for security check & for tank leakage, etc.

   d. Preparedness and prevention plan procedure need to be finalized. VWR is complying currently with terms of the treatment facility order

   e. Contingency plan and emergency procedures Procedure to set up plan but nothing in regard to implementation

   f. Personnel training procedure and log Procedure for shift operation. Training schedule & log needs to be discussed

   g. Closure plan (including cost estimate) more detail on cost estimate for closure plus cost of closing collection sites

3. Review last month's manifests/discuss last quarter's report to DEQ (discrepancies)? Manifests were discussed in particular the loop from generator to VWR & second loop from VWR to treatment & disposal. Second manifest needs to have 1st manifest number referenced. VWR has agreed to do this.

Facility tour:

1. Waste analysis area

   a. Records complete? yes

   b. Frequency of analysis (pick two generators)? Each shipment

2. Treatment/collection area

   a. Generator containers labeled? yes, but yellow plastic H.W. labels are difficult to write on & writing does wipe off (Common problem with many companies)

   b. Separation of ignitable from non-ignitable? ~~treatment~~ area H.W. separated & per chemical to recycle

   c. Treatment residue containers labeled and dated from time of filling? yes

   d. Any leaking containers/appearance of spills? NO

   e. Condition of container area (i.e., berm, cracks, etc.) good ~~Secured~~ Berm area

   f. Safety equipment in place? yes

   g. Check log records okay

Other comments:

other contact personnel:

(1) Stan West - H.W. coordinator
(2) Kirk Steinseifer - Drum yard supervisor
(3) Wynne Perryman / chemist
(4) Al Estes - warehouse supt.
(5) Bud Berg - Area Manager - Industrial chemicals & solvents

Suggest VWR appends Oregon rules to VWR guidance manual as some of the DEQ rules are more stringent

Report finished: July 7/81

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