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Dr. Michael Dennis Metcalf and Eddy 2800 Corporate Exchange Drive Suite 250 Columbus, OH 43231

# Subject: Missed Holding Times for Hexavalent Chromium RFW#: 9410L737

Dear Dr. Dennis:

Please find enclosed the Sample Discrepancy Report (SDR) for the missed holding times for Hexavalent Chromium. The samples were received on 10/25/94 at 9:30 am but by the time samples were opened and processed, the samples were not delivered to the laboratory until 12:30. Sample analyses were done at 13:45, resulting in missed holding times for 5 of the 7 samples received.

Login processing delayed sample receipt in the laboratory, however, samples were analyzed as soon as possible following receipt. Sample collection later in the day provides a longer time for laboratory to analyze the samples within the holding time. A review of ways to process quick holding time samples in login will be done to improve performance.

Please call me at (610) 701-6100 if you have any questions, or need any additional information.

Very truly yours,

ROY F. WESTON, INC.

Gail E. DeRuzzo Sr. Project Manager

Enclosure:



# ROY F. WESTON, INC. LIONVILLE ANALYTICAL LABORATORY ANALYTICAL CASE NARRATIVE

Client : M&E SPARTON RFW# : 9410L737 W.O. #: 03272-036-002-9999-00 Date Received: 10-25-94

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The following is a summary of the quality control results and a description of any problems encountered during the analysis of this batch of samples:

- 1. All sample holding times as required by the method were met with the exception of Chromium VI, which was analyzed past hold.
- 2. All preparation blank results were below the required detection limits.
- 3. All calibration verification checks were within the required control limits of 90-110%. Calibration verification is performed using independent standards.
- 4. Matrix spike recoveries are summarized on the Inorganic Accuracy Report contained within this document. All recoveries were within the 75-125% guidance limits. The %RPD was within the 20% guidance limit.
- 5. Replicate results are summarized on the Inorganic Precision Report contained within this document. The result was within the 20% RPD guidance limit.
- 6. The analytical methods applied by the laboratory for analyses herein, are derived from the USEPA <u>Methods for Chemical Analysis of Water and Wastes</u> (USEPA 600/4-79-020) and <u>Standard Methods for the Examination of Water and Wastewater</u> <u>16 ed.</u>

J. Peter Heishey, Ph.D. Laboratory Manager Lionville Analytical Laboratory

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# ROY F. WESTON, INC. GLOSSARY OF TERMS - INORGANIC REPORTS

# DATA QUALIFIERS

- U Indicates that the parameter was not detected at or above the reported limit. The associated numerical value is the sample detection limit.
- Indicates that the original sample result is greater than 4x the spike amount added. The USEPA-CLP has determined that spike results on samples where this occurs may be unreliable and therefore, the control limits are not applicable.

## ABBREVIATIONS

MB - Method or preparation blank.
MS - Matrix Spike.
MSD - Matrix Spike Duplicate.
REP - Sample Replicate.
LC - Indicates a method LCS or Blank Spike.
NC - Not calculable, result below the detection limit.

A suffix of -R or -S following these codes indicates a replicate or spike analysis respectively.

# NOTES

For solid samples, all results are reported on a dry weight basis with the exception of Extractable Organic Halides, which are reported on a wet weight basis.

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					REPORTING	DILUTION
SAMPLE	SITE ID	ANALYTE	RESULT	UNITS	LIMIT	FACTOR
*******	******************	*********************			*********	********
-001	501 MW-55	Chromium VI	0.48	MG/L	0.020	1.0
-002	502 MW-13	Chromium VI	0.47	MG/L	0.020	1.0
-003	503 MW-56	Chromium VI	0.37	MG/L	0.020	1.0
-004	504 MW-57	Chromium VI	0.020u	MG/L	0.020	1.0
-005	505 MW-60	Chromium VI	0.020u	MG/L	0.020	1.0
-006	506 MW-64	Chromium VI	0.020u	MG/L	0.020	1.0
-007	507 MW-14	Chromium VI	0.020u	MG/L	0.020	1.0

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SAMPLE	SITE ID	ANALYTE	RESULT	UNITS	REPORTING LIMIT	DILUTION
SAMPLE						FREIGR
BLANK10	94LV1051-MB1	Chromium VI	0.020u		0.020	1.0
BLANK20	94LV1051-MB2	Chromium VI	0.020u	MG/L	0.020	1.0

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			SPIKE#1	SPIKE#2	
SAMPLE	SITE ID	ANALYTE	*RECOV	*RECOV	*DIFF
		*****************	*****	*****	
-003	503 MW-56	Chromium VI	91.9	92.0	0.11
BLANK10	94LV1051-MB1	Chromium VI	92.4	92.4	0.00

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			INITIAL			DILUTION
SAMPLE	SITE ID	ANALYTE	RESULT	REPLICATE RPD	)	FACTOR (REP)
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-003REP	503 MW-56	Chromium VI	0.37	0.37	0.00	1.0



# ROY F. WESTON, INC. LIONVILLE ANALYTICAL LABORATORY ANALYTICAL CASE NARRATIVE

Client : M&E SPARTON RFW# : 9410L747 W.O. #: 03272-036-002-9999-00 Date Received: 10-26-94

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The following is a summary of the quality control results and a description of any problems encountered during the analysis of this batch of samples:

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J. Peter Hershey, Ph.D. Laboratory Manager Lionville Analytical Laboratory

11.11.94 Date

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SAMPLE	SITE ID	ANALYTE	RESULT	UNITS	REPORTING LIMIT	DILUTION FACTOR
		*********************	*******	******		
-002	MW-53	Chromium VI	0.078	MG/L	0.020	1.0
-003	MW-61	Chromium VI	0.020u	MG/L	0.020	1.0
-004	MW - 4 1	Chromium VI	0.020u	MG/L	0.020	1.0
-005	MW-32	Chromium VI	0.020u	MG/L	0.020	1.0
-006	MW-15	Chromium VI	0.020u	MG/L	0.020	1.0

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					REPORTING	DILUTION
SAMPLE	SITE ID	ANALYTE	RESULT	UNITS	LIMIT	FACTOR
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BLANK10	94LVI052-MB1	Chromium VI	0.020u	MG/L	0.020	1.0
BLANK20	94LVI052-MB2	Chromium VI	0.J20u	MG/L	0.020	1.0

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SAMPLE SITE ID	ANALYTE	SAMPLE	RESULT	AMOUNT	\$RECOV	FACTOR (SPK)
			******	*****	******	*********
-002 MW-53	Chromium VI	0.96	0.078	1.0	88.5	1.0
	Chromium VI MSD	0.96	0.078	1.0	88.6	1.0
BLANK10 94LVI052-MB1	Chromium VI	0.95	0.02u	1.0	94.7	1.0
	Chromium VI MSD	0.95	0.02u	1.0	94.7	1.0
BLANK20 94LVI052-MB2	Chromium VI	0.92	0.02u	1.0	92.0	1.0

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SAMPLE	SITE ID	ANALYTE	*RECOV	*RECOV	*DIFF
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-002	MW-53	Chromium VI	88.5	88.6	0.11
BLANK10	94LVI052-MB1	Chromium VI	94.7	94.7	0.00

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			INITIAL			DILUTION
SAMPLE	SITE ID	ANALYTE	RESULT	REPLICATE F	1PD	FACTOR (REP)
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-002REP	MW-53	Chromium VI	0,078	0.082	5.0	1.0

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