Roxana SVE System Shutdown Notification

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Bill,

In the absence of Jim Moore, URS is sending this email to you as required by Item 8 of IEPA's September 13, 2012 letter approving several submittals regarding investigation/remediation efforts conducted by Shell Oil Products US, including the "Conceptual/Final Design Report" (June 10, 2011) and the "SVE System Construction Completion Report" (May 30, 2012). Item 8 requires that the IEPA Bureau of Land, Permit Section, and the Collinsville field office be notified by email if the full-scale SVE system is down for more than 72 continuous hours. The SVE system was shutdown at approximately 2:09 pm on November 6, 2012 due to a malfunctioning combustion air fan on the regenerative thermal oxidizer (RTO). URS contacted the RTO manufacturer (Anguil) on November 6th to arrange for repairs to the combustion air fan. On November 8th a repair contractor diagnosed the problem as a bad fan motor. A new motor was shipped overnight and installed on the morning of November 9th. Following installation of the motor, the RTO was re-fired and began to heat up. Approximately one hour after re-fire, the natural gas-fired burner on the RTO went out and could not be re-lit. URS and a repair contractor continued to troubleshoot the problem. Due to the burner ignition problem, the SVE system has been down for more than 72 continuous hours. Efforts to restart the system were successful this evening at approximately 5:00 pm.

Thank you. Robert E. Mooshegian, CHMM Senior Project Manager URS Corporation 1001 Highlands Plaza Drive West, Suite 300 St. Louis, MO 63110

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